

Autumn term 2026-2027

WEEK		NATIONAL AWARENESS DAYS, RELIGIOUS FESTIVALS AND EVENTS THIS WEEK	PROPOSED ASSEMBLY TOPIC(S)
1	1 to 4 September		M – Teacher Training Day T – Teacher Training Day W – New School Year - CM Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
2	7 to 11 September	• International Literacy Day (8th September)	M – Vicar's - JC T – PSCO Singh - CM W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
3	14 to 18 September	• International Day of Democracy (15 September)	M – Vicar's - JC T – Democracy (International Day of Democracy) - CM W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
4	21 to 25 September	• Jeans for Genes (begins 19 September) • International Day of Peace (21 September) • Rosh Hashanah (25 to 27 September)	M – Vicar's - JC T – Democracy and who fought for it - CM W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Rosh Hashanah - JR F – Celebration - CM

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5	28 to 2 September/ Oct	• European Day of Languages (26 September) • Black History Month (begins 1 October) • Mahatma Gandhi's birthday (2 October)	M – Vicar's - JC T – Individual Liberty - CM W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
6	5 to 9 October	• Yom Kippur (begins 4 October) • World Space Week (begins 4 October) • World Teachers' Day (5 October) • WaCM & Roll to School Day (5 October) • The Prophet Muhammad's birthday (8 October) • Sukkot (begins 9 October)	M – Vicar's - JC T – The Rule of Law - CM W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
7	12 to 16 October	• World Mental Health Day (10 October) • National Braille Week (begins 11 October) • Ada Lovelace Day (11 October) • World Food Day (16 October)	M – Vicar's - JC T – Tolerance CM W – Wellbeing Wednesday (World Mental Health Day) – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
8	19 to 23 October	• International Day for the Eradication of Poverty (17 October) • Anti-Slavery Day (18 October) • International Stammering Awareness Day (22 October)	M – Vicar's - JC T – Poverty/Harvest Festival (link to Hub food bank?) W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
HT	26 to 30 October	• Diwali/Deepavali (24 October)	N/A (half term)

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9	2 to 6 November	• Hallowe'en (31 October) • All Saints' Day (1 November) • Guy Fawkes Day (5 November)	M – Vicar's - JC T – Firework/Bonfire Safety (Fire Brigade?) - CM W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
10	9 to 13 November	• Marie Curie's birthday (7 November) • Birthday of Guru Nanak (8 November) • World Science Day (10 November) • Armistice/Remembrance Day (11 November)	M – Vicar's - JC T – World Science Day – FB W – Remembrance Day - CM Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
11	16 to 20 November	• World Diabetes Day (14 November) • Road Safety Week (begins 14 November) • Anti-Bullying Week (begins 14 November) • Children in Need (18 November) • World Children's Day (20 November)	M – Vicar's - JC T – Road Safety – CM (invite guest speaker) W – Anti-bullying week – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
12	23 to 27 November	• Disability History Month (begins 22 November) • Mary Seacole's birthday (23 November) • Advent (begins 27 November)	M – Vicar's - JC T – Celebrating Diversity – para Olympians W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM

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13	30 November to 4 December	• St Andrew's Day (30 November) • International Day for the Abolition of Slavery (2 December) • International Day of People with Disabilities (3 December)	M – Vicar's - JC T – Human Rights - CM W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
14	7 to 11 December	• Human Rights Day (10 December)	Christmas Dress Rehearsals etc.
15	14 to 18 December	• Jane Austen's birthday (16 December) • Hanukkah (18 to 26 December)	Party Week Th – Achievers
Winter break	19 to 30 December	• Christmas Day (25 December) • Boxing Day (26 December) • New Year's Eve (31 December) • New Year's Day (1 January)	N/A

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1	4 to 8 January	• Epiphany (6 January) • Stephen Hawking's birthday (8 January)	M – Vicar's - JC T – Protected Characteristics (age) - CM W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
2	11 to 15 January	• World Religion Day (15 January)	M – Vicar's - JC T – World Religions – 6 key religions - CM W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing/Discuss Martin Luther King- JR F – Celebration - CM
3	18 to 23 January	• Dr. Martin Luther King Jr Day (16 January) • Lunar New Year (22 January)	M – Vicar's - JC T – Protected Characteristics (race) W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
4	25 to 29 January	• Burns Night (25 January) • Holocaust Memorial Day (27 January)	M – Vicar's - JC T – Protected Characteristics (disabilities) W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM

