

**ORKNEY ISLANDS COUNCIL  
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION & RECREATION SERVICES**

**SCHOOL CALENDAR 2008/2009**

<b>Term</b>	<b>Dates</b>		
Autumn	Start	(staff)	Monday 18 August 2008
		(pupils)	Tuesday 19 August 2008
	End		Friday 10 October 2008
Winter	Start	(staff)	Thursday 23 October 2008
	In-service		Thursday 23/Friday 24 October 2008
		(pupils)	Monday 27 October 2008
	End		Friday 19 December 2008
Spring	Start		Monday 5 January 2009
	In-service		Thursday 12/Friday 13 February 2009
	End		Friday 27 March 2009
Summer	Easter Monday		Monday 13 April 2009
	Start		Tuesday 14 April 2009
	Mid-term break		Monday 4 May 2009
	End		Friday 26 June 2009
Autumn Term 2009	Start	(staff) (pupils)	Monday 17 August 2009 Tuesday 18 August 2009
Staff:	40 + 42 + 60 + 53 =		195 days
Pupils:	39 + 40 + 58 + 53 =		190 days