

**Report To:** Education & Communities Committee      **Date:** 04 September 2012

**Report By:** Head of Education      **Report No:** EDUCOM/28/12/WB

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**Subject:** School Term Dates – Session 2013 / 2014

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### **1.0 PURPOSE**

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to seek the approval of the Committee for setting the school term dates for the session 2013/14.

### **2.0 SUMMARY**

- 2.1 The intention of this report is to set out the school term dates.
- 2.2 The teachers' working year consists of 195 days. 190 days coincide with the school year for pupils and the remaining 5 days are set for the purpose of teacher inservice days.
- 2.3 The proposed term dates take account of the term dates set (or being planned) by Glasgow, Renfrewshire and North Ayrshire Councils.
- 2.4 Consultation has taken place with HR and the Trade Unions on the proposed term dates and in-service days with no adverse comments received.

### **3.0 RECOMMENDATIONS**

- 3.1 Committee is asked to approve the term dates for 2013/14 as set out in appendix 1.

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**Education, Communities and Organisational Development**

**SCHOOL TERM DATES AND IN-SERVICE DAYS IN SESSION 2013 - 2014**

		<b>WORKING DAYS FOR TEACHERS</b>
<b>FIRST TERM 2013</b>		
Return Date for Teachers	Tuesday 13 August 2013	
Return Date for Pupils	Thursday 15 August 2013	
Schools Close	Friday 6 September 2013	
September Weekend	Monday 9 September 2013	
Schools Close	Friday 11 October 2013	
First Mid - Term	Monday 14 October 2013 to Friday 18 October 2013 (inclusive)	
Return Date for Teachers	Monday 21 October 2013	
Return Date for Pupils	Tuesday 22 October 2013	
Schools Close	Friday 20 December 2013	
Christmas / New Year	Monday 23 December 2013 to Friday 3 January 2014 (inclusive)	88
<b>SECOND TERM 2014</b>		
Return Date for Teachers	Monday 6 January 2014	
Return Date for Pupils	Monday 6 January 2014	
Schools Close	Friday 7 February 2014	
Second Mid - Term	Monday 10 and Tuesday 11 February 2014	
Return Date for Teachers	Wednesday 12 February 2014	
Return Date for Pupils	Thursday 13 February 2014	
Schools Close	Friday 4 April 2014	
Spring Break	Monday 7 April 2014 to Thursday 17 April 2014 (inclusive) Good Friday 18 April 2014 Easter Monday 21 April 2014	(151) 63
<b>THIRD TERM 2014</b>		
Return Date for Teachers	Tuesday 22 April 2014 *	
Return Date for Pupils	Tuesday 22 April 2014 *	
Spring Holiday Monday	1 day to be confirmed	
Schools Close	Friday 2 May 2014	
May Day	Monday 5 May 2014	
Schools Close	Thursday 29 May 2014	
May Weekend	Friday 30 May to Monday 2 June 2014 (inclusive)	
Return Date for Teachers	Tuesday 3 June 2014	
Return Date for Pupils	Wednesday 4 June 2014	
Schools Close	Thursday 26 June 2014	(195) 44
<b>IN-SERVICE DAYS</b>		
First term	Tuesday 13 and Wednesday 14 August 2013	2
	Monday 21 October 2013	1
Second term	Wednesday 12 February 2014	1
Third term	Tuesday 3 June 2014	1

\*Please note - The return date in the third term may change depending on the Spring Holiday Monday