

## St Annes Secondary School

### 2025-2026 Calendar

<b>August/September</b>	
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> August	▫ <b>1<sup>st</sup> Years</b> 9.00am to 12.25pm
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> August	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▫ <b>3<sup>rd</sup> &amp; 6<sup>th</sup></b> years return 8.50am -12.25pm</li> <li>▫ <b>1<sup>st</sup> Years</b> – 8.50am -12.25pm</li> </ul>
Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> August	▫ <b>No school for students</b> - Staff meeting & school planning
Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> August	▫ <b>1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> years only</b> in school until 12.25pm
Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup> August	▫ <b>All students in school– full day (except TY's)</b>
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> August	▫ All students in school - <b>Transition year students return</b>
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> September	▫ Fire Drill
Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> September	▫ Opening Year School Mass
Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> September	▫ Mercy Feast Day
<b>October</b>	
Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> October	▫ Open evening for prospective 1 <sup>st</sup> year students
Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> October	▫ School Closed
Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> October	▫ School Closed for Students-Child Protection Training
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> October	▫ School finishes for Mid-term Break at 3.25pm
<b>November</b>	
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> November	▫ School reopens following mid-term break
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> November	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▫ Sixth Year P/T meeting 4.15-6.45pm</li> <li>▫ <b>(School finishes at 3.20pm)</b></li> </ul>
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> November	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▫ Third Year P/T Meeting 4.15-6.45pm</li> <li>▫ <b>(School finishes at 3.20pm)</b></li> </ul>
<b>December</b>	
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> December	▫ School Closed – Oide Subject Cluster Day for Staff
<b>1<sup>st</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> December</b>	▫ <b>School Musical</b>
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> December	▫ School Closed
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> December	▫ Christmas Holidays 12 noon
<b>January</b>	
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> January	▫ School re-opens following Christmas Holidays
Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> January	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▫ 5<sup>th</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> P/T Meeting 4.15-6.45pm</li> <li>▫ <b>(School finishes at 3.20pm)</b></li> </ul>
Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> January	▫ School Closed for Students – Oide Planning for Senior Cycle Development for Staff
Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> January	▫ Start of Catholic School's Week

Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> January	▫ Start of Pre-examinations
<b>February</b>	
Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> February	▫ School closed for Bank Holiday
Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup> February	▫ Start of 5 <sup>th</sup> Year and 2 <sup>nd</sup> House Exams
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> February	▫ Conclusion of Pre-Examinations /5 <sup>th</sup> Year and 2 <sup>nd</sup> Examinations ▫ School closes for February Mid-Term Break at 3.25pm
Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> February	▫ School reopens following mid-term break
Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup> February	▫ TY Information Evening & Senior Options Evening (6pm-8pm)
<b>March</b>	
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> March	▫ First year P/T Meeting 4.15-6.45pm ▫ <b>(School finishes at 3.20pm)</b>
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> March	▫ School closed for Bank Holiday
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> March	▫ School closes for Easter Holidays at 3.25pm
<b>April</b>	
Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> April	▫ School reopens following Easter Holidays
<b>May</b>	
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> May	▫ School closed (May Bank Holiday)
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> May	▫ School Fun Day
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> May	▫ School Awards Ceremony
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> May	▫ Sixth Year Graduation Celebration (7pm)
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> May	▫ TY Celebration Ceremony & presentation of results and certificates (11am)
Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> May	▫ Assessment 3 - 1 <sup>st</sup> /2 <sup>nd</sup> /5 <sup>th</sup> Years (Formal house exams)
Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> May	▫ Conclusion of exams for 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 5 <sup>th</sup> Year ▫ School closed for Summer Holidays at 12pm
<b>June</b>	▫
Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June	▫ State Examinations LC and JC

Please note: School Management reserves the right to change the above dates if the need arises. As per DES Circular, scheduled holidays in February and Easter may be adjusted if the need arises due to loss of days in adverse weather. Those Contingency Days are set as follows for the 2025/26 school year:

- 16<sup>th</sup>/17<sup>th</sup>/18<sup>th</sup> February 2026
- 30<sup>th</sup>/31<sup>st</sup> March, 1<sup>st</sup> April 2026