

Leicester City Council

Local authority school holidays 2026/2027



Term No 1: 38 days (7 weeks 3 days)	
Schools Open	Monday 24 August 2026
Bank Holiday	Monday 31 August 2026
Schools Close	Thursday 15 October 2026
Autumn Half Term Holiday	Friday 16 October 2026 to Friday 23 October 2026

Term No 2: 39 days (8 weeks)	
Schools Open	Monday 26 October 2026
Schools Close	Thursday 17 December 2026
Christmas & New Year Holiday	Friday 18 December 2026 to Monday 4 January 2027

Term No 3: 30 days (6 weeks)	
Schools Open	Tuesday 5 January 2027
Schools Close	Friday 12 February 2027
Spring Half Term Holiday	Monday 15 February 2027 to Friday 19 February 2027

Term No 4: 20 days (4 weeks)	
Schools Open	Monday 22 February 2027
Schools Close	Friday 19 March 2027
Easter Holidays	Monday 22 March 2027 to Friday 2 April 2027

Term No 5: 39 days (7 weeks 4 days)	
Schools Open	Monday 5 April 2027
May Bank Holiday (schools closed)	Monday 3 May 2027
Schools Close	Friday 28 May 2027
Summer Half Term Holiday	Monday 31 May 2027 to Friday 4 June 2027

Term No 6: 22 days (5 weeks)	
Schools Open	Monday 7 June 2027
Schools Close	Friday 9 July 2027
Summer Holiday begins	Monday 12 July 2027

190 Pupil Days

(3 further INSET days to be allocated by the school – from the pupil days. Please see term dates provided by your child's school).

Bank Holidays:

- 31 August 2026
- 25 and 28 December 2026
- 1 January 2027
- 26 and 29 March 2027
- 3 May 2027
- 31 May 2027

Inset Days: 16 October 2026
4 January 2027