Term Dates 2026-2027

At UK Virtual School, we don't follow the traditional school terms. We run from the **first Monday** of the month for **3 Weeks** at a time, with the 4th Week off from usual timetable. If the month has 5 Mondays, there will be two Weeks off. We work through bank holidays if they fall on one of the 3 timetabled Weeks.

Our **half-terms** are every 3 Weeks.

We have 3 **terms** in an **academic year.**

Term 1: Autumn Term
2026

Month	Description	Dates	Details
August	Summer Camp	Mon 3rd - Fri 14th	Online & at Femtinos Hub
	Induction Week	Mon 31st - 4th Sept	Meet teachers and students before lessons officially start
September	Teaching Weeks	Mon 7th - Fri 25th	3 Weeks of Teaching
	Week off	Mon 28th - Fri 2nd Oct	1 Week off timetable
October	Teaching Weeks	Mon 5th - Fri 23rd	3 Weeks of Teaching
	Week Off	Mon 26th - Fri 30th	1 Week off timetable
	Residential Trip	Sun 25th - Sun 31st	North Morocco Trip (Tangier and Chefchaouen for 7 days, 6 nights)
November	Teaching Weeks	Mon 2nd - Friday 20th	3 Weeks of Teaching
	End of Term	Fri 20th Nov	Start of Winter Break
	Yr 11 Mocks	Mon 30th - Fri 11th Dec	2 Weeks of Yr 11 Mock Exams

Holiday

Month	Description	Dates	Details
December	Yr 11 Mocks	Mon 30th Nov - Fri 11th Dec	2 Weeks of Yr 11 Mock Exams
	Winter Camp	Mon 7th - Fri 18th	Online & at Femtinos Hub
	Science Week	Tues 15th - Fri 18th	4 Days x 4 hrs of iGCSE Science

Term 2: Spring Term
2027

Month	Description	Dates	Details
January	Teaching Weeks	Mon 4th - Fri 22nd	3 Weeks of Teaching
	Week off	Mon 25th - Fri 29th	1 Week of timetable
February	Teaching Weeks	Mon 1st - Fri 19th	3 Weeks of Teaching
	Week off	Mon 22nd - Fri 26th	1 Week off timetable
March	Teaching Weeks	Mon 1st - Fri 19th	3 Weeks of Teaching
	End of Term	Fri 19th March	Start of Easter break
	Weeks Off	Mon 22nd - Fri 2nd Apr	2 Weeks off timetable
	Science Week	Tues 30th - Fri 2nd Apr	4 Days x 4 hrs of iGCSE Science

Term 3: Summer Term
2027

Month	Description	Dates	Details

April	Teaching Weeks Week Off	Mon 5th - Fri 23rd Mon 26th - Fri 30th	3 Weeks of Teaching 1 Week off Timetable
May	Teaching Weeks Weeks off	Mon 3rd - Fri 21st Mon 24th - Fri 4th May	3 Weeks of Teaching 2 Weeks off timetable
June	Science Week Teaching Weeks & Mocks Week off Residential Trip & End of Year Party	Tues 1st - Fri 4th Mon 7th - Fri 25th Mon 28th - Fri 2nd July Mon 28th - Thur 1st July	4 Days x 4 hrs of iGCSE Science 3 Weeks of Teaching Yr 9 & 10 Mocks for 2 weeks 1 Week off timetable Wales Trip (3 day trip + Party on 1st July)
July	Teaching Weeks End of Term	Mon 5th - Fri 23rd Fri 23rd	3 Weeks of Teaching Start of Summer Break

All Year Groups have:

- **Term 1:** 3 months + 1 month holiday
- **Term 2:** 3 months
- **Term 3:** 4 months

The exception is Year 11 which has **4** months, 3 months and **3** months (please note, Yr 11 commitment is for a full academic year ie 10 months as bring forward extra revision classes. If you are paying monthly and leave before June, you will be expected to pay any outstanding amount)