

# Essex County Council School Term and Holiday Dates for Community and Voluntary Controlled Schools - Academic Year 2023-2024

September 2023							October 2023							November 2023							December 2023								
M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S		
				1	2	3							1			1	2	3	4	5					1	2	3		
4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31		
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31									
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31																
25	26	27	28	29	30		23	24	25	26	27	28	29	27	28	29	30				25	26	27	28	29	30	31		
							30	31																					
January 2024							February 2024							March 2024							April 2024								
M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7				1	2	3	4					1	2	3	1	2	3	4	5	6	7		
8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31						
15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31				1	2	3	4	5	6	7			
22	23	24	25	26	27	28	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	22	23	24	25	26	27	28		
29	30	31					26	27	28	29				25	26	27	28	29	30	31	29	30							
May 2024							June 2024							July 2024							August 2024								
M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S		
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20	21	22	23	24	25	26	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	19	20	21	22	23	24	25		
27	28	29	30	31			24	25	26	27	28	29	30	29	30	31				26	27	28	29	30	31				

- = Schooldays
- = School holidays
- = Bank holidays
- = Weekends

In addition, schools allocate five non-pupil days out of the school days indicated, highlighted in green, or the equivalent in disaggregated twilight sessions.

<b>Autumn Term:</b>	Monday 4 September 2023 – Wednesday 20 December 2023 <i>Half Term 23 October – 27 October</i>	73 days
<b>Spring Term:</b>	Thursday 4 January 2024 – Thursday 28 March 2024 <i>Half Term 19 February - 23 February</i>	56 days
<b>Summer Term:</b>	Monday 15 April 2024 – Tuesday 23 July 2024 <i>Half Term 27 May – 31 May, and May Bank Holiday - 6 May</i>	66 days
		195 days

**Please note:**  
The above dates may vary for individual schools, especially Foundation, Voluntary Aided schools and Academies.  
You are strongly advised to check with your child's school before making any holiday or other commitments.