

Key Dates Summary 2026-2027

Annual Teaching Block model - updated invoice release dates and final payment deadlines

Effective from Monday 10 August 2026 - Last reviewed 26 June 2026



Invoice rule Invoices are issued one week before each Teaching Block begins.	Final payment deadline Payment must be received before the first teaching day of the block.	Price change Updated lesson fees apply from Monday 10 August 2026, in line with Teaching Block 1.
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Annual Teaching Calendar

Period	Teaching / closure dates	Invoice released	Final payment deadline	Lesson place status from
Teaching Block 1 Autumn Foundation Block	Mon 10 Aug to Sun 11 Oct 2026	Mon 3 Aug 2026	Sun 9 Aug 2026	Unpaid places placed on hold from Mon 10 Aug 2026
Teaching Block 2 Winter Progress Block	Mon 12 Oct to Sun 20 Dec 2026	Mon 5 Oct 2026	Sun 11 Oct 2026	Unpaid places placed on hold from Mon 12 Oct 2026
Christmas Closure	Mon 21 Dec 2026 to Mon 4 Jan 2027	-	-	School closed
Teaching Block 3 Spring Development Block	Tue 5 Jan to Sun 4 Apr 2027	Tue 29 Dec 2026	Mon 4 Jan 2027	Unpaid places placed on hold from Tue 5 Jan 2027
Spring Closure	Mon 5 Apr to Sun 18 Apr 2027	-	-	School closed
Teaching Block 4 Summer Performance Block	Mon 19 Apr to Sun 27 Jun 2027	Mon 12 Apr 2027	Sun 18 Apr 2027	Unpaid places placed on hold from Mon 19 Apr 2027
Summer Closure Optional summer lessons	Mon 28 Jun to Sun 15 Aug 2027	Separately arranged	Separately arranged	Standard timetable closed

Bank/public holidays: Bank or public holidays that fall inside published Teaching Blocks are treated as standard teaching days unless The Glasgow School of Music has separately announced a closure. For this calendar, this includes St Andrew's Day, Good Friday, Early May bank holiday and Spring bank holiday. This summary is a guide only; the full Terms and Conditions published on the GSofM website are the controlling version.