



Key Diary Dates - 2026-2027

Events organised by the Shoreside PTA are listed in yellow.

Information will be sent out in advance by the PTA to explain each event.

Dates highlighted in green are for parents (sometimes specific year groups only as stated) to attend.

Autumn Term 1									
Tuesday 1st September/ Wednesday 2nd September	<i>INSET Days - School closed for all pupils</i>								
Thursday 3rd September	All children back to school New Reception Starters - Morning or Afternoon Session for 1st day								
Week beginning Monday 7th September	Meet the Teacher Meetings - Straight after school in classrooms <table border="1" style="margin-left: 20px;"> <tr> <td>Year 3/Year 5</td><td>Monday 7th September</td></tr> <tr> <td>Year 2/Year 4</td><td>Tuesday 8th September</td></tr> <tr> <td>PN/N/Year 1</td><td>Thursday 10th September</td></tr> <tr> <td>Reception/Year 6</td><td>Friday 11th September</td></tr> </table>	Year 3/Year 5	Monday 7th September	Year 2/Year 4	Tuesday 8th September	PN/N/Year 1	Thursday 10th September	Reception/Year 6	Friday 11th September
Year 3/Year 5	Monday 7th September								
Year 2/Year 4	Tuesday 8th September								
PN/N/Year 1	Thursday 10th September								
Reception/Year 6	Friday 11th September								
Thursday 1st October	2:45pm - Early Years Curriculum Information Session for Nursery and Reception Parents								
Tuesday 6th October	8:45-9:30am - Year 1-6 Come and See 2:30-3:15pm - Early Years Stay & Play in PN/N/Reception								
Monday 19th October	Individual/Siblings Photographs (all children to wear full school uniform)								
Tuesday 20th October	9:00-9:30am - RWI Phonics Come & See for Reception Parents								
Wednesday 21st October	9:00-9:30am - RWI Phonics Come & See for Year 1 Parents								
Thursday 22nd October	9:00-9:30am - RWI Phonics Come & See for Year 2 Parents								
Thursday 22nd October	After School Movie Night for Children								
Friday 23rd October	School finishes for October half term								

Autumn Term 2	
Monday 2nd November	<i>INSET Day - School closed for all pupils</i>
Tuesday 3rd November	All children back to school
Wednesday 11th November	10:45am - Remembrance Service lead by Y6 (Year 6 parents invited to attend)
Wednesday 11th November or Thursday 12th November	Progress Evenings (Appointments for Parents/Carers) - Parents/carers to book one appointment across the two nights on offer
Friday 13th November	Children In Need Day - Own Clothes
Monday 16th November	Wear Odd Socks Day - Anti-Bullying Week
Saturday 21st November	10-12 - Messy Art Morning - All families welcome 10-12 - Reception Open Morning for Reception Starters for September 2027
Friday 27th November	Own Clothes Day - Christmas Fair Donations (EYs/KS1 - Sweet Treat, KS2 - Bottle)
Friday 4th December	3:15-5:00pm - After School Christmas Fair
Tuesday 8th December	9:00am - Pre Nursery, Nursery and Reception Christmas Songs
Thursday 10th December	Christmas Jumper Day - Own Clothes & Christmas Jumpers
Friday 11th December	9:00am - KS2 Christmas Songs 2:15pm - Y1 and Y2 Nativity
Wednesday 16th December	Christmas Lunch Day
Thursday 17th December	Nursery Christmas Party Day - Nursery Own Clothes Nursery Children finish for Christmas
Friday 18th December	Christmas Party Day - Own Clothes

	Finish for Christmas one hour early (ASC closes one hour early too)
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Spring Term 1	
Monday 4th January	<i>INSET Day - School closed for all pupils</i>
Tuesday 5th January	All children back to school
Wednesday 20th January	8:45-9:30am - Year 1-6 Come and See 2:30-3:15pm - Early Years Stay & Play in PN/N/Reception
Thursday 28th January	3:20pm - Year 6 Assessment Parent Workshop for Year 6 parents and their children
Wednesday 3rd - Friday 5th February	Year 6 Residential to Lancashire Outdoor Activities
Wednesday 10th February	After School Neon Disco
Friday 12th February	Own clothes day for Sefton - Love My Community All children finish for half term

