

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Executive Decision Record

Decision Maker:	Executive Member for Education
Date:	27 February 2017
Title:	School term and holiday dates for 2018/19
Reference:	8185
Report From:	Director of Children's Services

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1. The decision:

- 1.1 That the Executive Member for Education approves the school term and holiday dates that are supported by representative members of Hampshire County Council's (HCC) Conditions of Service Working Party (CoSWoP) and are set out in Appendix 1 of this decision record, for the school year 2018/19. This decision amends the decision taken on 18 January 2017 which erroneously set a pattern of term and holiday dates of 196 and not the statutorily required 195 school days.

2. Reasons for the decision:

- 2.1 This decision sets out the proposed pattern of school terms and holiday dates in 2018/19 to be followed by Hampshire's community and voluntary controlled schools. The decision supersedes the decision taken on 18 January 2017 in order to correct an error in the pattern of term and holiday dates. The school term and holiday dates adopt an obvious pattern dictated by the position of Christmas and Easter. A similar pattern is likely to be adopted in many other local authorities. The new pattern differs from that agreed on 18 January 2017 in that it has only 195 days by removing Wednesday 24th July 2019 from the summer term, making it the first day of the summer holiday. Tuesday 23rd July 2019 becomes the last day of the summer term.
- 2.2 The report received by the Executive Member for Education on 18 January 2017 details public consultation with Hampshire schools and other interested parties. The proposed pattern had also received the support of the CoSWoP. This decision, to make a correction to the length of the 2019 summer term, takes into account the consultation that was carried out and aligns with the principles around the key areas of Christmas and Easter as agreed by CoSWoP.

3. Conflicts of interest:

- 3.1. Conflicts of interest declared by the decision-maker.

3.2. Conflicts of interest declared by other Executive Members consulted.

4. Dispensation granted by the Conduct Advisory Panel: none.

5. Reason(s) for the matter being dealt with if urgent: not applicable.

6. Statement from the Decision Maker:

Approved by:

Date:

27 February 2017

Executive Member for Education
Councillor P Edgar

Pattern of School Term and Holiday Dates 2018/19

SEPTEMBER 2018								OCTOBER 2018							NOVEMBER 2018					
M		3	10	17	24			M	1	8	15	22	29		M		5	12	19	26
T		4	11	18	25			T	2	9	16	23	30		T		6	13	20	27
W		5	12	19	26			W	3	10	17	24	31		W		7	14	21	28
T		6	13	20	27			T	4	11	18	25			T	1	8	15	22	29
F		7	14	21	28			F	5	12	19	26			F	2	9	16	23	30
S	1	8	15	22	29			S	6	13	20	27			S	3	10	17	24	
S	2	9	16	23	30			S	7	14	21	28			S	4	11	18	25	
DECEMBER 2018								JANUARY 2019							FEBRUARY 2019					
M		3	10	17	24	31		M		7	14	21	28		M		4	11	18	25
T		4	11	18	25			T	1	8	15	22	29		T		5	12	19	26
W		5	12	19	26			W	2	9	16	23	30		W		6	13	20	27
T		6	13	20	27			T	3	10	17	24	31		T		7	14	21	28
F		7	14	21	28			F	4	11	18	25			F	1	8	15	22	
S	1	8	15	22	29			S	5	12	19	26			S	2	9	16	23	
S	2	9	16	23	30			S	6	13	20	27			S	3	10	17	24	
MARCH 2019								APRIL 2019							MAY 2019					
M		4	11	18	25			M	1	8	15	22	29		M		6	13	20	27
T		5	12	19	26			T	2	9	16	23	30		T		7	14	21	28
W		6	13	20	27			W	3	10	17	24			W	1	8	15	22	29
T		7	14	21	28			T	4	11	18	25			T	2	9	16	23	30
F	1	8	15	22	29			F	5	12	19	26			F	3	10	17	24	31
S	2	9	16	23	30			S	6	13	20	27			S	4	11	18	25	
S	3	10	17	24	31			S	7	14	21	28			S	5	12	19	26	
JUNE 2019								JULY 2019							AUGUST 2019					
M		3	10	17	24			M	1	8	15	22	29		M		5	12	19	26
T		4	11	18	25			T	2	9	16	23	30		T		6	13	20	27
W		5	12	19	26			W	3	10	17	24	31		W		7	14	21	28
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S	2	9	16	23	30			S	7	14	21	28			S	4	11	18	25	
Bank and Public Holidays 2018/2019																				
Christmas Day					25 December 2018					Easter Monday					22 April 2019					
Boxing Day					26 December 2018					May Day Holiday					6 May 2019					
New Year's Day					1 January 2019					Spring Bank Holiday					27 May 2019					
Good Friday					19 April 2019					Summer Bank Holiday					26 August 2019					



School Holidays



Bank Holidays and National Holidays

** see overleaf

Pattern of School Term and Holiday Dates 2018/19

Autumn Term 2018 starts on Monday 3 September 2018 and ends on Friday 21 December 2018 (Half term from Monday 22 October to Friday 26 October 2018)

Spring Term 2019 starts on Monday 7 January 2019 and ends on Friday 5 April 2019 (Half term from Monday 18 February to Friday 22 February 2019)

Summer Term 2019 starts on Tuesday 23 April 2019 and ends on Tuesday 23 July 2019 (Half term from Monday 27 May to Friday 31 May 2019)

Term	Start date	End Date
Autumn 2018	3 September 2018	21 December 2018
	Half term 22 – 26 October 2018	
Spring 2019	7 January 2019	5 April 2019
	Half term 18 - 22 February 2019	
Summer 2019	23 April 2019	23 July 2019
	Half term 27 May – 31 May 2019	

Please note that the dates as published are correct.

It has now been agreed and confirmed that 3 September 2018 is the start date for the Autumn Term 2018/19.

Please also note that the first day of the Autumn Term in September 2019 will not be determined until the 2019/20 timetable has been consulted upon and approved in January 2018.