

# Bootham Senior School Term Dates

## Academic Year 2025/2026

Autumn Term 2025		
All new Boarders plus all returning College One and Two Boarders arrive to Boarding Houses		Sunday 31 August, 14:00 – 17:00 followed by House induction, BBQ and games
All returning Schoolrooms and Seniors Boarders arrive to Boarding Houses		Monday 1 September, 12:00 - 20:00
New students' Induction Day for all new students		Monday 1 September, 09:00 – 13:00 for all new day and boarding students and their families
All returning College One and College Two students		Monday 1 September, 10:00 – 13:00
Term Starts for all students		Tuesday 2 September, 08:40
Half Term begins		Friday 17 October, 16:00
Boarders return to school		Sunday 2 November, 17:00 – 20:00
School recommences		Monday 3 November, 08:40
Term Ends		Friday 12 December, 16:00
Teaching Saturdays 6/9/25, 13/9/25, 27/9/25, 11/10/25, 8/11/25, 22/11/25, 6/12/25 Non-Teaching Saturdays 20/9/25, 15/11/25	Full Leave Weekend 1 Starts 17:15 Friday 3/10/25 Boarders may return 17:00 Sun 5/10/25 Teaching commences Mon 6/10/25	Full Leave Weekend 2 Starts 17:15 Friday 28/11/25 Boarders may return 17:00 Sun 30/11/25 Teaching commences Mon 1/12/25 <b>Boarders' Trip weekend</b>
Spring Term 2026		
Boarders return to school		Tuesday 6 January, 12:00 – 20:00
Term Starts		Wednesday 7 January, 08:40
Half Term begins		Friday 13 February, 16:00
Boarders return to school		Sunday 22 February, 17:00 – 20:00
School recommences		Monday 23 February, 08:40
Term Ends		Friday 27 March, 16:00
Teaching Saturdays 10/1/26, 24/1/26, 7/2/26, 28/2/26, 14/3/26, 21/3/26 Non-Teaching Saturdays 17/1/26, 7/3/26	Full Leave Weekend Starts 17:15 Friday 30/1/26 Boarders may return 17:00 Sun 1/2/26 Teaching commences Mon 2/2/26	
Summer Term 2026		
Boarders return to school		Sunday 19 April, 12:00 – 20:00
Term Starts		Monday 20 April, 08:40
Half Term begins		Friday 22 May, 16:00
Boarders return to school		Sunday 31 May, 17:00 – 20:00
School recommences		Monday 1 June, 08:40
Term Ends		Friday 3 July, 16:00
Teaching Saturdays 25/4/26, 9/5/26, 16/5/26, 6/6/26, 13/6/26, 27/6/26 (Parents' Day) Non-Teaching Saturdays 20/6/26	Full Leave Weekend Starts 17:15 Friday 1/5/26 Boarders may return 17:00 Mon 4/5/26 Teaching commences Tue 5/5/26	

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Autumn Term 2026		
All new Boarders plus all returning College One and Two Boarders arrive to Boarding Houses		Sunday 6 September, 14:00 – 17:00 followed by House Induction
All returning Schoolrooms and Seniors Boarders arrive to Boarding Houses		Monday 7 September, 12:00 - 20:00
New students' Induction Day for all new students		Monday 7 September, 09:00 – 13:00 for all new Day and Boarding students and their families
All returning College One and College Two students		Monday 7 September, 10:00 – 13:00
Term Starts for all students		Tuesday 8 September, 08:40
Half Term begins		Friday 16 October, 16:00
Boarders return to school		Sunday 1 November, 17:00 – 20:00
School recommences		Monday 2 November, 08:40
Term Ends		Friday 11 December, 16:00
Teaching Saturdays 12/9/26, 26/9/26, 10/10/26, 7/11/26, 21/11/26, 5/12/26 Non-Teaching Saturdays 19/9/26, 14/11/26	Full Leave Weekend 1 Starts 17:15 Friday 2/10/26 Boarders may return 17:00 Sun 4/10/26 Teaching commences Mon 5/10/26	Full Leave Weekend 2 Starts 17:15 Friday 27/11/26 Boarders may return 17:00 Sun 29/11/26 Teaching commences Mon 30/11/26 <b>Boarders' Trip weekend</b>
Spring Term 2027		
Boarders return to school		Tuesday 5 January, 12:00 – 20:00
Term Starts		Wednesday 6 January, 08:40
Half Term begins		Friday 5 February, 16:00
Boarders return to school		Sunday 14 February, 17:00 – 20:00
School recommences		Monday 15 February, 08:40
Term Ends		Friday 19 March, 16:00
Teaching Saturdays 9/1/27, 16/1/27, 30/1/27, 20/2/27, 27/2/27, 13/3/27 Non-Teaching Saturdays 6/3/27	Full Leave Weekend Starts 17:15 Friday 22/1/27 Boarders may return 17:00 Sun 24/1/27 Teaching commences Mon 25/1/27	
Summer Term 2027		
Boarders return to school		Sunday 11 April, 12:00 – 20:00
Term Starts		Monday 12 April, 08:40
Half Term begins		Friday 28 May, 16:00
Boarders return to school		Sunday 6 June, 17:00 – 20:00
School recommences		Monday 7 June, 08:40
Term Ends		Friday 9 July, 16:00
Teaching Saturdays 17/4/27, 24/4/27, 8/5/27, 22/5/27, 12/6/27, 19/6/27, 3/7/27 (Parents' Day) Non-Teaching Saturdays 15/5/27, 26/6/27	Full Leave Weekend Starts 17:15 Friday 30/4/27 Boarders may return 17:00 Mon 3/5/27 Teaching commences Tue 4/5/27	