

Headington Rye Oxford Term Dates 2025 – 2026

Autumn Term 2025	
Friday 29th August	Boarding staff INSET
Monday 1st September	Staff INDUCTION and INSET
Tuesday 2nd September	Staff INSET New Boarders' INDUCTION Boarding houses open at 1.00 pm New Boarders' Welcome starts at 3.00 pm in Boarding Houses All returning Yr9, Yr10 and Yr12 boarders to return by 5.30 pm
Wednesday 3rd September	Boarding houses open at 7.00 am Induction for all Yr7, Yr9, Yr12 and all new pupils in Yr8 and Yr10 Returning boarders in Yr8, Yr11 and Yr13 to return by 5.30 pm
Thursday 4th September	ALL pupils in school
Friday 17th October 4.00 pm – Sunday 2nd November inclusive	Half term begins at 4.00 pm. Boarding houses close at 6.00 pm Boarders return Sunday 2nd November 6.00 pm - 9.00 pm
Wednesday 10th December	Term ends at 12.15 pm. Boarding Houses close at 2.00 pm
Thursday 11th December	Staff INSET
Spring Term 2026	
Sunday 4th January	Boarding houses open at 7.00 am Boarders return by 5.30 pm (weekly boarders by 9.00 pm)
Monday 5th January	Term begins
Thursday 12th February 4.00 pm – Sunday 22nd February inclusive	Half term begins at 4.00 pm Boarding houses close at 6.00 pm Boarders return Sunday 22nd February 6.00 pm - 9.00 pm
Friday 13th February	Staff INSET
Friday 27th March	Term ends at 4.00 pm. Boarding Houses close at 6.00 pm
Summer Term 2026	
Sunday 19th April	Boarding houses open at 7.00 am Boarders return by 5.30 pm (weekly boarders by 9.00 pm)
Monday 20th April	Term begins
Monday 4th May	May Bank Holiday
Thursday 21st May 4.00 pm – Sunday 31st May inclusive	Half term begins at 4.00 pm. Boarding Houses close at 6.00 pm Boarders return Sunday 31st May 6.00 pm - 9.00 pm
Friday 22nd May	Staff INSET
Saturday 4th July	Term ends after Foundation Day Boarding Houses close at 4.00 pm

Please Note:

1. Half term dates match those of the maintained sector, with additional days in October.
2. Since the holiday allowance exceeds that in the maintained sector, parents are asked not to request extensions to the published Headington Rye Oxford holidays.