Harmonize Academy

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Dear Parents and Carers,

I would like to thank you all so much for your continued support over the last academic year. Once again, this year has been a great success and I would like to thank all our students for their outstanding progress, commitment and behaviour over the last year.

Over the year, our students have enjoyed a wide range of educational activities. Year 11s had various opportunities to go on career visits to some of the best FE colleges in the region and find out about post-16 courses. Several year 11 students were able to gain valuable work experience in local primary schools; and a few others completed the prestigious, ***Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Award***.

We were delighted to achieve the ***Artsmark Silver Award*** which recognises our school's commitment to creativity and cultural education.

In June, Harmonize Academy had the pleasure of welcoming two teachers from *Realschule auf dem Röddenberg Secondary School in Osterode am Harz, Lower Saxony, Germany* on a return visit. They were accompanied by 16 students and stayed in Liverpool for a week. They participated with our students in a variety of academic workshops, and educational and cultural visits across the city. This was part of the **UK-German Connection** cultural exchange programme which works to bring young people together. We aim to continue this partnership as it provides an excellent opportunity for cultural exchange, educational collaboration, and the development of international friendships. Throughout the week, students participated in a variety of academic workshops, classroom experiences, and educational visits across Liverpool.

Before the end of term, there are a few events taking place which I'd like to tell you about.

Monday 13th July: End of Year Trip Day

Students will be participating in activity trips in the morning. Students should arrive in school for 9.30 am, lunch will be provided and school will close at 12.30 pm. Mr Wynn Ridge, Assistant Principal will give out a separate letter and permission form for the trips.

Tuesday 14th July: Parent/Carer Review Day

You and your child are invited to meet with Harmonize Teaching staff to discuss his/her school report and progress. Appointments are available between 9.00 am and 5.30 pm and it will take up to an hour for you to meet with the teachers. This is also an opportunity for you to receive your child's targets for next year and to sign a new School/Home Agreement. Please contact school and let us know what time you would like to visit T 0151 203 1934 or email admin@harmonizeacademy.org Your child must accompany you to the interview. **Students only need to attend school for their review day appointments.** We look forward to seeing you on Review Day.

Harmonize Academy finishes for the summer holiday on Wednesday 15th July at 12 noon.

2026/2027

School re-opens for years 9 and 10 students on Thursday 3rd September and for year 11 students on Friday 4th September 2026.

New Academic Year 2026/2027

Please see your child's return to school times below and term dates enclosed.

Please remember, the Harmonize School day begins with Breakfast Club at 8.30 am and lessons start at 9.00 am. **Please ring 0151 203 1934 if your child cannot attend. Students who have not arrived by 9.00 am will receive a text home if you do not contact the school in advance.**

On behalf of myself and all the staff at Harmonize Academy, I hope you and all the students enjoy a wonderful summer holiday and that they return refreshed for an exciting year ahead.

With warmest best wishes,

Marie McConville

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Principal

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Return to school dates September 2026

STUDENTS STARTING Year 9 and 10:

Thursday 3rd September: 9.00 am – 1.30 pm - ***Only year 9 and 10 to attend***

Friday 4th September: Year 9 and 10 - ***Do Not Attend***

From Monday 7th September: 9.00 am – 2.45 pm – ***All students attend***

STUDENTS STARTING Year 11:

Thursday 3rd September: Year 11 - ***Do Not Attend***

Friday 4th September: 9.00 am – 1.30 pm - ***Only year 11 to attend***

From Monday 7th September: 9.00 am – 2.45 pm – ***All students attend***

Harmonize Academy Term Dates 2026-27

Autumn Term 2026

Starts: Thursday 3rd September [Years 9 and 10]

Friday 4th September [Year 11]

Half term: Monday 26th October - Friday 30th October

School re-opens: Monday 2nd November

Ends: Friday 18th December

Spring Term 2027

Starts: Monday 4th January

Half term: Monday 15th February - Friday 19th February

School re-opens: Monday 22nd February

Ends: Thursday 25th March

(**Easter bank holidays:** Friday 26th March and Monday 29th March)

Summer Term 2027

Starts: Monday 12th April

May Day: Monday 3rd May – School Closed

Half term: Monday 31st May - Friday 4th June

School re-opens: Monday 7th June

Ends: Friday 16th July