

GRACE FOUNDATION Core Meetings & Key Dates 2026/27

TERM	Vision Day (Compulsory for all)	Staff Training – Open to all (Optional)	All Staff Online Training (Compulsory)	Training Workshops – Ethos Leaders (Online) (Compulsory)	Ethos Leaders Cluster (Compulsory)	FSW Cluster (Compulsory)	YW Cluster (Compulsory)
Autumn 1	Venue: Highgate House Tuesday 20th October, 9.30am – 4pm		Thursday 3rd September (including SAFEGUARDING) 3:30pm-4:30pm Online Tuesday 6th October 3.30pm-4.30pm Online		Tuesday 8 th September Clusters 1 & 2, 1.30pm – 3.30pm Lunch from 12.30pm (GATE – Manor Room)	Tuesday 15 th September Clusters 1 & 2, 1.30pm – 3.30pm Lunch from 12.30pm (GATE – Moore/Champion)	Tuesday 22 nd September Clusters 1 & 2, 1.30pm – 3.30pm Lunch from 12.30pm (GATE- Manor Room)
Autumn 2			Tuesday 1 st December 3.30pm-4.30pm Online	Wednesday 18 th November 1.30pm – 3.30pm Online	Tuesday 10 th November Cluster 1: 9.30 – 11.30am (Coffee from 9am) Cluster 2: 2 – 4pm (Coffee from 1.30pm) (GAD/EWS D)	Tuesday 17 th November Cluster 1: 9.30 - 11.30am (Coffee from 9am) Cluster 2: 2 - 4pm (Coffee from 1.30pm) (LHS/GAC)	Tuesday 24 th November Cluster 1: 9.30 - 11.30am (Coffee from 9am) Cluster 2: 2 - 4pm (Coffee from 1.30pm) (EHS/HA)
Spring 1	Whole Team Skills Day Tuesday 23 rd February 9.30am – 4pm Online	Tuesday 9 th February AM & PM Staff Competencies (GATE – Manor Room)	Tuesday 2 nd February 3.30pm-4.30pm Online		Tuesday 12 th January Clusters 1 & 2, 1.30pm – 3.30pm Lunch from 12.30pm (GATE – Manor Room)	Tuesday 19 th January Clusters 1 & 2, 1.30pm – 3.30pm Lunch from 12.30pm (GATE – Moore/Champion)	Tuesday 26 th January Clusters 1 & 2, 1.30pm – 3.30pm Lunch from 12.30pm (GATE – Manor Room)
Spring 2				Wednesday 17 th March 1.30 - 3.30pm Online	Tuesday 2nd March Cluster 1: 9.30 – 11.30am (Coffee from 9am) Cluster 2: 2 - 4pm (Coffee from 1.30pm) (Q3GB/LGA)	Tuesday 9 th March Cluster 1: 9.30 - 11.30am (Coffee from 9am) Cluster 2: 2 - 4pm (Coffee from 1.30pm) (TGK/RA)	Tuesday 16 th March Cluster 1: 9.30 – 11.30am (Coffee from 9am) Cluster 2: 2 - 4pm (Coffee from 1.30pm) (GAS/Q3T)
Summer 1		Tuesday 20 th April AM & PM Staff Competencies GATE	Tuesday 13 th April 3.30pm-4.30pm Online	Wednesday 19 th May 1.30-3.30pm Online	Tuesday 4 th May Clusters 1 & 2, 9.00am – 4.00pm (GATE – Manor Room)	Tuesday 11 th May Clusters 1 & 2, 1.30pm – 3.30pm Lunch from 12.30pm (GATE – Manor Room)	Tuesday 18 th May Clusters 1 & 2, 1.30pm – 3.30pm Lunch from 12.30pm (GATE – Manor Room)

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Summer 2	Venue: Renewal Church Solihull Tuesday 8 th June 9.30am – 4pm	Tuesday 22 nd June AM & PM Staff Competencies (GATE – Manor Room)	Tuesday 15 th June 3.30pm-4.30pm Online	Wednesday 7 th July 1.30-3.30pm Online	Tuesday 29 th June Cluster 1: 9.30 – 11.30am (Coffee from 9am) Cluster 2: 2 - 4pm (Coffee from 1.30pm) SOA/STAN	Tuesday 6 th July Cluster 1: 9.30 - 11.30am (Coffee from 9am) Cluster 2: 2 - 4pm (Coffee from 1.30pm) Q3T/EWS R	Tuesday 13 th July Cluster 1: 9.30am – 11.30am (Coffee from 9am) Cluster 2: 2 - 4pm (Coffee from 1.30pm) LHS/GAC
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National Day of Prayer for Schools: Friday 25th September 2026 TBC

These are core GF dates – other training will be available – details TBC.

Deadlines: Impact Reports, Learn Upon & QA

Impact Report Deadlines*	Learn Upon Modules – to all be completed by 31.12.2026	QA Deadline & QA Visit
Friday 6 th November 2026	DSE	
Friday 8 th January 2027	GDPR: A Practical Overview	
Friday 26 th February 2027	Whistleblowing (Knowledge Check)	January 2027
Friday 16 th April 2027	Fraud: Failure to Prevent	
Friday 11 th June 2027	Tax Evasion: Failure to Prevent	
Friday 30 th July 2027		June 2027