

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Executive Decision Record

Decision Maker:	Executive Member for Education
Date:	21 February 2023
Title:	School Term and Holiday Dates for 2024/25
Report From:	Director of Children's Services

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1. The decision:

1.1. That the Executive Member for Education approves the school term and holiday dates that are supported by representative members of Hampshire County Council's (HCC) Conditions of Service Working Party (CoSWoP) and are set out in Appendix 2 of the report, for the school year 2024/25.

2. Reasons for the decision:

2.1. It is a duty of the Council, under section 32 of the Education Act 2022, to set the school year for its voluntary controlled and community schools.

2.2. This report seeks approval of school term and holiday dates for 2024/25. The proposed pattern provides the best balance of term and holiday dates when considering the Christmas and Easter dates and organising for schools to be in session for 195 days.

3. Other options considered and rejected: None

4. Conflicts of interest:

4.1. Conflicts of interest declared by the decision-maker: None

4.2. Conflicts of interest declared by other Executive Members consulted: None

5. Dispensation granted by the Conduct Advisory Panel: Not Applicable

6. Reason(s) for the matter being dealt with if urgent: Not Applicable

7. Statement from the decision maker: Not Applicable

Approved by:

Date:

Councillor Steve Forster
Executive Member for Education

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