

# School Calendar 2023 – 24 V1 – to Governors for consideration



School holidays
  Public holidays
  School closed to pupils for 5 staff training days

<b>THE BIRCHES SCHOOL YEAR 2023 – 2024</b> ( updated from original ratified by Governors )						
	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	
<b>Sept 2023</b>						
	4	5	6	7	8	<b>33</b>
	11	12	13	14	15	
	18	19	20	21	22	
	25	26	27	28	29	
<b>Oct</b>	2	3	4	5	6	
	9	10	11	12	13	
	16	17	18	19	20	
	23	24	25	26	27	<b>AUTUMN HALF TERM</b>
<b>Nov</b>	30	31	1	2	3	<b>38</b>
	6	7	8	9	10	
	13	14	15	16	17	
	20	21	22	23	24	
<b>Dec</b>	27	28	29	30	1	
	4	5	6	7	8	
	11	12	13	14	15	
	18	19	20	21	22	<b>Christmas BREAK</b>
<b>Jan 2024</b>	1	2	3	4	5	<b>32</b>
	8	9	10	11	12	
	15	16	17	18	19	
	22	23	24	25	26	
<b>Feb</b>	29	30	31	1	2	
	5	6	7	8	9	
	12	13	14	15	16	
	19	20	21	22	23	<b>SPRING HALF TERM</b>
<b>March</b>	26	27	28	29	1	<b>24</b>
	4	5	6	7	8	
	11	12	13	14	15	
	18	19	20	21	22	
	25	26	27	28	29	
<b>April</b>	1	2	3	4	5	<b>Easter BREAK</b>
	8	9	10	11	12	<b>29</b>
	15	16	17	18	19	
<b>May</b>	22	23	24	25	26	
	29	30	1	2	3	
	6	7	8	9	10	
	13	14	15	16	17	
	20	21	22	23	24	
	27	28	29	30	31	<b>SUMMER HALF TERM</b>
<b>June</b>	3	4	5	6	7	<b>34</b>
	10	11	12	13	14	
	17	18	19	20	21	
	24	25	26	27	28	
<b>July</b>	1	2	3	4	5	
	8	9	10	11	12	
	15	16	17	18	19	
	22	23	24	25	26	
<b>Aug</b>	29	30	31	1	2	
<b>Total Days</b>						<b>195 days</b>

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As a result of the 2015 Deregulation Act, the setting of the school calendar now rests with each individual governing body. It is proposed that we broadly follow where possible the Calendar Guide published by Manchester LA and the guidance set out in their common guiding principles.

<p><b><u>Autumn Term</u></b> <b><u>2023</u></b></p>	<p>Start of new school year:</p> <p>School closed to pupils for Staff INSET – Monday 4<sup>th</sup> &amp; Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> September</p> <p><b>School opens to pupils Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> September 2023</b></p> <p>Half term holidays: Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2023 – Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October 2023</p> <p><b>Last day of term for pupils Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December 2023</b></p> <p>Christmas holidays: Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> December 2023 – Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> January 2024</p>
<p><b><u>Spring Term</u></b> <b><u>2024</u></b></p>	<p><b>School opens to pupils Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2024</b></p> <p>School closed to pupils for Staff INSET – Fri 16<sup>th</sup> February</p> <p>Half term holidays: Monday 19<sup>th</sup> February 2024 – Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2024</p> <p><b>Last day of term for pupils Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March 2024</b></p> <p>Easter holidays: Friday 29<sup>th</sup> March 2024 – Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April 2024</p>
<p><b><u>Summer Term</u></b> <b><u>2024</u></b></p>	<p><b>School opens to pupils Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April 2024</b></p> <p>May Day Bank Holiday – Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May 2024</p> <p>Half term holidays: Monday 27<sup>th</sup> May 2024 – Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2024</p> <p>School closed to pupils for Staff INSET – Mon 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2024</p> <p><b>Last day of term for pupils Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2024</b></p> <p>School closed to pupils for Staff INSET – Mon 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2024</p>

### Public holidays:

NOTE: 2024 Bank Holidays have not yet been published on the Gov.uk website. This calendar therefore assumes a number of bank holiday dates in 2024:

Included in Christmas Break – Christmas Day, Boxing Day & New Year's Day

Included in Easter Break - Good Friday – 29th March & Easter Monday – 1st April 2024

May Day Bank Holiday – Monday 6th May 2024

Included in half-term - Spring Bank Holiday - Monday, 27th May 2024