

WEEK 8

Big Tree Attribute of the Week: Resourcefulness

Monday 02 March 2026	
	Form 8 French Speaking exams
	Acorns Trip to Shropshire Hills Discovery Centre, Craven Arms
	Reception to Form 5 Standardised Assessments (all week)
10:30	7F Chocolatshow with Mr and Mrs Goldsmith
15:45	U9 and UII Girls Netball v Moreton Hall and Ellesmere (Home)
	Form 7 Online Parent - Teacher Meetings
Tuesday 03 March 2026	
13:00	Lunchtime Concert at St Alkmund's, Shrewsbury
16:00	UI3 Netball v Moreton Hall (Home)
	Form 7 Online Parent - Teacher Meetings (online)
Wednesday 04 March 2026	
10:30	7M Chocolatshow with Mr and Mrs Goldsmith
	Wolverhampton Grammar School UII Girls Netball Festival
	Packwood UI3 Netball Tournament
Thursday 05 March 2026	
	World Book Day
15:45	Packwood Award Speaker - Dr Richard Case, Shrewsbury School: 'Voyage of the Beagle'
15:45	Packwood Form 3 and 4 Sports Festivals
	Boys UI3 North Shropshire Indoor Cricket Competition, Oswestry School
	IAPS Swimming, Shrewsbury School
Friday 06 March 2026	
	Form 8 French Listening Exams
15:00	Boarders Books and Biscuits
15:30	Forms 5 and 6 In-person Parent - Teacher Meeting
15:30	Exeat begins

WEEK 9

Big Tree Attribute of the Week: Empathy

Monday 09 March 2026	
	Forms 6-7 Standardised Assessments (all week)
	ABRSM Music Exams
14:15 - 15:15	Reception 2026 Starters Come and Play Transition session
15:45	UII Netball Quadrangular v Moreton Hall, Oswestry and Adcote (Away at Moreton)
15:45	U9 Netball v Adcote (Home)
16:15	UI0 and UII Rugby v Oswestry School (Home)

Tuesday 10 March 2026	
	ABRSM Music Exams
15:45	UI3 Netball v Adcote (Home)
Wednesday 11 March 2026	
10:30	8H Chocolatshow with Mr and Mrs Goldsmith
10:30	Summer Term 2026 Calendar Meeting
	Packwood UII Netball Festival
	UI2 County Rugby Festival, Church Stretton
Thursday 12 March 2026	
13:30	Oswestry School U9 Girls Netball and U9 Boys Rugby Festivals
	Lady Taveners Shropshire Finals, Wrekin College
	Form 8 Parent - Teacher Meetings (online)
	UI3 Rugby Sevens (Haberdasher Adams)
Friday 13 March 2026	
09:15	Acorns Open Assembly (refreshments from 8.15am in The Front Hall)
10:00	UI3 Lady Taverners Regional Finals, Wrekin College
	Forms 5-7 Shrewsbury School Art Competition
	Form 8 Parent - Teacher Meetings (online)
Saturday 14 March 2026	
09:00	Lent Service at Ruyton XI Towns Church
	Packwood Spring Open Morning
	U9 Rugby v Whitchurch (Home) TBC
Sunday 15 March 2026	
	Boarders Activities: Spring walk to Baschurch

WEEK 10

Big Tree Attribute of the Week: Excellence

Tuesday 17 March 2026	
10:30	8P Chocolatshow with Mr and Mrs Goldsmith
17:00	Junior Concert, Theatre
Wednesday 18 March 2026	
	UI3A and B, UIIA and B Rugby v Prestfelde (Away)
	UI2 Rugby, UI0A and B Rugby v Prestfelde (Home)
	Gotta Dance Competition, Theatre Severn
Thursday 19 March 2026	
10:00	U8 Mixed Hockey and UI0 4-a-side Boys Hockey Festival, Shrewsbury School
	Shropshire Indoor Cricket Finals, Wrekin College
Friday 20 March 2026	
	Whole school Acorns - Form 8 Comic Relief Non-Uniform Day and Holi Festival Colour Run
15:30	Term ends

Summer Term:

Monday 13 April 2026:

Boarders return from 5.30pm

Tuesday 14 April 2026:

Term begins

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Tenacity - Respect - Humility

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Calendar Dates for

Spring Term

2026



# Calendar Spring Term 2026

If there are changes to the calendar we will communicate with you via email.

