

BUCKLAND NEWTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

KEY EVENTS - 2025/26

ALL EVENTS ARE SUBJECTS TO CHANGE

Date	Time	Key Event - Description	Classes Involved	Location	Comments
AUTUMN TERM					
September 2025					
Monday 8th September	8.35am	All Children Back to School	All	School	Gates open 8.35am, Registration 8.45am.
w/c Mon 8th September	After School	NO SCHOOL RUN AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS THIS WEEK	-	-	School clubs will start w/c Monday 15th September. Return consent forms by Friday 12th September.
Tuesday 9th September	9.30am - 12pm	Willow Class visit Gaia Art Exhibition	Year 5/6	Sherborne Abbey	Letters sent out and all permissions received.
w/c Mon 15th September	3.15pm - 4.15pm	School run clubs and Drama Club start	Those children signed up for clubs	School	Text messages will be sent to confirm if your child has a place in a club.
October 2025					
w/c 6th October	3.30pm - 6.30pm	Parents Meetings	All	Classrooms	Dates to be confirmed - appointments to follow.
Friday 10th October	1.30pm - 3.45pm	Willow Class Science Visit	Year 5/6	Sherborne Girls' School	More information to follow.
Thursday 23rd October	3.15pm - 5pm	FBNS Autumn Party	All	School Hall	More information to follow.
Friday 24th October	All Day	INSET DAY - SCHOOL CLOSED	All	-	-
Mon 27th-Fri 31st October	All Week	HALF TERM - SCHOOL CLOSED	All	-	-
November 2025					
Monday 3rd November	All Day	Back to School	All	School	Gates open 8.35am
Wednesday 5th November	AM	Whole school flu immunisations	All	School Hall	More information to follow
Tuesday 11th November	PM	Remembrance Day Assembly	All	School Hall	In school only - not for parents and carers.
Tuesday 18th November	AM	Fraser Portraits - Individual Photos	All	School Hall	More information nearer the time.
Friday 21st November	All Day	Children in Need Day	All	School	More information to follow.
Friday 28th November	All Day	Non-Uniform Day for Christmas Fayre	All	School	Information re donations to follow.
December 2025					
Friday 5th December	5-7pm	FBNS Christmas Fayre	All	School Hall	More information to follow.
Monday 8th December	PM	Nativity Dress Rehearsal	Reception, Year 1/2	School Hall	Performance to rest of school.
Tuesday 9th December	2-3pm	EYFS/KS1 Nativity Performance	Reception, Year 1/2	School Hall	More information to follow.
Wednesday 10th December	2-3pm	EYFS/KS1 Nativity Performance	Reception, Year 1/2	School Hall	More information to follow.
Thursday 11th December	12:00 PM	Whole School Christmas Lunch	All	Gaggle of Geese	More information to follow.
Monday 15th December	12.30pm - 4.30pm	KS2 Pantomime Visit	Years 3, 4, 5 & 6	Westlands	More information to follow.
	PM	EYFS/KS1/Pre-school Christmas Party	Pre-school, R, 1 & 2	School Hall	More information to follow.
Wednesday 17th December	2:00 PM	Carol Service	All	Church of the Holy Rood	More information to follow.
Thursday 18th December	All Day	Last day of term	-	-	-
Friday 19th December	All Day	INSET DAY - SCHOOL CLOSED	All	-	-
Monday 22nd December - Friday 2nd January	All Day	CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS - SCHOOL CLOSED	All	-	-
SPRING TERM					
January 2026					
Monday 5th January 2026	8.35am	All children back to school	All	School	Gates open at 8.35am.
Friday 9th January	PM	Wassail with Canon Still	All	School	Children may bring something noisy to bang/rattle.
Tuesday 20th January	All Day	Panto in a Day	Year 6	Village Hall	More information to follow.
February 2026					
Friday 6th February	3.15pm - 5pm	FBNS Movie Night	All	School Hall	More information to follow.
Mon 16th - Fri 20th February	All Week	HALF TERM - SCHOOL CLOSED	All	-	-
Monday 23rd February	All Day	INSET DAY - SCHOOL CLOSED	All	-	-
Tuesday 24th February	All Day	Back to school	All	School	Gates open at 8.35am

