

Dunclug College Key Dates for Year 2026-27 Draft

***Some internal dates may be subject to change**

****Holidays will not change**

Thursday 13 August	AS/A2 Results – available for collection from 9am
Thursday 20 August	GCSE Results – available for collection from 9am Y12 interviews for Y13 Placement – 23 & 24 August
Tuesday 25 August	Year 14 (Return interviews)
Wednesday 26 August	Year 8 Induction (9.00am-12.00noon) Year 14 Induction (9.00am-12.00noon)
Thursday 27 August	Year 8 Induction (9.00am-1.00pm) – lunch in canteen Year 13 Induction (9.00am-12.00noon) Year 14 Induction (9.00am-12.00noon)
Friday 28 August	Year 8 Induction (9.00am-1.00pm) – lunch in canteen Year 13 Induction (9.00am-12.00noon) Year 14 Induction (9.00am-12.00noon)
Tuesday 1 September	Whole School in attendance
Friday 25 September	Transform ED Development Day (pupils do not attend)
Tuesday 6 October	Year 12 Parents' Consultation – 3.15-5.15pm
Thursday 22 October	Prize Day
Friday 23 October	9.15am-11.15am – Year 8 Check-In Event 1.00pm-3.00pm - Years 13 & 14 Parents' Consultation and Target Setting
Monday 26 October- Friday 30 October (inclusive)	Halloween Holiday
Monday 16 November – Friday 27 November	Winter Assessments Year 8 – 11 & 13
Tuesday 1 December – Friday 4 December	School Show Performances
Monday 7 December – Friday 11 December	Mock exams Years 12 & 14 (Exam Hall Conditions)
Tuesday 15 December (TBC)	Service of Thanksgiving & Carols in Dunclug College
Friday 18 December	End of Term – pupils finish at 11.00am
Monday 21 December – Friday 1 January (inclusive)	Christmas Holiday
Wednesday 6 & Thursday 7 January	School Open Evenings (Year 7 pupils) (Students will finish at 12pm on Wednesday 7 January)
Friday 8 January	Staff Development Day 1 (pupils do not attend)
Monday 11 – Friday 15 January	Year 12 Work Experience
Monday 18 January	Year 11 Parents' Consultation – 3.15-5.15pm

Monday 25 January	Transform ED Development Day (pupils do not attend)
Tuesday 26 January	Year 8 Parents' Consultation – remote interviews using School Cloud - 3.15pm-5.15pm
Wednesday 3 February	Year 9 Parents' Consultation – remote interviews using School Cloud - 3.15pm-5.15pm
Monday 8 February	Staff Development Day 2 (pupils do not attend)
Monday 8 –Friday 12 February (inclusive)	Winter Half Term
Tuesday 16 February	Year 10 Parents' Consultation – 3.15-5.15pm
Monday 22 February - Friday 5 March	Spring Assessments Years 8-10, 12 & 14
Friday 26 February – Friday 5 March	Spring Assessments - Mock exams. Years 11 & 13 (Exam Hall Conditions)
Tuesday 9 March	Year 12 Parents' Consultation – 3.15-5.15pm (Remote interviews via School Cloud)
Tuesday 16 March	Years 8 & 9 do not attend. Year 10 Options – Subject Choice Consultations Year 10 pupils meet with staff, parents attend via School Cloud
Tuesday 17 March	St. Patrick's Day – College Closed
Monday 22 March – Friday 2 April (inclusive)	Easter Vacation
Monday 22 March	Staff Development Day 3 (pupils do not attend)
Monday 3 May	May Bank Holiday
Tuesday 4 May	Transform ED Development Day (pupils do not attend)
Thursday 20 May – Friday 28 May	End of Year Assessments - Summer Exams: Year 8 – 11 & 13
Monday 31 May	May Bank Holiday
Friday 4 June & Monday 7 June	Staff Development Days 4 & 5 (pupils do not attend)
Friday 11 June	P7 Induction / Testing Day – Year 9 and Year 10 pupils do not attend.
Monday 14 June – Friday 18 June	Year 13 Work Experience
Thursday 17 June	P7 Parents' Afternoon 3.30 – 5.00pm
Wednesday 30 June	End of Term – pupils finish at 11.00am