## SCHOOL CALENDAR 2023/24 ASHBOURNE COMMUNITY SCHOOL



| August 25 ${ }^{\text {TH }}$, Friday | School reopens for 2023/24 (Staff only) |
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| September $15^{\text {th }}$ Friday | $1^{\text {st }}$ yr. Active Day (10.25-1.05pm) |
| September $\mathbf{2 2}^{\text {nd }}$ Friday | $2^{\text {nd }} \& 3^{\text {rd }} \mathrm{yr}$. Active Day (10.25-1.05pm) |
| September, $25^{\text {th }}$, Monday | School Closure |
| September $29{ }^{\text {th }}$ Friday | $5^{\text {th }} \& 6^{\text {th }}$ yr. Active Day (10.25-1.05pm) |
| October 5 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ Thursday | Open day for Incoming $1^{\text {st }}$ yrs. 2024/25 |
| October ${ }^{\text {th }}$ Monday - Friday 13 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | One Good School Mental Health Awareness Week |
| October 16 ${ }^{\text {th }}$, Monday ( $4.00-6.30 \mathrm{pm}$ ) | $6{ }^{\text {th }}$ Year Parent/Teacher meeting |
| October $30^{\text {th }}$ Monday- November $3^{\text {rd }}$ Friday | Midterm |
| November $6^{\text {th }}$ Monday - Friday $10^{\text {th }}$ <br> November $6^{\text {th }}$ Monday - Friday 10th | Responsible Mobile Phone Use - Developing Healthy Phone Habits LGBTQ+ Week |
| November $13^{\text {th }}$ Monday - Friday $17^{\text {th }}$ | Anti Bullying Week |
| November 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$, Tuesday ( $4.00-6.30 \mathrm{pm}$ ) | $3{ }^{\text {rd }}$ Year Parent/Teacher meeting |
| November, 23 ${ }^{\text {rd }}$ Thursday, | JC Cluster Day - students remain at home. |
| December $15^{\text {th }}$ Friday - $22^{\text {nd }}$ December Friday | $1^{\text {st }}, 2^{\text {nd }}$ and $5^{\text {th }}$ Year Exams commence. |
| December $18{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Block Classes for $3^{\text {rd }}$ \& $6^{\text {th }}$ Years. TYs on compulsory week-long placement. |
| December 22 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ Friday | Christmas holidays commence (1.05 pm) |
| January $8^{\text {th }}$, Monday | School reopens (2024) |
| January $8^{\text {th }}$ Monday - Friday $12{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Journal January |
| January $8^{\text {th }}$ Monday - Friday $19{ }^{\text {th }}$ | Study Skills Weeks / Preparations for Whole School Assessment |
| January $\mathbf{2 2}^{\text {nd }}$ Monday - Friday $\mathbf{2 6}^{\text {th }}$ | Optional - Week-long Work placement for Transition Year students |
| January, 25 ${ }^{\text {th }}$, Thursday ( $4.00-6.30$ pm) | $5{ }^{\text {th }}$ Year Parent/Teacher meeting |
| January $29^{\text {th }}$ Monday - Friday 9th February | $6^{\text {th }}$ Year Mock Exams |
| February $5^{\text {th }}$, Monday | St. Brigid's Day (School Closure) |
| February $2^{\text {nd }}$ Friday- - Friday 9 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ | $3^{\text {rd }}$ Year Mock Exams |
| February 12 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ Monday - Friday $16^{\text {th }}$ | Midterm |
| February $28{ }^{\text {th }}$ Wednesday | $2^{\text {nd }}$ Year Parent/Teacher Meeting |
| March 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$, Thursday (4.00-6.30 pm) | $1^{\text {st }}$ Year Parent/Teacher meeting |
| March 18 ${ }^{\text {th }}$, Monday | School closure in lieu of St. Patrick's Day / Public Holiday |
| March 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ Tuesday - Friday 22nd | Restorative Practice / Relationships Week |
| March 22 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$, Friday | Easter break - school closes at 1.05pm. |
| April 8 ${ }^{\text {th }}$, Monday | School reopens after Easter Break - students remain home. Junior Certificate Planning Day (staff attend) |
| May $6^{\text {th }}$, Monday | Bank Holiday |
| May $7^{\text {th }}$, Tuesday | School Closure |
| May 31st, Friday | Summer holidays commence at 1.05pm |
| June 5 ${ }^{\text {th }}$, Wednesday | State Examinations commence |

## Parent / Teacher Meetings 2023/24

Themed Weeks / Important Dates for School Calendar.
Calendar's Standardised breaks are in adherence to circular 0072/2022.

