

Long-term plan 2025-2026: St Thomas More School

Schools starting Tuesday 2nd September 2025 and finishing Monday 20th July 2026. Advent starts Sunday 30th November. Lent begins Wednesday 18th February. Schools are not in for Holy Week (Palm Sunday 29th March). Pentecost is on Sunday 24th May.

	Sept				Oct			Nov				Dec			Jan				Feb			Mar				April			May			June				July				
	1	8	15	22	29	6	13	20	3	10	17	24	1	8	15	5	12	19	26	2	9	23	2	9	16	23	13	20	27	4	11	18	1	8	15	22	29	6	13	
N	NURSERY CONTINUOUS UNIT NL: THROUGHOUT THE YEAR																																							
N	NA: Creation				NB: God our Father Cares for Us			NF: God's Family				NC: Advent – Getting ready			ND: Christmas			NE: Baptism My Name			NG: Lent- Jesus and His Father				NH: Holy Week - Hearing			NI: Easter - Alleluia			NJ: Pentecost – the air around us			NK: Special Celebrations				NL: Continuous Unit		
R	RECEPTION CONTINUOUS UNIT RL: THROUGHTOUT THE YEAR																																							
R	RA: Creation – God's Gifts				RB: People who care for Us			RF: People who help us				RC: Advent			RD: Christmas			RE: Baptism			RG: Lent				RH: Holy Week			RI: Easter			RJ: Pentecost			RK: Prayer				RL: Continuous Unit		
I	IA: Creation				IB: Families and Creation			IC: Prayer				ID: Advent			IE: Christmas			IF: Jesus: teacher and healer			IG: Forgiveness		IH: Lent		II: Holy Week				IJ: Easter			IK: Pentecost			IL: Sharing Jesus' Life				IM: Following Jesus today	
2	2A: Old Testament Stories and Prayers				2B: Sharing in the life of Jesus			2E: Parables /Miracles				2C: Advent			2D: Christmas			2F: Special Celebrations			2G: Lent				2H: Holy Week			2I: Easter			2J: Pentecost			2K: Our Church				2L: The Mass		
3	3A: Belonging				3E: We listen to God's word at Mass			3B: Reconciliation				3C: Advent			3D: Christmas			3G: Prayer			3F: Lent				3H: Holy Week			3I: Easter			3K: Pentecost			3J: The Eucharist is a Thanksgiving to God						
4	4A: Creation and the Story of Abraham				4B: Jesus teaches us ow to pray			4F: Moses-King David				4C: Advent			4D: Christmas			4E: Jesus: Light of the World and Beloved Son			4G: Lent				4H: Holy Week			4I: Easter			4J: Pentecost			4K: Sharing in the life of Christ				4L: Special roles and responsibilities		
5	5A: Creation				5B: Miracles and the Sacrament of the sick			5F: Parables and Saying of Jesus				5C; Advent			5D: Christmas			5E: Baptism			5G: Lent				5H: Holy Week			5I: Easter			5J: Pentecost			5K: Work of the Apostles				5L: Marriage and Holy Orders		
6	6A: The Story of the People of God				6B: Followers of Christ			6G: Prayers in the lives of the followers of Christ				6C: Advent			6D: Christmas			6E: Baptism and Confirmation			6F: Lent				6H: Holy Week			6I: Easter			6J: Pentecost			6K: Belonging to the Church community				6L: Celebratin g the Lives of Mary and the Saints		

Guidance:

1. Liturgical units should be placed first ensuring that the whole school begins each season at the same time.
2. The Christmas unit does not need to be completed before the Christmas holidays. Work on the Christmas unit should stop at the birth of Jesus and resume after the holiday. The Christmas unit can be taught up to the week of Jesus' baptism and during the following week.
3. The Easter unit should not be started until the season of Easter.
4. Sacramental preparation units should then be placed in relation to when the particular Sacrament is being received.

FIRST CONFESSIONS: Tuesday 3rd December 2025, 3.30pm – 4.30pm

First Holy Communion Corpus Christi Sunday 07th June 2026, 3.30pm

Celebration of Confirmation Trinity Sunday, 14th, 21st, or 28th (TBC) June 2026, 3.30pm