



Academic term dates 2024-25

There are three terms per academic year:

Michaelmas Term (September-December), Hilary Term (January-March) and Trinity Term (April-June)

Michaelmas Term 2024

Wednesday 4 September	Returning students to arrive at school between 08:00 & 18:00
Thursday 5 September	New students to arrive at school between 08:00 & 18:00
Friday 6 September - Sunday 8 September	Induction and orientation for students
Saturday 26 October - Half Term starts	Travel Day - students may leave school between 07:00 & 18:00
Sunday 3 November - Half Term ends	All students to return to school between 08:00 & 18:00
Saturday 14 December	Travel day - students may leave school between 07:00 & 16:00

Hilary Term 2025

Tuesday 7 January 2025	All students to return to school between 08:00 & 18:00
Saturday 15 February - Half Term starts	Travel day - students may leave school between 07:00 & 18:00
Sunday 23 February - Half Term ends	All students to return to school between 08:00 & 18:00
Monday 24 February - Friday 28 February	'Mock' examinations week - obligatory attendance ITY and Y13
Saturday 5 April	Travel day - students may leave school between 07:00 & 18:00

Trinity Term 2025

Tuesday 29 April 2025	All students to return to school between 08:00 & 18:00 Year 12 work placements commence this term
Friday 2 May	Extended Project Qualification (EPQ) deadline
Monday 5 May	UK public holiday: no lessons
Mid-May	Summer public examinations session begins - ITY and Y13
Saturday 24 May - Half Term starts	Travel day - students may leave school between 07:00 & 18:00
Sunday 1 June - Half Term ends	All students to return to school between 08:00 & 18:00
Sunday 22 June - Thursday 26 June	Students who have completed exams may make arrangements to leave during this time between the hours of 07:00 and 18:00 only
Wednesday 25 June	Last day of lessons
Thursday 26 June	Travel day - students should leave school between 07:00 & 18:00
Friday 27 June	School open to those taking exams only.
14 & 21 August (TBC)	A-Level & GCSE exam results published

We respectfully request that flights are booked in accordance to the dates and times above. Updates on internal exam dates, closed weekends and Valedictory celebration dates will be shared in September 2024.

The arrival dates and times outlined above are for the consideration of all resident students and staff. Students arriving/departing outside of these times will need to be collected and accommodated by a parent or guardian. All travel information for holidays and weekend leave must be supplied on the forms provided. This is for our records and for UKVI immigration compliance. Please refer to the Student & Parent Guide on our website for more information.

Earlscliffe operates holiday courses: Easter: Sat 12 April - Fri 25 April 2025 **Summer:** Sun 29 June - Sat. 16 August 2025

All students must vacate their rooms for the Easter/summer holiday periods and take their belongings with them or use the student storage system offered through the school for which a fee is payable.

Earlscliffe academic year students may be asked to vacate their rooms during half-terms to accommodate fellow Earlscliffe students staying on campus. Accommodation is available for students at Half term for an additional cost. Please ask for more details.

Staff Inset Days : 2,3 September 2024, 6 January 2025 and 25 April 2025