Tues 24th February - Tues 3rd March	All Day	Scholastic Book Fayre in School	All	School	More information to follow.
March 2026					
Thursday 5th March	All Day	World Book Day	All	School	Children may come dressed up as favourite book character or word.
Friday 15th March	All Day	Non-Uniform Day for Easter Bingo	All	School	Donations for Easter Bingo would be appreciated.
w/c Monday 16th March	3.30pm - 6.30pm	Parents' Meetings	All	Classrooms	Dates to be confirmed, appointments to follow.
Friday 20th March	All Day	Red Nose Day	All	School	More information to follow.
	5pm - 7pm	FBNS Easter Bingo	All	School Hall	More information to follow.
Monday 23rd March	1.45pm	Easter Service	All	Church of the Holy Rood	All welcome.
Weds 25th - Thurs 26th March	All Day	Leeson House Residential Visit	Year 5	Leeson House	More information to follow.
Monday 30th March - Friday 10th April	All Day	EASTER HOLIDAYS - SCHOOL CLOSED	All	-	-
SUMMER TERM					
April 2026					
Monday 13th April	All Day	INSET DAY - SCHOOL CLOSED			
May 2026					
Monday 4th May	All Day	BANK HOLIDAY - SCHOOL CLOSED	All	-	-
Mon 11th - Thurs 14th May	AM	SATs Week	Year 6	Willow Classroom	More information to follow.
Friday 15th May	PM	FBNS Sponsored Run	All	School	More information to follow.
Mon 18th - Weds 20th May	AM	Bikeability Levels 1 & 2	Year 5	Playground / Off Site	More information to follow.
Mon 25th - Friday 29th May	All Week	HALF TERM - SCHOOL CLOSED	All	-	-
June 2026					
W/C 2nd June 2025	All week	Year 4 Multiplication Check	Year 4	Oak Class	More information to follow.
Wednesday 3rd June	4.45pm - 5.45pm	Brenscombe Residential Parents' Meeting	Year 6	School Hall	More information to follow.
Friday 12th June	AM	Fraser Portraits - Class & Leavers Photos	All	School Hall	More information to follow.
Tuesday 16th June	PM	M&M Productions - Wizard of Oz	All	School Hall	More information to follow.
Friday 19th June	9.15am - 12pm	Sports Day	All	Playing Field	More information to follow.
Friday 26th June	All Day	Non-uniform Day for Summer Fayre	All	School Hall	Donations for Summer Fayre prizes
Monday 29th June	9.15am - 12pm	Reserve Sports Day	All	Playing Field	More information to follow.
Tuesday 30th June	8am - 2.30pm	Salisbury Cathedral Leavers' Service	Year 6	Salisbury Cathedral	More information to follow.
July 2026					
Weds 1st - Fri 3rd July	All Day	Brenscombe Residential Visit	Year 6	Brenscombe Activity Centre	More information to follow.
Tuesday 7th July	AM	Dorset Transition Day ('Move up Day')	All	School	Year 6 to secondary schools, all years to new classes and new Reception children in Beech Class.
Thursday 9th July	5pm - 6pm	New Reception Parents' Meeting	New Reception	Beech Classroom	More information to follow.
Friday 10th July	TTBC	FBNS Summer Spectacular	All	Playfields & School	More information to follow.
Thursday 16th July	8.45am - 12pm	New Reception in Beech Class	New Reception	Beech Classroom	Taster morning for new Reception children.
	6pm - 7.30pm	Leavers' Production	Year 5/6	Village Hall	
Friday 17th July	-	Reports to Parents	All	-	End of Year reports being sent home.
Monday 20th July	1.45pm - 3pm	Leavers' Service	Year 6	Church of the Holy Rood	Year 6 Leavers' Service.
	3.15pm - 6pm	Leavers' Celebrations	Year 6	Playground/Hall	Year 6 party and celebrations.
Wednesday 22nd July	-	Last Day of Term	All	-	Break up for Summer holidays.
Thursday 23rd July - Monday 31st August	-	SUMMER HOLIDAYS - SCHOOL CLOSED	-	-	-
AUTUMN TERM					
September 2026					
Tuesday 1st September	All Day	INSET DAY - SCHOOL CLOSED	-	-	-

Wednesday 2nd September	All Day	INSET DAY SCHOOL CLOSED	-	-	-
Thursday 3rd September	All Day	All children back to school	All	School	Gates open at 8.35am.