



Date	Event / Activity	Year Group
From Mon 8 June to Tue 23 June	End of Year CATs - Year 10	Year 10
From Fri 5 June to Tue 23 June	End of Year CATs - Year 12	Year 12
From Monday 22 June	Normal lessons resume for Year 10 and 12	Year 10&12
Tue 23 June to Fri 26 June	Year 7&8 French Battlefields Trip	Year 7&8
Tue 23 June	Year 12 Biology/Applied Science Fieldwork	Year 12
Wed 24 June	A Level Design Exhibition - 6pm to 8pm	
Thu 25 June to Fri 26 June	Year 10 and 11 Performing Arts residential	Years 10&12
Sat 27 June and Sun 28 June	DofE Bronze cohort 2 practice expedition	Year 10

Assemblies

Day	Time	Year	Location	Additional Information
Monday	8.50am	10	Hall	Register in the Hall from 8.40am
Tuesday	8.50am	7 to 10	Forms	Year 7 to 10 - register in your forms at 8.50am before house assemblies
	8.50am	12	Forum	Year 12 - register with Form at 8.50am then Forum
Wednesday	8.50am	8	Hall	Register in the Hall from 8.40am
Thursday	8.50am	9	Hall	Register in the Hall from 8.40am
Friday	Period 4	7	Hall	Register in the Hall P4

Resurfacing Works - West End Avenue w/c 22 June

We have been notified that West End Avenue will be closed for resurfacing during w/c 22 June. Please exercise caution when walking along West End Avenue to school, as larger vehicles and machinery will be present in the area. You may need to consider an alternative route to reach school next week.



PE FIXTURES

Click on the image above to access our sports fixture list

Cancelled clubs

Thursday - Athletics

Termly Curriculum Overviews What am I studying this term?

Click on the links opposite to find out what topics you will be studying this term in each subject.

[Year 7, 8 and 9](#)

[Year 10 and 11](#)

[Year 12](#)

[Year 13](#)

Spotlight - Sports Day

House Meetings	Location of house meetings				Sports Day
	Aqua	Ventus	Ignis	Terra	
Year 7 and 8 Tuesday 23 June 8.50-9.00 - register in form	Sports Hall	Forum	A03	Hall	Thu 2 July
Year 9 and 10 Tuesday 30 June 8.50-9.00 - register in form	Sports Hall	Forum	A03	Hall	Wed 1 July

Sports Day Timetable - Year 9 & 10 - Wednesday 1 July

Time	Year 10	Location	Year 9	Location
8.50-9.00	Register in form rooms		Register in form rooms	
9.00-9.10	Refreshments (Hub) and make way to the top fields			
9.10-9.20	House Meetings – top fields		House Meetings – top fields	
9.20-11.30	Kick ball (30mins)	Back fields	Athletics	Track
	Rounders (30mins)	Back fields	Tug of war	Track
	Volleyball (30mins)	Back fields		
11.30-12.15	Lunch			
12.15-12.25	Register in forms rooms		Register in form rooms	
12.25-14.30	Athletics	Track	Kick ball (30mins)	Back fields
	Tug of war	Track	Rounders (30mins)	Back fields
			Volleyball (30mins)	Back fields
14.30-14.40	Presentations – Athletics track			

Sports Day Timetable - Year 7 & 8 - Thursday 2 July

Time	Year 8	Location	Year 7	Location
8.50-9.00	Register in form rooms		Register in form rooms	
9.00-9.10	Refreshments (Hub) and make way to the top fields			
9.10-9.20	House Meetings – top fields		House Meetings – top fields	
9.20-12.00	Kick ball (40mins)	Back fields	Athletics	Track
	Rounders (40mins)	Back fields	Tug of war	Track
	Volleyball (40mins)	Back fields		
12.00-12.45	Lunch			
12.45-12.55	Register in forms rooms		Register in form rooms	
13.00-15.20	Athletics	Track	Kick ball (40mins)	Back fields
	Tug of war	Track	Rounders (40mins)	Back fields
			Volleyball (40mins)	Back fields
15.20-15.30	Presentations – Athletics track			

Important Information for the day

Registering for Events

Register for events via House Leaders, Form Tutor, Sports Reps. All students will take part in:

- The team events - volleyball, kick-ball and rounders
- Track events, students will be able to compete in at least one race
- Tug of war will be male and female teams

When you are not competing, please sit in your houses and support your house.



