

Bootham Senior School Term Dates

Academic Year 2024/2025

Autumn Term 2024		
New Boarders and Boarders returning to College One and College Two arrive		Sunday 1 September, 14:00 – 17:00 followed by House induction, BBQ and games
New Students' Induction Day. All new Day and Boarding students		Monday 2 September, 09:00 – 13:00 for all new day and boarding students and their families
New Boarding students entering College will join all returning College One and College Two Students		Monday 2 September, 10:00 – 13:00
Schoolroom and Senior Boarders return to school		Monday 2 September, 12:00 - 20:00
Term Starts		Tuesday 3 September, 08:40
Half Term begins		Friday 18 October, 16:00
Boarders return to school		Sunday 3 November, 17:00 – 20:00
School recommences		Monday 4 November, 08:40
Term Ends		Friday 13 December, 16:00
Teaching Saturdays 7/9/24, 21/9/24, 28/9/24 12/10/24, 9/11/24, 23/11/24, 7/12/24	Non-Teaching Saturdays 14/9/24, 5/10/24 (Boarders' Trip) 30/11/24	Full Leave Weekend Starts 17:15 Friday 15/11/24 Boarders may return 17:00 Sun 17/11/24 Teaching commences Mon 18/11/24
Spring Term 2025		
Boarders return to school		Monday 6 January, 12:00 – 20:00
Term Starts		Tuesday 7 January, 08:40
Half Term begins		Friday 14 February, 16:00
Boarders return to school		Sunday 23 February, 17:00 – 20:00
School recommences		Monday 24 February, 08:40
Term Ends		Friday 28 March, 16:00
Teaching Saturdays 11/1/25, 25/1/25, 8/2/25, 1/3/25, 8/3/25, 22/3/25	Non-Teaching Saturdays 18/1/25, 15/3/25	Full Leave Weekend Starts 17:15 Friday 31/1/25 Boarders may return 17:00 Sun 2/2/25 Teaching commences Mon 3/2/25
Summer Term 2025		
Boarders return to school		Monday 21 April, 12:00 – 20:00
Term Starts		Tuesday 22 April, 08:40
Half Term begins		Thursday 22 May, 16:00
Friday 23 May		School is open today for those sitting a public exam
Boarders return to school		Sunday 1 June, 17:00 – 20:00
School recommences		Monday 2 June, 08:40
Term Ends		Friday 4 July, 16:00
Teaching Saturdays 26/4/25, 10/5/25, 17/5/25, 7/6/25, 14/6/25, 28/6/25 (Parents' Day)	Non-Teaching Saturdays 21/6/25	Full Leave Weekend Starts 17:15 Friday 2/5/25 Boarders may return 17:00 Mon 5/5/25 Teaching commences Tue 6/5/25

Bootham Senior School Term Dates

Academic Year 2025/2026

Autumn Term 2025		
New Boarders and Boarders returning to College One and College Two arrive		Sunday 31 August, 14:00 – 17:00 followed by House induction, BBQ and games
New Students' Induction Day. All new Day and Boarding students		Monday 1 September, 09:00 – 13:00 for all new day and boarding students and their families
New Boarding students entering College will join all returning College One and College Two Students		Monday 1 September, 10:00 – 13:00
Schoolroom and Senior Boarders return to school		Monday 1 September, 12:00 - 20:00
Term Starts		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, 4/10/25 (Boarder's Trip) 15/11/25	Full Leave Weekend Starts 17:15 Friday 28/11/25 Boarders may return 17:00 Sun 30/11/25 Teaching commences Mon 01/12/25
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