Term dates

The school term dates for all Suffolk County Council's maintained schools for the 2025/2026 school year are:

	Term begins	Term ends	Half term begins	Half term ends
Autumn Term	Monday 1	Friday 19	Monday 27	Friday 31
2025	September 2025	December 2025	October 2025	October 2025
Spring Term	Monday 5	Friday 27 March	Monday 16	Friday 20
2026	January 2026	2026	February 2026	February 2026
Summer	Monday 13	Monday 20	Monday 25	Friday 29
Term 2026	April 2026	July 2026	May 2026	May 2026

- Christmas Holidays: Saturday 20 December 2025 to Sunday 4 January 2026
- Easter Holidays: Saturday 28 March 2026 to Sunday 12 April 2026

The total number of days for the school year is 195. All maintained schools set five teacher training days called Professional Development (PD) days, which means there are 190 actual teaching days in the school year.

Suffolk County Council recommends the following PD days: Monday 1 and Tuesday 2 September 2025, Friday 24 October 2025, Monday 5 January 2026 and Monday 20 July 2026. Most schools in Suffolk follow these dates but you should contact your school to confirm.

Please note: academies, voluntary aided and free schools can set their own term dates so please check with your child's school in case these differ from those set by us. All term dates for community and voluntary controlled schools are on the county council's website at www.suffolk.gov.uk. Where a school has chosen different term dates to Suffolk County Council this information will be available from the school.