



St. John's School Calendar 2026–2027

Autumn 1 2026

Value: **LOVE**

Term dates: Wednesday 2nd September – Friday 23rd October 2026

- **Tuesday 1st September:** INSET DAY (school closed)
- **Wednesday 2nd September:** Term starts
- **Wednesday 9th September:** KS2 Welcome Wednesday (8.45–9.00 a.m.)
- **Friday 11th September:** Flu vaccinations
- **Wednesday 16th September:** KSI (8.45) and Reception (3.00 p.m.) Welcome Wednesday
- **Friday 18th September:** Year 4 Anglo Saxon workshops
- **Friday 25th September:** European sports day – Whole school activities in school
- **Throughout October:** Black History Month
- **Thursday 8th October:** Whole school individual photos and all sibling photographs
- **Tuesday 13th October:** Opal play meeting for parents year 1-year 6 (9.00–10.00 a.m.)
- **Wednesday 14th October:** Reception Phonics parents information session (9.00 a.m.) **RR**
- **Saturday 17th October:** Nursery and Reception Open Day (10.00–11.00 a.m.)
- **Monday 19th October:** Diwali theme day
- **Wednesday 21st October:** Parents' evening (not Nursery), 3.45–7.00 p.m.; Year 1 – Imagine That trip
- **Thursday 22nd October:** 'LOVE' whole school activity; Year 6 – Imperial War Museum trip; Spooky Disco Years 1-6
- **Friday 23rd October:** School finishes for half term

Autumn 2 2026

Value: **RESILIENCE**

Term dates: Monday 2nd November – Friday 18th December 2026

- **Monday 2nd November:** School opens
- **Wednesday 4th November:** Nursery and Reception Autumn Day
- **Friday 6th November:** Year 2 Great Fire of London workshop All day.
- **Wednesday 11th November:** Year 6 Pine Class topic assembly (9.30 a.m.)
9am parent coffee **RR**
- **Thursday 12th November:** Year 6 Cedar Class topic assembly (9.30 a.m.)
9am parent coffee **RR**
- **Friday 13th November:** Year 3 – Tatton Hall, all day trip
- **Monday 16th – Friday 20th November:** Anti-bullying Week
- **Tuesday 24th November:** Year 3 Cherry Class topic assembly (9.30 a.m.)
9am parent coffee **RR**



Wednesday 25th November: Year 3 Sycamore Class topic assembly (9.30 a.m.)

9am parent coffee **RR**

- **Sunday 29th November:** Advent whole school Mass (12.00 p.m.) and Christmas Fair (1.00–3.00 p.m.)
- **Tuesday 1st December:** Advent retreat, KS1
- **Wednesday 2nd December:** Choir performing at Loreto carol concert (5.00–7.00 p.m.)
- **Monday 7th December:** SEND coffee morning 9am **RR**
- **Friday 11th December:** Nursery Nativity (9.30 a.m.) 9am parent coffee **RR**
Year 2 Nativity (2.30 p.m.) 2pm parent coffee **RR**
- **Monday 14th December:** Caritas Sparkle and Shine Day – Whole school
- **Tuesday 15th December:** Carols by Candlelight (6.00 p.m.); N/Reception/KS1 Christmas party; KS2 Christmas dinner
- **Wednesday 16th December:** Reception Nativity (9.30 a.m.) 9am parent coffee **RR** Year 1 Nativity (2.30 p.m.) 2pm parent coffee **RR**
- **Thursday 17th December:** KS2 Christmas party; N/Reception/KS1 Christmas dinner
- **Friday 18th December:** Term finishes at 1.10 p.m.

Spring 1 2027

Value: **KINDNESS**

Term dates: Tuesday 5th January – Thursday 11th February 2027

- **Monday 4th January:** INSET DAY (school closed)
- **Tuesday 5th January:** Term starts
- **Wednesday 13th January:** Maths Parent workshop KS 1 & 2 (9a.m) **RR**
- **Monday 18th January:** Year 5 Willow – Ordsall Hall trip
- **Thursday 21st January:** Year 5 Hawthorn – Ordsall Hall trip
- **Thursday 21st January:** Year 2 Chestnut Class assembly (9.30 a.m.) 9am parent coffee **RR**
- **Friday 22nd January:** Year 2 Silver Birch Class assembly (9.30 a.m.) 9am parent coffee **RR**
- **Wednesday 27th January:** Year 4 Beech Class assembly (9.30 a.m.) 9am parent coffee **RR**
Young Voices (Years 4-6)
- **Thursday 28th January:** Year 4 Maple Class assembly (9.30 a.m.) 9am parent coffee **RR**
- **Saturday 6th February** – Nursery and Reception Open Day (10.00–11.00 a.m.)
- **Tuesday 9th February:** Safer Internet Day; Reception Ash Class assembly (9.30 a.m.) 9am parent coffee **RR**
- **Wednesday 10th February:** Reception Oak Class assembly (9.30 a.m.) 9am parent coffee **RR**
- **Wednesday 10th February:** **KINDNESS** whole school activity
- **Friday 12th February:** INSET DAY (school closed for February half term)