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5	1 to 5 February	• LGBT+ History Month (begins 1 February) • Candlemas (2 February) • World Cancer Day (4 February) • Rosa Parks' birthday (4 February) • Children's Mental Health Week (begins 4 February)	M – Vicar's - JC T – Protected Characteristics - religion W – Children's Mental Health Week – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
6	8 to 12 February	• Tu B'Shevat (Arbor Day) (6 February) • Charles Dickens' birthday (7 February) • Safer Internet Day (7 February) • Darwin Day (12 February)	M – Vicar's - JC T – Safer Internet Day – Rach Lauder W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
7	15 to 20 February	• Valentine's Day (14 February) • Isra and Mi'raj (18 February)	N/A (half term)
HT	22 to 26 February	• Shrove Tuesday (21 February) • Ash Wednesday (Lent begins) (22 February)	M – Vicar's - JC T – Protected Characteristics - religion W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
8	1 to 5 March	• Women's History Month (begins 1 March) • St David's Day (1 March) • World Book Day (2 March)	M – Vicar's - JC T – World Book Day - JR W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Protected Characteristics - sex F – Celebration - CM

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9	6 to 10 March	• Holi (7 March) • Purim (7 March) • Mother's Day (7th March)	M – Vicar's - JC T – Mother's Day on 7 th March - CM W – Holi Festival – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
10	8 to 12 March	• Pi Day (14 March) • St Patrick's Day (17 March)	M – Vicar's - JC T – St Patrick's Day - CM W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
11	15 to 19 March	• International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination (21 March) • World Poetry Day (21 March) • World Water Day (22 March) • Ramadan begins (23 March)	M – Vicar's - JC T – World Poetry Day – Share Poems - JR W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Looking after the Environment - CM F – Celebration - CM
12	22 to 26 March	• April Fool's Day (1 April) • World Autism Awareness Day (2 April) • Palm Sunday (2 April)	M – Vicar's - JC T – W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Easter Holidays starts
Easter Holidays	29 to 2 March/April		N/A – Easter Holidays
Easter Holidays	5 to 9 April		N/A - Easter Holidays

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1	12 to 16 April	• Yom HaShoah (18 April) • Ramadan ends (21 April) • Eid ul-Fitr (22 April) • Earth Day (22 April) • Stephen Lawrence Day (22 April) • Shakespeare's birthday (23 April) • St George's Day (23 April)	M – Vicar's - JC T – St George's Day - CM W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
2	19 to 23 April		M – Vicar's - JC T – Protected characteristics - Race W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
3	26 to 30 April	• World Asthma Day (2 May) • World Press Freedom Day (3 May) • Bike & Roll to School Day (3 May)	M – Vicar's - JC T – Free Speech - CM W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
4	3 to 7 May	• VE Day (8 May) • Florence Nightingale's birthday (12 May)	M - 3 rd May – May Day T – VE Day - CM W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM

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5	10 to 14 May	International Day Against Homophobia, Transphobia, and Biphobia (17 May) International Museum Day (18 May)	M – Vicar's - JC T – Protected characteristics – sexual orientation - CM W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
6	17 to 21 May	Pentecost (28 May)	M – Vicar's - JC T – Mutual Respect and Tolerance - CM W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
HT	24 to 28 May	Gypsy, Roma and Traveller History Month (begins 1 June)	M – Vicar's - JC T – Tolerance - CM W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
	31 May to 4 June		N/A – Half Term
7	7 to 11 June	World Environment Day (5 June) Anniversary of D-Day (6 June) World Oceans Day (8 June) Millicent Garrett Fawcett's birthday (11 June)	M – Vicar's - JC T – Environment (Eco Council to host) - CM W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
8	14 to 18 June	Father's Day (20 June)	M – Vicar's - JC T – Families - CM W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Father's Day

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9	21 to 25 June	• World Refugee Day (20 June) • Make Music Day (21 June) • Windrush Day (22 June) • Alan Turing's birthday (23 June)	M – Vicar's - JC T – Refugees - CM W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
10	28 June to 2 July		M – Vicar's - JC T – Rule of Law – Preet CM W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
11	5 to 9 July	• Frida Kahlo's birthday (6 July)	M – Vicar's - JC T – Individual Liberty - CM W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
12	12 to 16 July	• Malala Yousafzai's birthday (12 July) • Emmeline Pankhurst's birthday (15 July)	M – Vicar's - JC T – Democracy (revisit Emmeline P) - CM W – Wellbeing Wednesday – FB Th – Singing - JR F – Celebration - CM
13	19 to 23 July	• Mandela Day (18 July)	Final week – Sports Days/ Leaver's assemblies