

Report To:	Education & Lifelong Learning Committee	Date: 07 September 2010	
Report By:	Corporate Director Education and Communities	Report No: EDUC/52/10/AH	
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Subject:	School Terms Dates – Session 2011/2012		

1.0 PURPOSE

1.1 To seek Committee approval of the school term dates for the session 2011/12.

2.0 SUMMARY

- 2.1 The teachers' working year consists of 195 days of which 190 days coincide with the school year for pupils and the remaining 5 days being set for the purpose of teacher in service days.
- 2.2 In August 2004 the Committee agreed, in keeping with neighbouring councils, to fix a two-week spring break in April and also a one-week autumn break falling on the 3rd week of October. Glasgow City Council had for the sessions 2009/10 & 2010/11 moved their October break forward by one week. At a meeting of authority representatives hosted by Glasgow City Council earlier in the year all present were informed that Glasgow would be reverting back to the established pattern of the third week in October from the session 2011/12.
- 2.3 During June, head teachers and their staff were consulted on the proposed term dates including local holidays and in-service days. In addition, the teaching unions and parent councils have also been consulted and no adverse comments were received. The proposed term dates reflect the Committee decision to fix the spring and autumn breaks and take account of the proposed term dates set (or being planned) by Glasgow, Renfrewshire, East Renfrewshire & North Ayrshire Councils.

3.0 **RECOMMENDATION**

3.1 Committee is asked to approve the term dates for 2011/12 a set out in appendix 1.

Albert Henderson Corporate Director Education and Communities



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Term	School Term & Local Holid	Holiday Total	Working Days (Teachers)	
First	In-Service Day In-Service Day Pupils Return Close Local Holiday Re-Open Close In-Service Day Pupils Return Close	Monday, 15 th August 2011 Tuesday, 16 th August 2011 Wednesday, 17 th August 2011 Friday, 2 nd September 2011 Monday, 5 th September 2011 Tuesday, 6 th September 2011 Friday, 14 th October 2011 Monday, 24 th October 2011 Tuesday, 25 th October 2011 Thursday, 22 nd December 2011	6	88
Second	Re-Open Close Mid-Term Local Holiday In-Service Day Pupils Return Close	Monday, 9 th January 2012 Friday, 10 th February 2012 Monday, 13 th February 2012 Tuesday, 14 th February 2012 Wednesday, 15 th February 2012 Thursday, 16 th February 2012 Friday, 30 th March 2012	(19) 13	(146) 58
Third	Good Friday Easter Monday Local Holiday Re- Open May Day Close Local Holiday Local Holiday Local Holiday Pupils Return Close	(6 th April 2012) (9 th April 2012) Monday, 16 th April 2012 Tuesday, 17 th April 2012 Monday, 7 th May 2012 Thursday, 31 st May 2012 Friday, 1 st June 2012 Monday, 4 th June 2012 Tuesday, 5 th June 2012 Wednesday, 6 th June 2012	(34) 15	(195) 49



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Term	School Term & Local Holid	Holiday Total	Working Days _(Teachers)	
First	In-Service Day In-Service Day Pupils Return Close Local Holiday Local Holiday Re-Open Close In-Service Day Pupils Return Close	Monday, 17 August 2009 Tuesday, 18 August 2009 Wednesday, 19 August 2009 Thursday, 03 September 2009 Friday, 04 September 2009 Monday, 07 September 2009 Tuesday, 08 September 2009 Friday, 16 October 2009 Monday, 26 October 2009 Tuesday, 27 October 2009 Wednesday, 23 December 2009	7	86
Second	Re-Open Close Mid-Term In-Service Day In-Service Day Pupils Return Close	Wednesday, 6 January 2010 Friday, 05 February 2010 Monday, 08 February 2010 Tuesday, 09 February 2010 Wednesday, 10 February 2010 Thursday, 11 February 2010 Thursday, 01 April 2010	(17) 10	(147) 61
Third	Local Holiday Re- Open May Day Close Local Holiday Local Holiday In-Service Day In-Service Day Pupils Return Close	Monday, 19 April 2010 Tuesday, 20 April 2010 Monday, 03 May 2010 Thursday, 27 May 2010 Friday, 28 May 2010 Monday, 31 May 2010 Tuesday, 1 June 2010 Wednesday, 2 June 2010 Thursday, 3 June 2010 Tuesday, 29 June 2010	(32) 15	(195) 48

NB: Local holiday and in-service dates have been subject to consultation with headteachers, teacher trade unions and parent council members