

St. Katharine's Primary School

Key Dates Planner 1

2026/27

This planner will be updated and sent out at the beginning of Term 1, Term 3 and Term 5. This does not replace the fortnightly calendar at the back of the newsletter but contains dates that we can plan well in advance. As the year progresses and dates for other events such as sports festivals, trips etc become clear we will re-populate this calendar before sending it out at the key times above. Finite details such as times and venues etc... will all be communicated in the fortnightly newsletter as is our normal practise.

September:

Tuesday 1 st	TD Day 1 (children not in school)
Wednesday 2 nd	TD Day 2 (children not in school)
Thursday 3 rd	First Day of Term 1
Monday 7 th – Tuesday 8 th	All Reception children in 9.30 until 12.00am
Wednesday 9 th - Friday 11 th	All Reception children in stay for lunch - Pick up at 1pm
Monday 14 th	Reception children begin full time (8.45am – 3.15pm)
Thursday 17 th	Sycamore Class Litfest Talk PM Pewsey Leisure Centre
Monday 21 st	Meet the teacher Chestnut : 3:30pm
Tuesday 22 nd	Meet the teacher Oak : 3:30pm Meet the teacher Hazel : 2:30pm
Wednesday 23 rd	Meet the teacher Sycamore : 3:30pm
Tuesday 29 th	Reception and KS1 Reading Meeting for parents 2.30pm – 3.15pm – please attend

October:

Thursday 1 st	Yr6 Open Evening at St John's (for Yr6 pupils, parents and carers) (TBC)
Sunday 4 th	Church Harvest Festival 6:00pm
Wednesday 7 th	Harvest Festival 9:30 in Church PTA AGM
Thursday 8 th	Year 2 multiskills sports event (small group)
Tuesday 13 th	Music for Miniatures - Bubble Bach
Thursday 15 th	Open Morning Prospective Parents 2027/28 (9.30am until 11.30am)
Friday 16 th	Last school day of Term 1 for children School Council elections PTA Pumpkinfest event
Monday 19 th – Wednesday 21 st	TD Days 3, 4 and 5 (children not in school)
Friday 31 st	Deadline for secondary school applications

November:

Monday 2 nd	First Day of Term 2
Friday 6 th	Chestnut Class visit to Roman Baths, Bath
Sunday 8 th	Remembrance Service @ St. Katharine's Church

Tuesday 10 th	Individual photographs
Wednesday 11 th	Remembrance Collective Worship in church – 9.30am - parents welcome (KS2 children)
	Happy Confident Me parent workshop 3.30pm – 4.30pm
Friday 13 th	Sycamore Class trip to Imperial War Museum, London
Monday 16 th	Odd Socks Day – as part of Anti-Bullying week
Tuesday 17 th	Flu vaccinations - Reception to Year 6
Thursday 19 th	Swindon Voice Festival – Choir (provisional)
Friday 20 th	Children in Need
	Sharing our Learning afternoon - parents invited in from 2.30pm until 3.15pm (prior to Parents Evening 1)
Tuesday 24 th	3:30–7:00pm Parents Evening 1 All classes
Wednesday 25 th	St Katharine's Day Service in Church 9:30am
Thursday 26 th	3:30-5:30pm Parents Evening 1 All Classes
Friday 27 th	Bonfire Night PTA – pencil the date – yet to be confirmed
December:	
Sunday 13 th	Nine Lesson Service in Church 6:00pm – choir to sing
Thursday 10 th	Reception and KS1 Nativity dress rehearsal 10.45am – 12.15pm - parents and grandparents welcome
	Reception and KS1 Nativity in Church (4.45pm drop) 5:00 - 6:30pm
Thursday 17 th	Christmas Party afternoon and Christmas Jumper day <i>Children will be in Christmas jumpers, no party clothes or food needed</i>
Friday 18 th	KS2 Carol Service in Church 9:30am – all parents/families welcome
	Last day of Term 2 early close 1:15pm
January:	
Monday 4 th	TD Day 6 (children not in school)
Tuesday 5 th	First day of Term 3
Friday 15 th	Deadline for primary school applications
Tuesday 26 th	Oak Class Past Productions visit to school
February:	
Tuesday 9 th	Parent meeting on statutory guidance on teaching of Sex & Relationships Education (SRE) and Personal, Social & Health Education (PSHE)
Friday 12 th	Last Day of Term 3
Monday 22 nd	First Day of Term 4
Thursday 25 th	KS2 SATs Information Session for parents 2.30pm – 3.15pm
March:	

