

Key Dates for Parents & Students

Year 9 (Academic Year 2026 - 2027)



The information below details the key dates for Year 9 over their third year at The Minster School.

Date	Event
Thursday 3 rd September	Y8/9 Information Evening 6:45-7:15pm
Friday 4 th September	1st Day of School (Year 8-11)
Thursday 10 th September	Prizegiving Ceremony 7pm
Wednesday 14 th October	Flu immunisations
Friday 16 th October	School Photographs
October Half Term: Monday 19th October – Friday 30th October	
Wednesday 2 nd December	Y9 Assessment Point 1 report sent home
W/B 30 th November	Y9 NGRT tests
Wednesday 9 th December	Christmas Concert at Southwell Minster
W/B 14 th December	End of Term Christmas Services
Christmas Holidays: Monday 21st December – Friday 1st January	
Friday 15 th January	Y9 Hidden roles in Business presentation
Monday 25 th & Friday 29 th January	Y9 Holocaust Centre trip
Wednesday 27 th January	Intermediate Maths Challenge
Wednesday 27 th January	Y9 Assessment Point 2 report sent home
Thursday 28 th January	Y9 Parents' Evening (online via SchoolCloud)
W/B 1 st February	School Production
Wednesday 10 th February	Y9 DTP & ACWY immunisations
Wednesday 10 th February	Options Evening 6:00-8:00pm in school
Friday 12 th February	INSET Day
February Half Term: Monday 15th February – Friday 19th February	
Wednesday 17 th March	Easter Concert at Southwell Minster
W/B 22 nd March	Easter End of Term Services
Easter Holidays: Friday 26th March – Friday 9th April	
Wednesday 19 th May	Y9 Full reports sent home
May Half Term: Monday 31st May – Friday 4th June	
W/B 5 th July	Trips and Activities days
W/B 19 th July	Summer End of Term Services
Friday 23 rd July	Last Day of Term
Monday 26 th July	INSET Day
Tuesday 27 th July	INSET Day
Wednesday 28 th July	INSET Day

Please put the above dates in your diary and plan around them. There are many other events that happen during the school year, and we will send you more details as they come up. Please be aware that some dates may change during the year, and we will keep you updated on such changes. As ever, if there is anything we can help with, please get in touch.

We hope you all have a great year!

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“Whatever you do, work at it with all your hearts, as though you were working for the Lord.”
COLOSSIANS 3:23