Expectations of Behaviour

Sports Day is no different to any other school day. You are required to demonstrate our standards and values. Any student who cannot meet these expectations will be referred to a Year Manager or a member of the Senior Leadership Team. Face paint is allowed but should be applied at home. Any face paints in school will be confiscated. Please do not bring football, rugby balls etc into school to be used during sports day.



Clothing

You must wear PE kit and are encouraged to wear a house top/t-shirt in your house colour. Appropriate PE kit should be worn - non-school PE kit is not allowed including cycling shorts. Please be prepared for all weathers e.g. tracksuit trousers, PE hoodie if cold, suncream and sun hat if it is hot.



Refreshments

Please bring plenty of water in a reusable bottle. You may want to bring a snack for the morning and afternoon sessions.



General information

World Humanism Day 2026

World Humanist Day is celebrated every year on 21 June, it has been celebrated since the 1980s. It is an opportunity for humanists all around the world to publicise the positive values of humanism and to share the global concerns of the humanist movement.

June 21 usually marks the date of the June solstice around the world. The solstice event has echoes of ancient communal gatherings, as well as reflecting humanity's deepening scientific understanding of our world, and being an event that, by its nature, is shared globally at the same moment in the calendar. If you would like to find out more about this event and Humanism itself please click this link.



Year 7 Quad now closed

As Year 11 have now finished their GCSE exams, the Year 7 quad will be closed. Year 7 students can purchase snacks and lunch from sustain or the Hub.

Events @ HGS

HARROGATE GRAMMAR SCHOOL

USED UNIFORM DONATIONS

The PTA are looking for clean, good quality uniform donations. We are particularly in need of trousers, blazers and PE kit.

Please bring any items to main reception.

There is a Yr 7 new starter sale in the next few weeks, parents will be contacted with details. A whole school uniform sale will take place in the Autumn Term - date to be confirmed.

2026 — THURS 25th JUNE 6 - 8 PM

A LEVEL EXHIBITION

HGS DESIGN FACULTY

ART, CRAFT & DESIGN, PRODUCT DESIGN, GRAPHICS, PHOTOGRAPHY.

A Level Art & Design Exhibition

Please come along to the A Level Art, Photography and Design Exhibition on Thursday 25 June from 6pm to 8pm in the Atrium.

Senior Citizens Summer Tea Party

TUESDAY 30 JUNE 2-4PM
THE SIXTH FORM AT
HARROGATE GRAMMAR SCHOOL

To reserve a place please call
01423 535 235

HARROGATE GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Senior Citizens Summer Tea Party

HGS Sixth Form students are hosting a Summer Tea Party on Tuesday 30 June 2026 for local senior citizens.

If you are able to contribute items for the raffle, please drop off at Main School or Sixth Form reception by Friday 19 June.

Any donations gratefully received, thank you.

AGED 13 - 25? YOU'RE NEEDED!

MAKE A DIFFERENCE THIS SUMMER BY VOLUNTEERING AT YOUR LOCAL LIBRARY

Inspire children to get reading as part of this year's Summer Reading Challenge 'Read to the Beat'

Volunteer hours count towards your DoE award and look great on your CV or UCAS application

Develop skills and meet new people

Apply now! Contact your local library for more information

READ to the BEAT

THE READING AGENCY, UNIVERSAL MUSIC GROUP, NORTH YORKSHIRE COUNCIL, GO ALL IN.

National Year of Reading 2026

Year 7 Condover Hall Netball

Our Year 7 netballers had a fabulous weekend at Condover Hall. They participated in lots of great activities alongside some super netball matches. Well done to everyone, and a big thank you to the staff who accompanied them on this trip.



Year 7 Humanities Trip to York

Two glorious days in York for the Y7 Humanities trip. Students visited the River Foss barrier, Clifford's Tower, the Shambles and a completed a tour of York Minster.



