

# The Glasgow School of Music

## Key Dates Summary 2026-2027

### Parent Information Centre

Teaching Blocks, invoices, payment deadlines and lesson hold dates

Annual Teaching Block calendar, invoice issue dates, payment due dates and lesson hold dates.

<b>New calendar begins</b> Monday 10 August 2026	<b>Regular lesson times</b> Existing students remain on their current day and time unless separately agreed.	<b>Payment requirement</b> Payment is due before each Teaching Block begins to secure the lesson place.	<b>Late payment</b> Lessons are placed on hold from the published date if unpaid and no approved arrangement is in place.
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Period	Teaching / closure dates	Invoice issued	Payment due by	Lessons on hold from
<b>Teaching Block 1</b> Autumn Foundation Block	<b>Mon 10 Aug - Sun 11 Oct 2026</b> Standard teaching period	Mon 3 Aug 2026	Sun 9 Aug 2026	<b>From Mon 10 Aug 2026</b> If unpaid / no approved arrangement
<b>Teaching Block 2</b> Winter Progress Block	<b>Mon 12 Oct - Sun 20 Dec 2026</b> Standard teaching period	Mon 5 Oct 2026	Sun 11 Oct 2026	<b>From Mon 12 Oct 2026</b> If unpaid / no approved arrangement
<b>Christmas Closure</b> Published school closure	<b>Mon 21 Dec 2026 - Mon 4 Jan 2027</b>	Not applicable	Not applicable	<b>School closed</b>
<b>Teaching Block 3</b> Spring Development Block	<b>Tue 5 Jan - Sun 4 Apr 2027</b> Standard teaching period	Tue 29 Dec 2026	Mon 4 Jan 2027	<b>From Tue 5 Jan 2027</b> If unpaid / no approved arrangement
<b>Spring Closure</b> Published school closure	<b>Mon 5 Apr - Sun 18 Apr 2027</b>	Not applicable	Not applicable	<b>School closed</b>
<b>Teaching Block 4</b> Summer Performance Block	<b>Mon 19 Apr - Sun 27 Jun 2027</b> Standard teaching period	Mon 12 Apr 2027	Sun 18 Apr 2027	<b>From Mon 19 Apr 2027</b> If unpaid / no approved arrangement
<b>Summer Closure</b> Optional summer lessons may be offered separately	<b>Mon 28 Jun - Sun 15 Aug 2027</b>	Separately arranged	Separately arranged	<b>Standard timetable closed</b>

**Important:** Optional summer lessons may be offered separately during the summer closure period, subject to tutor availability. The standard weekly timetable is closed during the Summer Closure. For full payment, absence and cancellation rules, refer to the Terms & Conditions.

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