

Looking Ahead

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Term Dates

Autumn Term

*Staff Professional Development Day: 01 September *Staff Professional Development Day: 02 September Induction Day for Year 7 & 12 ONLY: 03 September Term starts for ALL pupils & students: 04 September *Staff Professional Development Day: 08 October Half Term: 24 October - 03 November (11 days incl) *no pupils or students to attend.

Upcoming Events

SEPTEMBER

Wednesday 03: Induction Day for Year 7. 08.45 - 15.35. Year 7 pupils to attend for their induction day. The School day starts at 08.45, please arrive by at least 08.40 to ensure you are on time. You will need to enter via the back entrance at the back of the School building. Please note, there will be no access to the front (with exception for pre-existing agreements) or back car park for any vehicles. The School day will end at 15.35.

Wednesday 03: Induction Day for Year 12. 08.45 - 15.45. Year 12 students to attend for their induction day. The Sixth Form day starts at 08.45, please arrive by at least 08.40 to ensure you are on time. You will need to enter via the Sixth Form entrance at the back of the main building. Please note, there will be no access to the front (with exception for pre-existing agreements) or back car park for any vehicles. The Sixth Form day will end at 15.45.

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Thursday 04: Term starts for ALL pupils and students. 08.45 - 15.45. We welcome back all year groups on this day for a 08.45 start.

Monday 08: Year 12 Parent/Carer Welcome Evening. 18.00 - 19.00. Welcoming our Year 12 families to discuss how UoB School is helping students settle into life at Sixth Form. Further details will be communicated to Year 12 families closer to the event.

Monday 08: Year 12 UoB Campus Visit. Year 12 to visit UoB campus during the School day to take part in workshops and attend lectures, as part of our aspirations programme.

Thursday 11: Year 13 UCAS Information Evening. 18.00 - 19.00. Welcoming our Year 13 families to discuss how UoBS Sixth Form will help students prepare for and apply to higher education courses and options. Further details will be communicated to Year 13 families closer to the event.

Tuesday 16: Year 7, 11, and 12 School Photographs. To take place during the School day. Professional photographs for internal use and School ID, with an option for families to purchase photographs if they wish to do so. Details will be shared with families.

Friday 19: Year 13 UoB Campus Visit. Year 13 to visit UoB campus during the School day to take part in workshops and attend lectures, with a focus on applying to University, as part of our aspirations programme.

Monday 22: Year 7 Parent/Carer Welcome Evening. 17.30 - 18.30. Welcoming our Year 7 families to discuss how UoB School is helping pupils settle into life at their new School. You will also meet key members of the Senior Leadership Team. Further details will be communicated to Year 7 families closer to the event.

Thursday 25: Year 11 Pathways to Success Evening. 18.00 - 19.30. For all parents, carers, and Year 11 pupils to find out more about our pathways options. Sessions will include study techniques and looking after yourself throughout exams.

Monday 29: Celebration of Character & Excellence Evening. 18.30 - 20.30. Our annual celebration of pupil and student achievements will take place at The Great Hall at the University of Birmingham. Award winners and their families have been contacted and invited to attend.

OCTOBER

Thursday 16: School Open Evening for Year 7 intake September 2026. 17.00 - 19.30. For prospective parents, carers, and pupils who wish to join UoB School for Year 7 in September 2026. Register for the event and find out more here.

Parents' Evenings

Year 7: 14 May 2026 Year 8: 29 April 2026 Year 9: 12 March 2026 Year 12: 10 February 2026 Year 13: 26 November 2025

Year 10: 02 March 2026

Details on how to register and times will be shared with families closer to the date.

2025/26 Assessment Weeks

2025

Year 10: 01 – 19 December: Year 10 assessments in class. Reports will be issued in January.

Year 11: 13 – 23 October: Year 11 assessments in class. Reports will be issued in late November.

Year 12: 01 – 19 December: Year 12 assessments in class. Reports will be issued in January.

2026

Year 7:

- 23 February 06 March: pupils in Year 7 will sit in-class assessments across their subjects. Teachers will advise when these will take place. Reports will be issued in late March.
- **08 12 June:** pupils in Year 7 will sit in-class assessments across their subjects. Teachers will advise when these will take place. Reports will be issued in early July.

Year 8:

- 23 February 06 March: pupils in Year 8 will sit in-class assessments across their subjects. Teachers will advise when these will take place. Reports will be issued in late March.
- **08 12 June:** pupils in Year 8 will sit in-class assessments across their subjects. Teachers will advise when these will take place. Reports will be issued in early July.

Year 9:

- **06 16 January:** pupils in Year 9 will sit in-class assessments across their subjects. Teachers will advise when these will take place. Reports will be issued in February.
- **01 05 June:** pupils in Year 9 will sit their end of year assessments across their subjects. Reports will be issued in early July.

Year 10:

• 27 April - 08 May: Year 10 will sit assessments in the main hall. Reports will be issued in early June.

Year 11:

- 12 23 January: Year 11 will sit assessments in the main hall, as a practise for their final GCSEs and A levels. Reports will be issued in late February.
- 11 May: GCSE examinations begin for Year 11.

Year 12:

• 27 April – 08 May: Year 12 will sit assessments in the main hall, as a practise for their A levels. Reports will be issued in early June.

Year 13:

- 12 23 January: Year 13 will sit assessments in the main hall, as a practise for their final A levels. Reports will be issued in late February.
- 11 May: A level examinations begin for Year 13.