Friday 5 th	World Book Day
	PTA Mother's Day shop
Friday 12 th	Sharing our Learning afternoon - parents invited in from 2.30pm until 3.15pm
Tuesday 16 th	3.30pm – 5:30pm Parents Evening 2 whole school
Thursday 18 th	3.30pm – 7.00pm Parents Evening 2 whole school
Friday 19 th	Red Nose Day
	PTA Bunny Bop event
Tuesday 23 rd	Year 5/6 Rugby Tournament at St John's Marlborough
Thursday 25 th	Last day of Term 4 early close 1:15pm
	Easter Service 9:30am in Church <i>refreshments to follow</i>
April:	
Monday 12 th	First Day of Term 5
	Year 3 first swimming session (TBC)
Wednesday 21 st	Braeside Year 4 Pre-residential meeting for parents 3.30pm
Tuesday 27 th	Vision and Values parent & community workshop 6pm – 7.30pm (TBC)
May:	
Monday 3 rd	Bank Holiday
Wednesday 5 th	Year 3/4 Athletics Festival, Marlborough College (small group)
Thursday 6 th	Year 6 pre-residential (Redridge) parents meeting 2:30pm
Monday 10 th – 13 th	Key Stage 2 SATs week
Friday 21 st	Walk Safe Years 1,3 and 6
Tuesday 25 th	Whole School Photo and Year 6
Friday 28 th	Last Day of Term 5
June:	
Monday 7 th	First Day of Term 6
Monday 7 th (fortnight beginning)	Year 4 Multiplication check
Wednesday 9 th – Friday 11 th	Braeside Residential Year 4
Saturday 12 th	PTA Summer Fete
Monday 14 th (week beginning)	Year 1 Phonics screening check week
	Red Ridge Residential – Year 6
Monday 14 th	Year 6 out of catchment transition visit at St John's (TBC)
Tuesday 15 th	New Reception parent information evening 6pm -7.30pm
Thursday 17 th	Year 6 Parents' Info Evening at St. John's (TBC)
Friday 18 th	PTA Father's Day event
Monday 21 st (week beginning)	Nursery visits for 2027 intake begin this week
Monday 21 st	Year 6 Uniform Fitting Evening at St. John's (TBC)

Tuesday 22 nd	Whole school - Emergency Awareness Training, Wiltshire Air Ambulance
July:	
Thursday 1 st	Year 6 SEN Transition Day at St. John's
Friday 2 nd	Reports to parents
	Move Up Morning and new Reception transition visits
	Year 6 Transition Day at St. John's
Monday 5 th	Year 3 final swimming session (TBC)
Tuesday 6 th & Thursday 8 th	Optional Parents Evening 3 - 3:30pm – 5:00pm
Friday 9 th	Summer Performance - dress rehearsal
Tuesday 13 th	Summer Performance 1 Sycamore Class 7pm- 8.30pm
Wednesday 14 th	Summer Performance 2 Sycamore Class 7pm- 8.30pm
Friday 16 th	Sports Day 9:30am – 12:15pm
Tuesday 20 th	Back up Sports Day 9:30am – 12:15pm
Thursday 22 nd	Gem Day NO Sue Brady Lunches to be ordered
Friday 23 rd	Leaver's Service in Church 9:30am <i>followed by refreshments</i>
	End of Term 6 early close 1.15pm