



### Ashfield College Academic Calendar 2022/23

Please be advised that dates may be subject to change. All events will operate in accordance with all relevant and current DES, SEC, HSE and government guidance. Parents should keep a regular check on their emails for most up to date school information.

Date	Day	Event
<b>Term 1</b>		
7 <sup>th</sup> September 2022	Wednesday	5 <sup>th</sup> Year Orientation
8 <sup>th</sup> September 2022	Thursday	6 <sup>th</sup> Year Orientation (New 6 <sup>th</sup> Years – completing the one-year program in 2022/23)
9 <sup>th</sup> September 2022	Friday	6 <sup>th</sup> Year Orientation (Ashfield 5 <sup>th</sup> Years 21/22, Returning as 6 <sup>th</sup> Years 2022/23)
12 <sup>th</sup> September 2022	Monday	School Year commences for all students
26 <sup>th</sup> October 2022 – 28 <sup>th</sup> October 2022	Wednesday – Friday (inclusive)	Autumn Exams for all students
31 <sup>st</sup> October 2022 – 4 <sup>th</sup> November 2022	Monday – Friday (inclusive)	October Break
7 <sup>th</sup> November 2022	Monday	School Reopens for all students after the holidays at 8.30 a.m.
9 <sup>th</sup> November 2022	Wednesday	Teachers complete all reports
11 <sup>th</sup> November 2022	Friday	Reports published on VShare for Parental Access & Review
15 <sup>th</sup> November 2022	Tuesday	6 <sup>th</sup> Year Parent Teacher Meeting
17 <sup>th</sup> November 2022	Thursday	CAO information meeting for 6 <sup>th</sup> Parents
24 <sup>th</sup> November 2022	Thursday	5 <sup>th</sup> Year Parent Teacher Meeting
8 <sup>th</sup> December 2022	Thursday	Careers Evening
14 <sup>th</sup> December – 21 <sup>st</sup> December 2022	Wednesday - Wednesday (inclusive)	Winter Exams for all students
21 <sup>st</sup> December 2022	Wednesday	School closes for Winter Holidays

<b>Term 2</b>		
5 <sup>th</sup> January 2023	Thursday	School Reopens for all students after the holidays at 8.30 a.m.
9 <sup>th</sup> January 2023	Monday	Teachers complete all reports
11 <sup>th</sup> January 2023	Wednesday	Reports published on VSware for Parental Access & Review
6 <sup>th</sup> February 2023	Monday	February Bank Holiday - School Closed
13 <sup>th</sup> February 2023 to 17 <sup>th</sup> February 2023	Monday - Friday (inclusive)	February Midterm Break
20 <sup>th</sup> February 2023	Monday	School Reopens for all students after the holidays at 8.30 a.m.
2 <sup>nd</sup> March 2023 – 16 <sup>th</sup> March 2023	Thursday – Thursday (inclusive)	6 <sup>th</sup> Year Leaving Cert. Mock Examinations
2 <sup>nd</sup> March 2023 – 8 <sup>th</sup> March 2023	Thursday – Wednesday (inclusive)	5 <sup>th</sup> Year Spring Exams
9 <sup>th</sup> March - 10 <sup>th</sup> March 2023	Thursday – Friday	5 <sup>th</sup> Year Trip* subject to Covid-19 guidance at the time
13 <sup>th</sup> March - 15 <sup>th</sup> March 2023	Monday – Wednesday (inclusive)	5 <sup>th</sup> Year Classes as usual
17 <sup>th</sup> March 2023	Friday	St Patrick's Day - School Closed
22 <sup>nd</sup> March 2023	Wednesday	Teachers complete all reports
23 <sup>rd</sup> March 2023	Thursday	Reports published on VSware for Parental Access & Review
28 <sup>th</sup> March 2023	Tuesday	6 <sup>th</sup> Year Parent Teacher Meeting
30 <sup>th</sup> March 2023	Thursday	5 <sup>th</sup> Year Parent Teacher Meeting
31 <sup>st</sup> March 2023	Friday	School Closes for Spring Holidays
3 <sup>rd</sup> April – 14 <sup>th</sup> April 2022	Monday – Friday (inclusive)	Spring Holidays
<b>Term 3</b>		
17 <sup>th</sup> April 2023	Monday	School Reopens for all students after the holidays at 8.30 a.m.
1 <sup>st</sup> May 2023	Monday	May Bank Holiday - School Closed
22 <sup>nd</sup> May – 26 <sup>th</sup> May 2023	Monday - Friday (inclusive)	5 <sup>th</sup> Year Summer Exams
22 <sup>nd</sup> May – 26 <sup>th</sup> May 2023	Monday - Friday (inclusive)	6 <sup>th</sup> Year Block Classes (as required)
26 <sup>th</sup> May 2023	Friday	6 <sup>th</sup> Year Graduation, School closes for Summer Holidays 2023
7 <sup>th</sup> June 2023	Wednesday	Leaving Certificate Exams begin (TBC)

<b>Other Important Dates*</b> *Dates shown below presented as <u>general guidelines only based on previous years</u> . These dates below are usually followed each academic year by the Department of Education & the State Exams Commission. These dates will be issued by the Department of Education and the State Exams Commission in due course. Dates will also be dependent upon DES, SEC, HSE and government guidance in relation to Covid-19. Updates are available at <a href="http://www.examinations.ie">www.examinations.ie</a>	
October 2022	Closing date for UCAS, Medicine, Veterinary and Dentistry
October 2022	Closing date for Reactivating RACE applications
November 2022	Ashfield College Well-Being Month
November 2022	CAO opens (TBC)
<b>January 2023</b>	<b>External Candidate Leaving Cert. Application – All Ashfield College 6<sup>th</sup> Years must complete an application by the deadline (visit <a href="http://www.examinations.ie">www.examinations.ie</a>)</b>
January 2023	External Candidates for RACE
January 2023	Initial CAO deadline
February 2023	Final CAO deadline and Online Supplementary Information Form for DARE deadline
February 2023	HPAT Exam
March 2023	(TBC) DARE closing date for receipt of supporting documentation - to be received by post in Galway
<b>Project Deadlines for 6<sup>th</sup> Years*</b> *Dates shown below presented as <u>general guidelines only based on previous years</u> . These dates below are usually followed each academic year by the Department of Education & the State Exams Commission. These dates will be issued by the Department of Education and the State Exams Commission in due course. Dates will also be dependent upon DES, SEC, HSE and government guidance in relation to Covid-19. Updates are available at <a href="http://www.examinations.ie">www.examinations.ie</a> .	
November 2022	Home Economics Project Deadline
December 2022	Economics Project Deadline
January 2023	DCG Project Deadline
March/April 2023	Oral Examinations and Music Practical Examinations
March/April 2023	Ag Science, History, Geography and Religious Education Projects Deadline
May 2023	Art Live Drawing Examinations
May 2023	CAO change of mind
June 2023	Leaving Certificate Examinations
August 2023	Leaving Certificate Results