



**Newent Community School  
and Sixth Form Centre**

**Key Dates  
2023 / 2024**

**The following dates are correct at the time of publication and  
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### September 2023

4 <sup>th</sup> and 5 <sup>th</sup> September	INSET Day – School Closed to Students
6 <sup>th</sup> September	Start of Term 1 - Y7, Y10 and Y12 in school – 8.40am registration Individual photographs
7 <sup>th</sup> September	All students in School – 8.40am registration
8 <sup>th</sup> September	Y12 & Y13 Boost Programme
8 <sup>th</sup> September	Hollie Gazzard Active Bystander training Y12 & 13. 9am
12 <sup>th</sup> September	Y12 Parents' Information Evening 6.00pm - 7.00pm
19 <sup>th</sup> September	Chelsea's story, Main Hall, 1.30pm – 3.30pm
27 <sup>th</sup> September	Open prison visit to school for talk and Q&A with Y13 Sociology & Psychology students
26 <sup>th</sup> September	Y13 Parents' Information Evening & Finance Talk 6.00pm - 7.00pm
28 <sup>th</sup> September	Parents 'What is bullying' day with Hollie Gazzard Trust & Infobuzz

### October 2023

4 <sup>th</sup> October	Y11 Tate Modern Trip
5 <sup>th</sup> October	Open Morning (10am – Midday) & Evening (6pm – 8pm)
6 <sup>th</sup> October	INSET DAY – School Closed to Students
17 <sup>th</sup> October	Y7 Parents' Information Evening and Meet the Tutors 6.00pm
17 <sup>th</sup> October	Hollie Gazzard Knife Crime training, Y10, P2-P5
18 <sup>th</sup> October	Hollie Gazzard Knife Crime training, Y10, P2-P5
19 <sup>th</sup> October	Orchestra lunch – drop in classes, followed by Mend & Repair café
20 <sup>th</sup> October	Sister Act at the Everyman (evening)
25 <sup>th</sup> October	Hollie Gazzard Active Bystander training, Y11, P1 – P4
26 <sup>th</sup> October	Hollie Gazzard Active Bystander training, Y11, P1 – P4
26 <sup>th</sup> October	Snowdome Trip Tamworth for those going on Austria ski trip in Feb 2024

### Half Term Holiday

**Monday, 30<sup>th</sup> October 2023 to Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2023**

### November 2023

6 <sup>th</sup> November	Start of Term 2 – 08.40am registration
7 <sup>th</sup> – 13 <sup>th</sup> November	GCSE English & Maths Resit External Exams
7 <sup>th</sup> November	Y11 Parents' Exam Information Evening 5.00pm - 7.00pm
7 <sup>th</sup> November	Y11 Geography Rivers Fieldwork trip
8 <sup>th</sup> November	Y11 History trip to Harvington Hall, 8.30am – 3.30pm
9 <sup>th</sup> November	Y11 Geography Rivers Fieldwork trip
10 <sup>th</sup> November	Remembrance Service - Whole school
14 <sup>th</sup> November	Y9 History trip to Cannock Chase/National Memorial Arboretum
15 <sup>th</sup> November	Y12 & 13 Advertising Unlocked – Graphics & Media students to visit Factor 3 Communications
17 <sup>th</sup> November	Y8 girls Empower Cyber trip
20 <sup>th</sup> – 24 <sup>th</sup> November	Y11 Mock Interviews
20 <sup>th</sup> November	Hollie Gazzard Active Bystander training, Y9, P2 – P5
21 <sup>st</sup> November	Hollie Gazzard Active Bystander training, Y9, P2 – P5
23 <sup>rd</sup> November	Y8 Virtual Parents' Evening 4.30pm – 7.00pm
25 <sup>th</sup> November	Set Build Saturday for Billy Elliot
26 <sup>th</sup> November	Super Sunday rehearsal for Billy Elliot



December 2023	
1 <sup>st</sup> December	The Government Inspector, performance and workshops at school
1 <sup>st</sup> December	Y8 Trip to Big Pit, 8.45am – 3.20pm
2 <sup>nd</sup> December	Super Saturday rehearsal for Billy Elliot
3 <sup>rd</sup> December	Super Sunday rehearsal for Billy Elliot
5 <sup>th</sup> December – 8 <sup>th</sup> December	Whole School Musical
7 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Jumper Day
9 <sup>th</sup> December	Breakfast performance of Billy Elliot at 10.30am and Final Performance at 1.30pm
11 <sup>th</sup> – 22 <sup>nd</sup> December	Y11 Mock Examinations
15 <sup>th</sup> December	Y10 & Y12 Textiles & Photography workshop, 9am – 12.30pm
21 <sup>st</sup> December	Christmas Concert with Newent Orchestra 6pm – 7.30pm
22 <sup>nd</sup> December	Term finishes at 1.30pm

<p align="center"><b>Christmas Holiday</b>  <b>Monday 25<sup>th</sup> December 2023 to Friday, 5<sup>th</sup> January 2024</b></p>
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January 2024	
8 <sup>th</sup> January	INSET Day – School Closed to Students
9 <sup>th</sup> January	Start of Term 3 for all students – 8.40am registration
9 <sup>th</sup> – 16 <sup>th</sup> January	Y12 & Y13 Mocks
12 <sup>th</sup> January	Metamorphosis at the Bristol Old Vic
16 <sup>th</sup> January	Hollie Gazzard Active Bystander training, Y10, P2-P5
17 <sup>th</sup> January	Hollie Gazzard Active Bystander training, Y10, P2-P5
18 <sup>th</sup> January	Sixth Form Open Evening 6pm
18 <sup>th</sup> January	Y11 Mock Results
19 <sup>th</sup> January	Y11 Sixth Form Taster (Current Sixth Form – home study)
25 <sup>th</sup> January	Y11 Parents' Evening 4.30pm – 7.00pm in school
30 <sup>th</sup> January	Y9 Options Information Evening (6pm)
31 <sup>st</sup> January	UCAS Deadline
31 <sup>st</sup> January	Sixth Form Application Deadline

