

**Chulmleigh College**  
**Countdown to GCSEs**  
**Year 11 Calendar of Events 2025-2026**

No of School Weeks until GCSE Exams Start	Week Commencing	Date	Activity
25	30th September	29-09	Assembly
		02-Oct	Countdown to GCSEs Evening (Pupils and Parents)
24	7th October	06-Oct	Assembly
23	14th October	13-Oct	Assembly
22	21st October	20-Oct	Assembly
		20-Oct	Year 11 Revision Session
		24-Oct	Non-Pupil Day
	27th October	All Week	HALF TERM Year 10/11 Iceland Trip
21	3rd November	3rd-Nov	Non-Pupil Day
		04 - 07Nov	French Speaking Mock Assessments
		04-Nov	Year 11 Tempest Photos
		07-Nov	Half Term Progress Data: Report 1
20	10th November	10-Nov	Assembly – Scholar Awards
19	17th November	18-Nov	Assembly + Exam Briefing
18	24th November	24-Nov	Assembly
		24-Nov	Animal Care Coursework Day
		25-Nov	Year 11 English Functional Skills Exams
		25-Nov	Year 11 Food & Nutrition NEA1 Moderation Day
		26-28 Nov	Year 11 Mock Exams
17	1st December	01-Dec	Assembly
		01-05 Dec	Year 11 Mock Exams
16	8th December	08-Dec	Assembly
		08-10 Dec	Year 11 Mock Exams
		11-12 Dec	Year 11 Textiles NEA Mock
15	15th December	15-Dec	Assembly
		15-16 Dec	Year 11 Art NEA Mock
		17 Dec	Drama Component 2 Mock
		29-Dec	Church Service and Christmas Lunch
	22nd December	2 Weeks	CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY

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14	5th January	05-Jan	<b>NON-PUPIL DAY</b>
		06-Jan	<b>GCSE Textiles</b> - Assignment paper released to students
		06-Jan	<b>GCSE Art and Design</b> - Assignment paper released to students
		09-Jan	Half Term Progress Data: Report 2
13	12th January	12-Jan	Assembly – Scholar Awards
		12-Jan	<b>Year 11 Mock Results Day</b>
		15-Jan	Year 11 Parents Evening
12	19th January	19-Jan	Assembly
11	26th January	26-Jan	Assembly
		30-Jan	Deadline for College Applications for Post 16
10	2nd February	02-Feb	Assembly
9	9 <sup>th</sup> February	09-Feb	Assembly
		13-Feb	Half Term Progress Data: Report 3
	<b>16th February</b>	<b>All Week</b>	<b>HALF TERM</b>
8	23rd February	23-Feb	Assembly
7	2nd March	02-Mar	Assembly – Scholar Awards
		02-05 Mar	<b>Year 11 Core Mock Exams</b>
		06-Mar	<b>Year 11 Functional Skills Resits (TBC)</b>
6	9th March	09-Mar	Assembly
5	16 <sup>th</sup> March	16-Mar	Assembly
		16-20 Mar	<b>French Speaking Mock Assessments</b>
4	23rd March	24-Mar	Assembly
		23-Mar	<b>Geography Pre-Release Material Issued to Candidates</b>
		23-27 Mar	<b>GCSE Food and Nutrition – NEA Practical</b>
		23-27 Mar	<b>GCSE Drama Component 2 (2 days TBC) + external examiner</b>
3	30th March	30-Mar	Assembly
		30-Mar to 01 Apr	<b>Design and Technology Component 2 NEA</b>
		02-Apr	Half Term Progress Data: Report 4
		03-Apr	<b>BANK HOLIDAY</b>
	<b>6th April</b>	<b>2 WEEKS</b>	<b>EASTER HOLIDAY</b>
2	20th April	20-Apr	Assembly

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		20-Apr-24-Apr	GCSE Art NEA (2 Days TBC)
		20-Apr-24-Apr	GCSE Textiles NEA (2 Days TBC)
		23-Apr	Year 11 Awards Evening
1	27th April	27-Apr	Assembly – Scholar Awards
		27-Apr to 01-May	GCSE French Speaking Exams
		27-Apr to 01-May	GCSE PE External Moderator (1 Day TBC)
		01-May	BTEC Animal Care Public Exam
START OF EXAM SERIES Exam Week 1	4th May	04-May	BANK HOLIDAY
		08-May	START OF 2026 GCSE EXAM SERIES
Exam Week 2	11 <sup>th</sup> May	All Week	FIRST FULL WEEK OF 2026 GCSE Exams - Early lunches
Exam Week 3	18th May	All Week	2026 GCSE Exams - Early lunches
	25th May	All Week	HALF TERM
Exam Week 4	1st June	All Week	2026 GCSE Exams - Early lunches
		07-Jun	Half Term Progress Data: Report 5
Exam Week 5	8th June	08-Jun	Assembly – Scholar Awards
		All Week	2026 GCSE Exams - Early lunches
Exam Week 6	15th June	15 Jun	2026 GCSE Exams Final Day
Additional Dates		18-Jun	Year 11 - Leavers Ball
Additional Dates		24-Jun	Contingency Day for GCSE examinations should sustained national or local disruption arise during the June 2026 examination series up to and including 24/06/26
Additional Dates		20-Aug	Results and Certification for June 2026 Series – Released to Students

#### KEY

	Exams – Mock Exams and Public Examinations
	School Holidays/Bank Holidays/Non-Pupil Days
	Assessments/NEAs (work towards overall final GCSE Grade)