

Final dates as decided by the Portfolio Holder for Children, Schools and Young People

Harrow School Term Dates 2022 - 2023

Term	Dates	School Days
Autumn Term 2022 14.4 weeks 72 days	Thursday 1 September 2022 to Friday 21 October 2022	37
	<i>Half Term Monday 24 October 2022 to Friday 28 October 2022</i>	
	Monday 31 October 2022 to Friday 16 December 2022	35
Spring Term 2023 11.8 weeks 59 days	Tuesday 3 January 2023 to Friday 10 February 2023	29
	<i>Half Term Monday 13 February 2023 to Friday 17 February 2023</i>	
	Monday 20 February 2023 to Friday 31 March 2023	30
Summer Term 2023 12.8 weeks 64 days	Monday 17 April 2023 to Friday 26 May 2023	29
	<i>Half Term Monday 29 May 2023 to Friday 2 June 2023</i>	
	Monday 5 June 2023 to Friday 21 July 2023	35
Total	<i>School Days including INSET days</i>	195

Note: INSET days are arranged by schools.

Bank Holidays

29 August 2022 (August Bank Holiday)
 27 December 2022 (Christmas Day Hols)
 2 January 2023 (New Years Day Hol)
 7 April 2023 (Good Friday)
 10 April 2023 (Easter Monday)
 1 May 2023 (May Day Bank Holiday)
 29 May 2023 (Spring Bank Holiday)
 28 August 2023 (August Bank Holiday)

Occasional Days

Governing bodies may agree to up to 3 additional closure days to take account of the need to observe Non-Christian religious festivals. If 3 occasional days are adopted then the school year will be 198 days and the additional days must be added to the end of the summer term.

Harrow agreed principles

The former Education Strategy Consultative Forum agreed a set of principles to apply to School Term Dates for Harrow. These are as follows:

- The school year to be set with 195 days, incorporating 5 development days
- Schools to determine the development days
- The school year to start on the first useful day in September
- The October break to be one full week, the last full week in October
- A 10 school day break at Christmas
- A 10 school day break at Easter/Spring
- A one week break in February and May/June
- A summer break of 5-6 weeks (not more than 6 weeks)

Comment in relation to the Harrow agreed principles

The draft Harrow School Term Dates 2022-2023 comply with the Harrow agreed principles, with the exception of:

- A longer 11 day school break at Christmas (rather than a 10 day break)