Spring Term 2	
Monday 22nd February	Back to school
Friday 26th February	Rock Kidz - Dress as a Rock Star Day
Tuesday 2nd March or Wednesday 3rd March	Progress Evenings (Appointments for Parents/Carers) - Parents/carers to book one appointment across the two nights on offer
Thursday 4th March	World Book Day 2027 - Dress as a character from a book
Wednesday 10th - Friday 12th March	Y4/5 Residential to PGL Winmarleigh Hall
Tuesday 18th March	3:20pm - Multiplication Check Parent Info Session for Y4 parents
Friday 19th March	Red Nose Day - Own Clothes Day (Red optional)
Saturday 20th March	10-12 - Messy Science Morning - All families welcome
Wednesday 24th March	Nursery Children finish for Easter After School Easter Bingo
Thursday 25th March	Finish for Easter one hour early (ASC closes one hour early too)

Summer Term 1	
Monday 12th April	All children back to school
Tuesday 13th April	3:20 - Year 1 Phonics Screening Check Parent Info Session for Year 1 parents
Monday 3rd May	School Closed - May Bank Holiday
W/B Monday 10th May	KS2 SATs Week
Monday 17th May	KS1/KS2 Sports Day 9:00 - 11:30am - Key Stage 2 (Years 3/4/5/6) 1:15 - 2:30pm - Key Stage 1 (Years 1/2)
Tuesday 18th May	EYs Sports Day 1:45 - 3:15pm - Early Years (Nursery and Reception)
Friday 28th May	Children finish for half term

Summer Term 2	
Monday 7th June	<i>INSET Day - School closed for all pupils</i>
Tuesday 8th June	All children back to school
Date TBC - usually early-June	Children's University Graduation for eligible Y2/6 pupils at Edge Hill University
Monday 14th - Wednesday 16th June	Y2/3 Residential to CHET
Wednesday 23rd June	8:45-9:30am - Year 1-6 Come and See 2:30-3:15pm - Early Years Stay & Play in PN/N/Reception
Date TBC - usually mid-June	Y5/6 Dance Group - Wally Cain Dance Performance at The Atkinson Theatre
Monday 28th June	Class Photographs
Date TBC - usually mid-June	Year 6 - High School Induction Day
Thursday 1st July	4pm & 7pm - School Production
Friday 2nd July	Own Clothes Day - Summer Fair Donations (EYs/KS1 - Sweet Treat, KS2 - Bottle)
Friday 9th July	2pm-5pm - Shorestock Extravaganza, followed by our Summer Festival/Fair
Tuesday 13th July	Inflatables Fun Day for all pupils
Wednesday 14th July	Topsy Turvy Day
Tuesday 20th July	9:15am - Y6 Leavers Assembly (Y6 parents only) Immediately after - Y6 Celebration Event (Y6 parents only)
Tuesday 20th July	Party Day for Nursery Children - Nursery Own Clothes

	Nursery Children finish for Summer
Wednesday 21st July	Party Day for Whole School - Own Clothes
	Finish for Summer one hour early (ASC closes one hour early too)

Y2 and Y6 Graduation - Children's University - June/July 2027

Children's University is a charity that works in partnership with schools to develop a love of learning in children. They do this by encouraging and celebrating participation in extracurricular activities in school. Your child will be awarded credits for joining in with after school clubs here at Shoreside.

Children's University credits are also awarded for taking part in accredited out of school clubs too. Just check with your child's club that they have signed up to CU and have your child's Children's University passport stamped by the club representative along with the number of hours they have accumulated. Selected museums, galleries and other days out will award credits for visiting their venue. Make sure you have your passports with you to be stamped! Examples of some of the venues, as well as further information can be found at <https://www.childrensuniversity.co.uk>.

Toward the end of each school term, we will contact you asking you to send in your child(ren)'s Children's University passports to add any credits onto your child's account. All school clubs do not need to be logged in their passports as we add these credits directly from school.

Some children in Y2 and Y6 will be invited to a graduation ceremony during the summer term. In order to graduate, children must have earned enough credits which is a criteria set by Children's University. Y2 and Y6 pupils will be asked for their passports at different times during the school year and we will keep parents informed of how many credits their pupil has gained throughout the school year.

To purchase a Children's University passport, please go to the Shoreside Arbor Shop or speak to Mrs Kennedy. If you have any further questions about Children's University, please contact Mrs Monahan via our school office.

