



# NEWSTEAD WOOD SCHOOL

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26 September 2024

Dear Parent/Carer

## Term Dates 2025-6

I am writing with details of our term dates for the 2025-6 school year.

After consideration of feedback, we have decided to fall in line with the Bromley Schools Term Dates and adopt a two-week October half term break. This will provide students and staff with a much-needed break during the long winter term and will give families the opportunity to take a holiday outside of the most expensive summer months. It will also make it easier for parents with children in more than one Bromley school as half term breaks should now match up across the borough. I hope you will find this a positive development.

To allow for the additional week in October, we need to return to school earlier for the start of the autumn term. Our term will officially start on Wednesday 27 August with three CPD days. Year 7 and 12 students will start on Monday 1 September and the rest of the students will return to school on Tuesday 2 September.

Full term dates for the year are below and can also be found on our website.

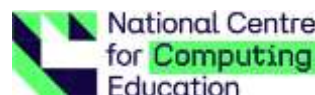
Yours sincerely

**Alan Blount**  
**Headteacher**

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## School Term and Holiday Dates

### September 2025 – July 2026

#### Autumn 2025

**Term:** Wednesday 27 August – Friday 17 October

Wednesday 27 August – CPD Day **closed to students**

Thursday 28 August – CPD Day **closed to students**

Friday 29 August – CPD Day **closed to students**

Monday 1 September – Open to Year 7 and 12

Tuesday 2 September – All students return to school

Friday 26 September – Selection Test Day **closed to students**

**Half Term:** Monday 20 October – Friday 31 October

**Term:** Monday 3 November – Friday 19 December

Monday 3 November – CPD Day **closed to students**

Friday 28 November – CPD Day **closed to students**

#### Spring 2026

**Term:** Monday 5 January – Friday 13 February

Monday 5 January – CPD Day **closed to students**

**Half Term:** Monday 16 February – Friday 20 February

**Term:** Monday 23 February – Friday 27 March

(Good Friday 3 April, Easter Monday 6 April)

#### Summer 2026

**Term:** Monday 13 April – Friday 22 May

(Bank Holiday 4 May)

Monday 13 April – CPD Day **closed to students**

**Half Term:** Monday 25 May – Friday 29 May

**Term:** Monday 1 June – Wednesday 22 July