## WEEK 1

School Value of the Week: Humility

Monday 05 January 2026	
	Staff Inset Day: Curriculum planning
17:30	Boarders return
Tuesday 06 January 2026	
	Terms begins
Wednesday 07 January 2026	
	Forms 3-8 Sixes Cross Country
Thursday 08 January 2026	
16:00 – 17:00	7F Music Technology Workshop at Shrewsbury School
Saturday 10 January 2026	
	Sixes challenge
Sunday 11 January 2026	
	Boarders Activities: Climbing Hut and Black Hawk Laser Tag

## WEEK 2

School Value of the Week: Tenacity

Tuesday 13 January 2026	
10:30	3J Chocolatshow with Mr and Mrs Goldsmith
	UI2 and I3 Rugby v Haberdasher Abraham Darby (Home)
15:45	UI2 Girls Netball v Oswestry School (Home)
Wednesday 14 January 2026	
	UIIA and B Netball & UIIA and B Boys Hockey v Birchfield (Away)
	UI3A and B Boys Hockey v Birchfield (Home)
	UI2 Netball v Wrekin College (Away)
Thursday 15 January 2026	
08:30 – 09:30	Acorns Coffee Morning in The Front Hall
10:30	3R Chocolatshow with Mr and Mrs Goldsmith
16:00 – 17:00	7M Music Technology Workshop at Shrewsbury School
Friday 16 January 2026	
	Prep Schools Musical Theatre Workshop at Shrewsbury School
	Form 3 Science trip to the Xplore Centre, Wrexham
Saturday 17 January 2026	
	NSEA Eventers Challenge at Kelsall, Cheshire
19:00	Boarders trip – Telford Tigers v Peterborough Phantoms Ice Hockey

Sunday 18 January 2026	
	Boarders Activities: ‘Cake at the Farm’ and The Edge Outdoor Activity

## WEEK 3

School Value of the Week: Respect  
(Fundamental British Values)

Tuesday 20 January 2026	
08:30	Junior Food and School Council Meetings
17:00	Ensembles Winter Concert, Theatre
Wednesday 21 January 2026	
08:00 – 09:00	Forms 3-5 Parent Coffee Morning, The Front Hall
	UI0 and UII Rugby v Wrekin Prep (Away)
	UI2 Rugby v Thomas Adams (Away)
	UIIA and B Netball v Wrekin Prep (Away)
Thursday 22 January 2026	
08:30	Senior Food Council and School Council Meetings
15:45	Packwood U8/ U9 Boys Rugby and Girls Netball Festivals
	Forms 2 and 4 ESB Assessments
09:00 – 13:00	Form 5 Sports Taster Experience Day at Shrewsbury School
Friday 23 January 2026	
	Shrewsbury School Big Band Day (all pupils in the Packwood Big Band to attend)
15:30	Exeat begins
Sunday 25 January 2026	
	West Midlands Epee Fencing Competition at Packwood (British Youth Qualifier)
17:30	Boarders may return

## WEEK 4

Big Tree Attribute of the Week: Boldness

Wednesday 28 January 2026	
	UI2 Netball v Terra Nova (Away)
	UI0, UIIA, UIIB Rugby v Terra Nova (Home)
	UI2, UI3 Rugby triangular v Terra Nova and Stonyhurst (away at Terra Nova)
Thursday 29 January 2026	
13:30	Oswestry School U9 Girls Netball and U9 Boys rugby Festival
	Packwood Award Speaker, Alex Brogan (Shrewsbury School) – ‘Magic Maths’
Friday 30 January 2026	
10:00	UII County Girls and Boys Hockey Finals, Shrewsbury School

