



CARRICKFERGUS GRAMMAR SCHOOL
Term and Holiday dates 2019 – 2020

TERM	PUPILS' LAST DAY AT SCHOOL	PUPILS' FIRST DAY BACK
SUMMER 2019		<u>Tuesday 27 August 2019</u> Yr 8 (9.00 am - 12.00 pm) <u>Wednesday 28 August 2019</u> Yr 8 (9.00 am - 12.00 pm) <u>Thursday 29 August 2019</u> Yr 8 (9.00 – 12.00 pm) Yr 14 (9.00 – 3.30 pm) <u>Friday 30 August 2019</u> Yr 11 (9.00 – 11.15 am) Yr 14 (9.00 – 12.00 pm) <u>Monday 2 September 2019</u> All pupils return
AUTUMN MID-TERM	Friday 25 October 2019	Monday 4 November 2019
CHRISTMAS BREAK	Friday 20 Dec 2019	Tuesday 7 January 2020
SPRING MID-TERM	Friday 14 February 2020	Monday 24 February 2020
ST. PATRICK'S DAY	Friday 13 March 2020	Wednesday 18 March 2020
EASTER BREAK	Tuesday 7 April 2020	Monday 20 April 2020
MAY BANK HOLIDAYS	Friday 1 May 2020	Tuesday 5 May 2020
	Friday 22 May 2020	Tuesday 26 May 2020
SUMMER 2020	Tuesday 30 June 2020	

PLEASE NOTE THESE FIGURES FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
95% ATTENDANCE IS THE MINIMUM ATTENDANCE TARGET FOR ALL PUPILS

100% Attendance	0 days missed	Excellent
95% Attendance	9 days of absence. 1 week and 4 days of learning missed.	Satisfactory
90% Attendance	19 days of absence. 3 weeks and 4 days of learning missed.	Poor
85% Attendance	28 days of absence. 5 weeks and 3 days of learning missed.	Very Poor
80% Attendance	46 days of absence. 9 weeks and 1 day of absence missed.	Unacceptable

- Pupils must attend school for 190 days in the year.
- Pupils are given an attendance mark for days of Exceptional Closure due to, for example, adverse weather conditions or staff development activities.
- Family holidays taken during term-time place pupils at a disadvantage and hinder their progress.