Well done to Zoë in Year 7

Over this school year Zoë has been a member of the National Children's Orchestra. She's taken part in two full weekends of rehearsals with concerts. She was also invited to be a Young Presenter and wrote and delivered a speech to introduce the audience to Strauss' Radetzky March. It's been an incredible experience where she's played a variety of music, learned new skills and had fun with new friends.



Information for Sixth Form Students

Year 12 - Key Dates

Date	Event
Monday 22 June	Students return to lessons in school (except where an exam is taking place)
Tuesday 23 June	End of year exams finish
Wednesday 1 July	Progression Day 1 in School
Thursday 2 July	Progression Day 2 at home to draft personal statement or complete structured apprenticeship / employment tasks
Friday 3 July	Training Day - no school
Tuesday 7 July	EPQ deadline
Friday 10 July	Final day in school
Monday 13 July	Work experience week

Year 12 - Progression Days 1 and 2 July

On the 1 and 2 July, Year 12 students will take part in 2 progression days. These days are designed for Year 12 students to start the application process for their Post 18 pathway. A timetable of both days is below, any questions regarding the days, please contact Mrs Barr (barrh@hgs.rkt.co.uk).

Day 1 (1 July)	Day 2 (2 July)
Session 1: Talk on post-18 options will be delivered by Leeds Beckett University's Rob Rattray	All Y12 students will complete Task 1 below, and some students will complete Task 2. Task 1: Complete the first draft of your UCAS Personal Statement or Apprenticeship/Gap year tasks. DUE BY 3.30pm onto Showbie in the Study folder title 'Progression Day Activities'. Task 2: The Sixth Form Team have identified a small number of students who would benefit from a 1:1 interview with their tutor regarding their Post 18 Pathway. This will be conducted via MS Teams. Year 12 students will complete this day from home.
Session 2: Post 18 Pathway Talk by The Army	
BREAK	
Session 3: Apprenticeships and Degree-apprenticeships session with Mott MacDonald Bentley	
Session 4: Alumni Fair	
LUNCH	
Session 5: UCAS personal Statement/CV Workshops	

Information for Sixth Form Students

Year 12 - Lessons resume Monday 22 June

We look forward to Year 12 students resuming normal timetabled lessons from Monday 22 June.

Students who have an exam on Monday afternoon have been allocated study leave in the morning and are not expected to attend their lessons Monday morning. Students with a morning exam on Monday or Tuesday are expected to remain at school and continue with their timetabled day.

Year 12 - EPQ Submission

Hand in day for EPQ projects is Tuesday 7 July - come to S03 to submit your project between 9am and 3.30pm. Please make sure you only come to submit during a free/study period or at break or lunchtime; do not miss any lessons.

Please make sure all sections of your project are correctly printed, and you have followed the submission guidelines and checklist given to you by your supervisor. There is a short submission video to help you.

Any questions please speak to Mrs Barker.

Year 12 - Parking and Safe Driving

Please remember the important information about driving and parking:

- No student parking in the school staff car park.
- Park thoughtfully and legally along Arthurs Avenue (so not on double yellow lines, across dropped curbs, blocking driveways or blocking other parked cars into tight spots).
- Drive safely and with real care, especially on the roads around school.
- The access only side streets off Arthurs Avenue are restricted to resident parking only: Cundall Way, Southway, Grasmere Crescent and Rossett Way. Traffic wardens patrol this area and you will likely receive a ticket.

Please remember to drive safely.

Year 12 prospective Medics, Dentists, and Vets

There will be a session on **Tuesday 23 June period 1** in S28 to introduce and begin writing your personal statements for UCAS applications.

Please attend and aim to bring a list of things which you could include in your personal statement.

Any questions beforehand, please contact Miss Parker.

University Open Days

We will approve 4 days of absence for open day visits, but this must be pre-approved in advance and not clash with exams.

University Open Days are a great way to explore the campus and decide whether studying there is a good fit for you. Search your open day, plan the most from your visit and see virtual tours and videos of campus life and facilities. [Click here](#) to view open days.



There are many other new opportunities live this week including some fantastic degree apprenticeships on the links below.

[Career and Apprenticeship Opportunities](#)

[Work Experience](#)

[Super-curricular](#)

[Career Pathways](#)