

Schooling in Great Britta in



The school year runs from September to July and is 39 weeks long.

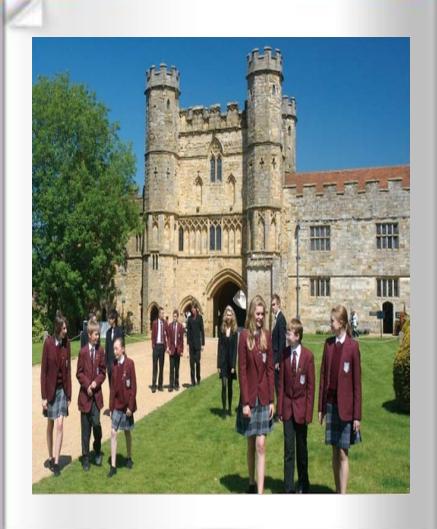
School holidays
The main school
holidays are:

- o Christmas- 2 weeks
- Spring 2 weeks
- Summer 6 weeks
 There are also one week holidays:

end of October

Children in England begin to go to school when they are five or four.





From five seven children are in infant schools. An infant school is like a kindergarten. Children draw, sing and begin

to learn to read

From seven to eleven children in England go to a junior school. In this





From eleven to sixteen boys and girls in England go to a secondary school. They begin to study in form one. They have many subject in their timetable: English, **English** literature, Foreign language, **Mathematics**, History, Geography, Physics, Biology,

Woodwork Music In

At the age of 16, students in England, Wales and Northern Ireland take an examination called the GCSE (General



The sixth form is the last form a secondary school. More ambitious pupils continue to study in the 6th form. They stay on at school for one or two years to prepare themselves for university. They have only three or four main

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Pupils who continue to study at high school take a further set of standardized exams, known as a levels, in three or four subjects. These exams determine whether a



Students normally enter university from age onwards, and study for an academic degree. Historically, all undergraduate education outside the private University of Buckingham was largely state-financed, with a small contribution from top-up fees. The typical first degree offered at English universities is the bachelor's degree, and usually lasts



Postgraduate education

Students who have completed a first degree are eligible to undertake a postgraduate degree, which might be a:

- Master's degree (typically taken in one year, though research-based master's degrees may last for two)
- Doctorate (typically taken in three years).





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