



Sandford Park School

School Spring Term Calendar 2023/2024

Provisional 14/12/2023

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| January | 8 | Mon | School re-opens (full day). Staff Meeting/Subject Department Planning 4.00 p.m. – 5.00 p.m. |
| | 9 | Tues | First Year Parent Teacher Meeting for parents and students from 4.15 p.m. to 6.45 p.m. School closes at 3.25 p.m. |
| | 11-13 | Thurs - Sat | BT Young Scientist Exhibition, RDS – Form 2 visit on Friday 12th January. |
| | 15 | Mon | Wellness Week. Third Year Parent Teacher Meeting for parents and students from 4.15 p.m. to 6.45 p.m. School closes at 3.25 p.m. |
| | 16 | Tues | School closed for students. Whole School Staff Professional Learning Day. |
| | 18 | Thurs | Staff Meeting 4.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. |
| | 23 | Tues | TY Parent Teacher Meeting for parents and students from 4.15 p.m. to 6.45 p.m. School closes at 3.25 p.m. |
| | 28 | Sun | Play Dress Rehearsal. |
| February | 30 Jan – 1 Feb | Tues - Thurs | School Play – <i>The Crucible</i> in the Lilburn Hall at 7.30 p.m. |
| | 5 | Mon | Public Holiday. School closed. |
| | 6 | Tues | Safer Internet Day. |
| | 8 | Thurs | Incoming 5 th Year Information and Orientation Meeting for Parents and Students (2024/2025) at 7.00 p.m. in the Lilburn Hall. |
| | 9* | Fri | Mid-Term break commences. School closes at 3.40 p.m. *where contingency arrangements are required to make up time lost due to unforeseen school closures, Sandford Park School may reduce the length of the February mid-term break by remaining open up to and including Wednesday 14 th February 2024. |
| | 19 | Mon | School re-opens (full day) Mock exams for 3 rd Year & 6 th Year begin. TY Life Experience Block 2: Work placement or Home Management module. |
| | 22/23 | Thurs | First Year Sports Trip (overnight). |
| | 23 | Fri | Mock examinations for 3 rd Years finish. |
| | 26 | Mon | TY Day Hike to Glendalough. |
| | 27 | Tues | Mock examinations for 6 th Years finish. |
| | 29 | Thurs | Battle of the Bands at 7.00 p.m. in the Lilburn Hall. |
| March | 4 | Mon | World Book Week. Incoming Transition Year Information and Orientation Meeting for parents and students (2024/2025) at 7.00 p.m. in the Lilburn Hall. |
| | 7 | Thurs | Staff Planning and Subject Department Meeting 4.00 p.m. – 6.00 p.m. |
| | 11 | Mon | Seachtain na Gaeilge. |
| | 12 | Tues | Form 1 Hockey Cup Blitz. |
| | 14 | Thurs | TY Bushcraft Survival Course. |
| | 18 | Mon | School closed - St Patrick's Day. |

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| | 19 | Tues | Jour de la Francophonie. |
| | 21 | Thurs | Music Trip to Boston departs and returns Wednesday 27 th March. |
| | 22 * | Fri | Spring term ends. School closes *where contingency arrangements are required to make up time lost due to unforeseen school closures, Sandford Park School may reduce the length of the Easter break by remaining open up to and including Wednesday 27 th April 2024. |
| SUMMER TERM 2024 | | | |
| April | 8 | Mon | School re-opens (full day). Standardised Testing for Year 2. |
| | 9 | Tues | Standardised Testing for Year 2. |
| | 16 | Tues | Sandford Union / P.T.A. Mock interviews with 5 th Year students. |
| | 18 | Thurs | TY Overnight Hike departs 8.40 a.m. |
| | 19 | Fri | TY Overnight Hike returns 3.00 p.m. |
| | 23 | Tues | Staff Meeting 4.00 p.m. – 6.00 p.m. |
| | 24 | Wed | Prefect Training Workshop 1.30 p.m. – 3.30 p.m. |
| | 25 | Thurs | Instrumental and Vocal Recital in the Lilburn Hall at 7.00 p.m. |
| May | 6 | Mon | Public Holiday. School closed. |
| | 9 | Thurs | Summer Concert at 7.00 p.m. in the Lilburn Hall. |
| | 13 | Mon | Staff and Subject Planning Meeting 4.00 p.m. – 6.00 p.m. |
| | 14 | Tues | Transition Year Celebration Evening at 7.00 p.m. Lilburn Hall. |
| | 16 | Thurs | Sports Day for TY and 6 th Years 8.40 a.m. to 3.00 p.m. |
| | 17 | Fri | P.T.A. Summer Party. |
| | 20 | Mon | House examinations begin for Years 1, 2, TY and 5. Classes continue for Years 3 and 6. |
| | 22 | Weds | Transition Year Activities Day. |
| | 23 | Thurs | Transition Year Portfolio Assessment. Last day of formal classes for 6 th Year. Whole school assembly for 6 th Year Graduation at 1.30 p.m. Years 1, 2, 3, TY and 5 to attend and finish school at approx. 2.30 p.m. after assembly. (Students to bring a packed lunch). |
| | 24 | Fri | House examinations finish except for 5 th Years. 3 rd Year classes finish at 12.20 p.m. Transition Year end of year excursion. 6 th Year Outing 9.00 a.m. – 3.00 p.m. 6 th Year Dinner in the School at 7.00 p.m. |
| | 27 | Mon | Classes recommence for 1-3 Year students. Full school day. TY Option Français Trip to Paris departs. Exams continue for 5 th Years. TY Life Experience Block 3: Work placement or Home Management module. |
| | 28 | Tues | Sports Day for 3 rd and 5 th Years 8.40 a.m. to 3.00 p.m. Staff and Subject Planning Meeting 4.00 p.m. – 5.30 p.m. |
| | 30 | Thurs | Sports Day for 1 st and 2 nd Years 8.40 a.m. to 3.00 p.m. TY Option Français Trip to Paris returns. |
| | 31 | Fri | Summer Term ends. School closes at 1.00 p.m. |
| June | 5 | Weds | State Examinations begin. |