Hamilton Academy.

Dates for your diary.

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| Thursday 25th October 2018  [Calendar](http://www.google.co.uk/imgres?q=school+closed&hl=en&rlz=1R2HPEA_en-GBGB385&biw=1024&bih=545&tbm=isch&tbnid=PpW62pBNgdGU0M:&imgrefurl=http://www.cradleylinks.co.uk/homer-hill-reunion.htm&docid=etQ50Vbd35jLQM&imgurl=http://www.cradleylinks.co.uk/images/school-closed.jpg&w=250&h=132&ei=LB8XT6_YI4OL8gOYmeX8Ag&zoom=1) | Academy closes at the end of the school day and reopens again on Tuesday 6th November 2018. |
| Thursday 1st November 2018 to Tuesday 15th January 2019 | **Reception 2019 applications.**  On-line applications are being encouraged [www.stoke.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.stoke.gov.uk/admissions) however, should you require a paper copy of the form, please telephone the academy office.  **Reminder – if your child currently attends our academy, you will still need to apply for a place in our Reception class.** |
| Thursday 1st November 2018 to Tuesday 15th January 2019 | **Year 3 Grove Academy 2019 applications.**  On-line applications are being encouraged [www.stoke.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.stoke.gov.uk/admissions) however, should you require a paper copy of the form, please telephone the academy office. |
| http://www.ashvegas.com/wp-content/uploads/2012/11/open.jpgTuesday 6th November 2018 | Academy open to children. |
| Thursday 8th November 2018  MC900433812[1] | Academy Photographers in school.  Individual photos and siblings who attend Hamilton Academy.  Academy Photographers will also be offering a Family Portrait session **BY APPOINTMENT ONLY** between 8:00am and 9:00am for photographs of your child with their siblings who **DO NOT** attend Hamilton. Please telephone 01782 566100 to arrange an appointment. |
| [http://t2.gstatic.com/images?q=tbn:ANd9GcRVBBNPoB2AnpV2vLwWOf2IxTYA0C-eLqR81XY9SzM7m4mq7kZQ](http://www.google.co.uk/url?sa=i&rct=j&q=remembrance+day&source=images&cd=&cad=rja&uact=8&ved=0CAcQjRw&url=http://www.teacherfiles.com/clip_art_remembrance.htm&ei=b8VIVJThNYL3O5bYgIAD&psig=AFQjCNHKOt_MoKfhsijntM4R3I-TajCEuw&ust=1414141658406361) Friday 9th November 2018 | Remembrance Day Assembly.  10:15am.  **Year 2** parents / carers are invited to join us for this assembly. |
| Monday 12th November 2018  [Image result for odd socks day](https://www.google.co.uk/url?sa=i&rct=j&q=&esrc=s&source=images&cd=&cad=rja&uact=8&ved=2ahUKEwjA4sz1q5_eAhUwz4UKHdDaCj8QjRx6BAgBEAU&url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.schooltrends.co.uk%2Fpages%2Flatest-news%2Foddsocks.aspx&psig=AOvVaw2Ds02mA2fvmnRV-UvEMrqc&ust=1540479600299324) | Odd Socks Day.  Odd Socks day will take place on the first day of Anti Bullying Week to help raise awareness around anti-bullying. |
| Friday 16th November 2018  http://www.hcscalendar.co.uk/images/CIN.gif | Children In Need.  All children are invited to come to school wearing something spotty.  £1 donation. |
| Monday 3rd December 2018 to Thursday 31st January 2019 | **Nursery 2019 applications.**  On-line applications are being encouraged [www.stoke.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.stoke.gov.uk/admissions) however, should you require a paper copy of the form, please telephone the academy office. |
| Wednesday 5th December 2018  [https://encrypted-tbn0.gstatic.com/images?q=tbn:ANd9GcQH8FulOkcZtHvbAoMZhzn8mrIfcq_Cl0H0lRfnBqvO-6_Cww9XfFw6uujbLQ](http://www.google.co.uk/imgres?hl=en-GB&rlz=1T4HPEA_en-GBGB308GB308&biw=1024&bih=545&tbm=isch&tbnid=8lfoZ_kHNGXWUM:&imgrefurl=http://www.snowdome.co.uk/groups-parties/birthday-parties/&docid=Ag-c4lzbl4xUuM&imgurl=http://www.snowdome.co.uk/media/138657/wonderlandbanner250x231v2.jpg&w=250&h=231&ei=rzZDUuSrEsHwhQev7IHwCg&zoom=1&iact=rc&dur=140&page=2&tbnh=108&tbnw=117&start=22&ndsp=21&ved=1t:429,r:23,s:0,i:175&tx=61&ty=50) | **Reception** to visit SnowDome, Tamworth.  Consent forms and contributions to be received by Friday 23rd November. Children need to be in school at 8.30am promptly. We anticipate to return back to school at 3:45pm. We expect that the venue may be cold and children are asked to wear full school uniform and a warm coat, suitable footwear (wellies), a warm hat and gloves. Any girls wearing a skirt are encouraged to wear warm grey tights**.** |
| Thursday 6th December 2018  See the source image | Christmas Dinner / Jumper Day.  More information to follow. |
| http://www.catawbaschools.net/schools/StStephensElementary/staff/june_robison/Clip%20Art/children%20singing.jpgMonday 10th December 2018 | City Songbirds Christmas Concert at the Victoria Hall, Hanley.  6:45pm.  More information to follow. |
| Wednesday 12th December 2018  Image result for christmas fayre | Community Christmas Fayre at Grove Academy from 3.45pm.  All ESPRIT Multi Academy Trust Parents / Carers welcome.  More information to follow. |
| carol-singersMonday 17th December 2018 | **Year 1** Christmas Concert.  9.30am.  **Year 2** Christmas Concert.  11.00am.  More information to follow. |
| carol-singersTuesday 18th December 2018 | **Nursery** Christmas Concert.  9.30am.  **Reception** Christmas Concert.  11.00am.  More information to follow. |
| C:\Users\Dswift\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\Temporary Internet Files\Content.IE5\GQ8NMRVD\MC900410533[1].wmfFriday 21st December 2018 | Christmas Party Day. |
| Friday 21st December 2018  [Calendar](http://www.google.co.uk/imgres?q=school+closed&hl=en&rlz=1R2HPEA_en-GBGB385&biw=1024&bih=545&tbm=isch&tbnid=PpW62pBNgdGU0M:&imgrefurl=http://www.cradleylinks.co.uk/homer-hill-reunion.htm&docid=etQ50Vbd35jLQM&imgurl=http://www.cradleylinks.co.uk/images/school-closed.jpg&w=250&h=132&ei=LB8XT6_YI4OL8gOYmeX8Ag&zoom=1) | Academy closes at **1:30pm** and reopens again on Tuesday 8th January 2019. |
| Tuesday 8th January 2019  http://www.ashvegas.com/wp-content/uploads/2012/11/open.jpg | Academy is open to children. |