



St. James' Church of England Primary School **Lower Darwen**

Holiday Dates 2025 - 2026

Autumn Term

Term starts:	Monday 1st September 2025
Finish for half term:	Friday 24th October 2025
Half term holiday:	Monday 27th October 2025 – Friday 31st October 2025
Return to school:	Monday 3rd November 2025
School finishes:	Friday 19th December 2025
Christmas Holidays:	Monday 22nd December 2025 – Friday 2nd January 2026

Spring Term

Term starts:	Monday 5th January 2026
Finish for half term:	Friday 13th February 2026
Half term holiday:	Monday 16th February 2026 – Friday 20th February 2026
Return to school	Monday 23rd February 2026
School finishes:	Friday 27th March 2026
Easter Holiday:	Monday 30th March 2026 – Friday 10th April 2026

Summer Term

Term starts:	Monday 13th April 2026
May day holiday	Monday 4th May 2026
Finish for half term:	Friday 22nd May 2026
Half term holiday:	Monday 25th May 2026 – Friday 5th June 2026
Return to school:	Monday 8th June 2026
School finishes:	Monday 20th July 2026

Staff INSET days

Monday 1st June, Tuesday 2nd June, Wednesday 3rd June, Thursday 4th June and Friday 5th June