Spring 2 2027

Value: **JOY**

Term dates: Monday 22nd February – Thursday 25th March 2027

- **Monday 22nd February:** School opens



- **Tuesday 23rd February:** Chinese New Year theme day
- **Wednesday 24th February;** Reading Parent workshop Years 2-6 (9 a.m.) **RR**
- **Throughout March:** Women's History Month
- **Monday 1st – Wednesday 3rd March:** Year 4 Robinwood residential
- **Thursday 4th March:** World Book Day
- **Tuesday 9th or Wednesday 10th March:** Eid al-Fitr
- **Wednesday 10th March:** Year 1 Elm Class assembly (9.30 a.m.) 9am parent coffee **RR**
- **Thursday 18th March:** St Patrick's Day music celebration (9.30 a.m.); Year 1 Fir Class topic assembly (9 a.m.)
- **Friday 19th March:** World Down Syndrome Awareness Day
- **March/April:** Year 5 Spanish exchange
- **Wednesday 24th March:** KS2 Easter liturgy (10.30 a.m. at Church)
- **Thursday 25th March:** Nursery Easter Bonnet parade (9.30 a.m.); term finishes

Summer 1 2027

Value: **RESPECT**

Term dates: Monday 12th April – Friday 28th May 2027

- **Monday 12th April:** Term starts
- **Friday 16th April:** Year 2 – Martin Mere trip; Year 4 camp out
- **Thursday 22nd April:** Earth Day: Class Photos
- **Wednesday 28th April:** Parents' evening
- **Monday 3rd May:** Bank holiday (school closed)
- **Wednesday 5th May:** Reception trip to Smithills Farm – All day
- **Monday 10th May:** KS2 SATs week begins
- **Monday 17th – Wednesday 19th May:** Year 6 Ghyll Head residential
- **Wednesday 19th May:** Year 5 Willow Class assembly (9.30 a.m.) 9am parent coffee **RR**
Nursery intake meeting (2.30 p.m.)
- **Thursday 20th May:** Year 5 Hawthorn Class assembly (9.30 a.m.) 9am parent coffee **RR**
World Diversity Day activity
- **Thursday 27th May:** **RESPECT** whole school activity
- **Friday 28th May:** School finishes for half term

Summer 2 2027

Value: **GRATITUDE**

Term dates: Monday 14th June – Friday 23rd July 2027

- **Friday 11th June:** INSET DAY (school closed)
- **Monday 14th June:** School opens
- **Monday 14th – Friday 18th June:** Year 1 phonics check and Year 4 multiplication check
- **Wednesday 16th June;** Year 6 photos



- **Saturday 19th June:** Centenary Mass and celebration 12 noon
- **Wednesday 23rd June:** Reception intake meeting (2.30 p.m)
- **Wednesday 23rd June:** Year 1 Trip to Knowsley Safari Park
- **Friday 25th June:** Year 5 Big Sing
- **Monday 28th June:** EYFS School Games Day (10.00–11.00 a.m.) KS1 (1.00–3.00 p.m.)
- **Wednesday 30th June:** Lower KS2 School Games Day (10.00–11.30 a.m.); Upper KS2 School Games Day (1.00–3.00 p.m.)
- **Thursday 1st – Friday 2nd July:** Year 6 transition week at secondary schools
- **Friday 2nd July –** Year 3 camp
- **Monday 5th – Friday 9th July:** Bikeability Week
- **Monday 5th July:** Additional Sports Day if week before cancelled (Mon/Tue pattern); SEND coffee morning 9am parent coffee **RR**
- **Tuesday 6th July:** Additional Sports Day if week before cancelled (Mon/Tue pattern)
- **Tuesday 6th July:** Year 6 Leavers' Mass (2.00pm)
- **Wednesday 7th July:** Music Extravaganza (9 a.m.); KS1 transition meeting (2.30 p.m.)
- **Thursday 8th July:** KS2 transition meeting (2.30 p.m.) **RR**
- **Wednesday 14th – Thursday 15th July:** Year 6 Summer Show
- **Tuesday 20th July:** Nursery graduation (9.30 a.m.) 9am parent coffee **RR**
- **Thursday 22nd July:** Year 6 leaving assembly (9.30 a.m.) 9am parent coffee **RR**
Picnic in the Park – ALL WELCOME (6.00–8.00 p.m.)
- **Friday 23rd July:** term finishes at 1.10pm

RR – Romero Room. Please come in through the main office.