13:00	UI3 County Boys Hockey Finals, Shrewsbury School
Saturday 31 January 2026	
	Weaver Dance Festival
	Sixes Saturday – Fundamental British Values Debate
Sunday 01 February 2026	
	Weaver Dance Festival
	Boarders Activities: Women’s Super League Football, Manchester City v Chelsea

## WEEK 5

Big Tree Attribute of the Week: Imagination

Monday 02 February 2026	
15:45	U9 and UIIB Girls Netball v Adcote and Ellesmere College (Home)
13:30	Oswestry School UIIA Netball and UII Rugby Festivals
Tuesday 03 February 2026	
10:30	4P Chocolatshow with Mr and Mrs Goldsmith
15:45	UI3 Netball v Adcote (Home)
Wednesday 04 February 2026	
	UIIA and B & UI2 Netball v Prestfelde (Away)
	UI2 Rugby, UI0A and B Rugby v Prestfelde (Away)
	UI3A and B Rugby & UIIA and B Rugby v Prestfelde (Home)
	Boarders’ Burns Night Supper and Ceilidh Dancing
Thursday 05 February 2026	
	Acorns Theme Day ‘Ice Worlds’
10:30	4R Chocolatshow with Mr and Mrs Goldsmith
	The Shrewsbury School Sir Philip Sidney Essay Finalists’ Event
15:45	U9 Mixed Sixes Hockey
Saturday 07 February 2026	
	U8, U9, UI0, UII, UI2, UI3 Rugby v Oswestry Rugby Club (Home)
Sunday 08 February 2026	
	Boarders Activities: Trip to Shrewsbury Prison and Valentines Card making and baking

## WEEK 6

Children’s Mental Health Week – Big Tree Attribute of the Week: Growth-Minded

Monday 09 February 2026	
15:45	UI0 and UII Rugby v Oswestry School (Home)
Tuesday 10 February 2026	
08:00 – 09:00	Forms 6-8 Parent Coffee Morning, The Front Hall

10:30	Form 5G Chocolatshow with Mr and Mrs Goldsmith
16:00	UI2 Netball v Corbet School (Away)
Wednesday 11 February 2026	
11:00	Junior Packwood Award Speaker, Christopher Harper
	Severn Trent – ‘Super Sewers’
	UII Boys Hockey v Birchfield (Away)
	UI2 and UI3 Rugby v Wrekin College (Away)
	UI3 Boys Hockey v Wrekin (Home)
Thursday 12 February 2026	
10:30	Form 5D Chocolatshow with Mr and Mrs Goldsmith
16:15	U9 Boys Rugby v Oswestry School (Away)
Friday 13 February 2026	
15:30	Forms 3 and 4 In-Person Parent – Teacher Meetings
15:30	Half Term begins
Sunday 22 February 2026	
17:30	Boarders may return

## WEEK 7

Big Tree Attribute of the Week: Teamwork

Monday 23 February 2026	
	Form 8 Exam Week (all week)
Tuesday 24 February 2026	
	Form 6 Virtual Synagogue Visit
10:30	6E Chocolatshow with Mr and Mrs Goldsmith
16:15	UI2 Girls Netball v Oswestry School (Away)
Wednesday 25 February 2026	
	Packwood UII and UI2s Rugby Festivals
Thursday 26 February 2026	
10:30	6R Chocolatshow with Mr and Mrs Goldsmith
17:00	Forms 3 and 4 Open Assembly, Theatre
Friday 27 February 2026	
08:15 – 09:00	Breakfast and Books (Reception to Form 2). Repeated 4.00-5.00pm
10:00	North Shropshire UI3 Lady Taverners Indoor Cricket, Moreton Hall
Saturday 28 February 2026	
08:15 – 09:00	Breakfast and Books (Forms 3-8)
	Packwood UI3 Rugby Festival
	UII Mixed Sixes Hockey
Sunday 01 March 2026	
	Boarders Activities: Easter Egg Hunt and Baking