February 2024	
6 <sup>th</sup> February	Blue Beard at Theatre Royal Bath
7 <sup>th</sup> February	Yr 10, 12 & 13 trip to Bristol Art Gallery
8 <sup>th</sup> February	Y12 & Y13 Virtual Parents' Evening
9 <sup>th</sup> – 17 <sup>th</sup> February	Austria Ski Trip
22 <sup>nd</sup> February	Y10 Parents' Evening 4.30pm – 7.00pm – in school
27 <sup>th</sup> February	Y11 Macbeth performance
28 <sup>th</sup> February	Y9 Functional Skills External Exams
28 <sup>th</sup> February	Hollie Gazzard Active Bystander training, Y8, P2–P5
29 <sup>th</sup> February	Hollie Gazzard Active Bystander training, Y8, P2-P5

<p align="center"><b>Half Term Holiday</b>  <b>Monday 12<sup>th</sup> February 2024 to Friday 16<sup>th</sup> February 2024</b></p>
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March 2024	
1 <sup>st</sup> March	Y6 Open Morning 10.00am – 12.00pm
4 <sup>th</sup> March	Y9 Option Interviews will take place this week
4 <sup>th</sup> March	Y13 PPE's
7 <sup>th</sup> March	World Book Day



7 <sup>th</sup> March	Y7 Parents' Evening 4.30pm – 7.00pm – in school
11 <sup>th</sup> – 22 <sup>nd</sup> March	Y11 PPE's
14 <sup>th</sup> March	Y9 Parents' Evening 4.30pm – 7.00pm – in school
19 <sup>th</sup> March	Austria ski trip presentation, Sixth Form Study Room, 6pm – 7pm
20 <sup>th</sup> March	Y9 Options Deadline
22 <sup>nd</sup> March	Term finishes at 1.30pm
27 <sup>th</sup> March	Everyone's Talking about Jamie – Bristol Hippodrome

**Easter Holiday**  
**Monday 25<sup>th</sup> March 2024 - Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April 2024**

April 2024	
23 <sup>rd</sup> April	Hollie Gazzard Active Bystander training, Y7, P2-P5
24 <sup>th</sup> April	Hollie Gazzard Active Bystander training, Y7, P2-P5

May 2024	
6 <sup>th</sup> May	BANK HOLIDAY
9 <sup>th</sup> May – 26 <sup>th</sup> June	External Exams begin
13 <sup>th</sup> – 17 <sup>th</sup> May	Y10 Work Experience Week
24 <sup>th</sup> May	Y13 Leavers Meal

**Half Term Holiday**  
**Monday 27<sup>th</sup> May 2024 to Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2024**

June 2024	
3 <sup>rd</sup> – 7 <sup>th</sup> June	Years 7 – 9 Assessment Week
10 <sup>th</sup> – 14 <sup>th</sup> June	Y12 Exams Week
13 <sup>th</sup> June	Y6 Parents' Information Evening 6.00pm
15 <sup>th</sup> – 22 <sup>nd</sup> June	Year 9 Camp
17 <sup>th</sup> – 21 <sup>st</sup> June	Y10 Exams Week
17 <sup>th</sup> – 21 <sup>st</sup> June	Y12 Progression Week
24 <sup>th</sup> June	Sixth Form Transition Day - No Y12 students in School
25 <sup>th</sup> June	Y12 start Y13
28 <sup>th</sup> June	Y11 Prom – Hatherley Manor Hotel

July 2024	
3 <sup>rd</sup> July	Y5 Open Morning 10.00am – 12.00pm
4 <sup>th</sup> – 5 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 Move Up Days
8 <sup>th</sup> & 9 <sup>th</sup> July	London Theatre trip 2024
8 <sup>th</sup> – 12 <sup>th</sup> July	Y12 Geography Field Trip, Aberystwyth University
10 <sup>th</sup> July	Y5 Taster Day
11 <sup>th</sup> July	Art Showcase & Achievement Evening 6pm
12 <sup>th</sup> July	Sports Day
16 <sup>th</sup> July	Reserve Sports Day
19 <sup>th</sup> July	Term finishes at 1.30pm

EXAM RESULTS - AUGUST 2024	
15 <sup>th</sup> August	A Level results - Available from 8.30 am
22 <sup>nd</sup> August	GCSE results - Available from 9.00 am



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**ACADEMIC YEAR – 2024 / 2025**  
**(Provisional Dates)**

2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> September 2024	INSET Day – School Closed to Students
4 <sup>th</sup> September	Start of Term 1 - Y7, Y10 and Y12 in school – 8.40am registration Individual photographs
5 <sup>th</sup> September	All students in School – 8.40am registration



DATES OF WEEK 1	DATES OF WEEK 2
<b>2023</b>	<b>2023</b>
4 September	11 September
18 September	25 September
2 October	9 October
16 October	23 October
6 November	13 November
20 November	27 November
4 December	11 December
18 December	
<b>2024</b>	<b>2024</b>
	8 January
15 January	22 January
29 January	5 February
19 February	26 February
4 March	11 March
18 March	8 April
15 April	22 April
29 April	6 May
13 May	20 May
3 June	10 June
17 June	24 June
1 July	8 July
15 July	