

Important Dates

Governing Body Meeting

Tuesday 29 November 2011
4.00 pm

Christmas Fayre

Friday 9 December 2011

Christmas Holidays

School closes

Friday 16 December 2011

School Opens

Tuesday 3 January 2012

Governing Body Meeting

Tuesday 31 January 2012

Parents/Carers Open Evening

Tuesday 7 February 2012

Inset Day

Friday 10 February 2012

February Half Term

School closes

Thursday 9 February 2012

School Opens

Tuesday 21 February 2012

Inset Day

Monday 20 February 2012

Easter Holidays

School Closes

Friday 30 March 2012

School Opens

Monday 16 April 2012

May Day Holiday

Monday 7 May 2012

Governing Body Meeting

22 May 2012

Inset Day

Thursday 31 May 2012

Spring Bank Holiday

School Closes

Wednesday 30 May 2012

School Opens

Monday 11 June 2012

Winter Weather

As we head into the darkest mornings and nights we face the risk of winter weather impacting on Home to School Transport.

At Highfield we endeavour to keep the school open at all times.

In times of exceptional weather conditions we will keep you all informed in various ways. These are:

Information on the 'Breaking News' icon on the school website www.highfield-school.co.uk

Messages for you on the school answer phone 01924 302980

The Wakefield MDC website

www.wakefield.gov.uk/school_closures

Announcements on BBC Radio Leeds

Announcements on Ridings FM

Post 16 Residential

Mr McBride, Mrs Hirst, Mrs Wood and Mrs Duce took a group of Post 16 students to Keswick in the Lake District for a week of Outdoor Activities from Monday 14 to Friday 18 November 2011. The students and staff enjoyed a challenging and exciting range of activities. They also enjoyed the food which was excellent.

During the week the students met the Duchess of Wessex who was visiting the Centre.

Christmas Events in School

Saturday 3 December 2011

Family Christmas Garden
Morning
9.00 am to 12 noon

Friday 9 December 2011

Christmas Fayre
1.00 – 2.00 pm

Monday 12 December 2011

Pantomime Production in school
for Key Stage 3

Tuesday 13 December 2011

Christmas Concert
Year 7 and Year 8
9.30 – 10.15

Tuesday 13 December 2011

Christmas Lunch

Wednesday 14 December 2011

Christmas Musical Show
Whole School

Thursday 15 December 2011

Key Stage 3 Christmas Outing
Cinema

Friday 16 December 2011

Key Stage 4 Christmas Outing
Bowling and Xscape

Inset Day 10.2.12

Please note that the Inset Day we had to cancel on 31.10.11 will now take place on Friday 10 February 2012.

School will therefore be closed to students on Friday 10 February 2012.

School Holidays 2011/2012

Autumn Term	School opens on Monday 5 September 2011
October Half Term	School closes Friday 21 October 2011 & re-opens Monday 31 October 2011
Christmas Holiday	School closes Friday 16 December 2011 & re-opens Tuesday 3 January 2012
February Half Term	School closes Thursday 9 February 2012 & re-opens Tuesday 21 February 2012
Easter Holiday	School closes Friday 30 March 2012 & re-opens Monday 16 April 2012
May Day	Monday 7 May 2012
Spring Bank Holiday	School closes Wednesday 30 May 2012 & re-opens Monday 11 June 2012
Summer Holiday	School closes Friday 20 July 2012
INSET Days	Thursday 1 September 2011 Friday 2 September 2011 Friday 10 February 2012 Monday 20 February 2012 Thursday 31 May 2012

Jacob Chandler meets the Duchess of Wessex at the Calvert Trust Residential

