

# Sports Development Clubs

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Dear Parents / Carers,

## **Critical worker and vulnerable child half-term provision**

I hope I find you all safe and well in what is still a challenging time for us all.

Firstly, thank you for all the queries and good wishes regarding the after-school clubs. As I'm sure you understand, the present situation means we are unable to offer any type of after-school sports club under the current guidelines. Rest assured I will be in touch as soon as we can begin to make future plans.

However, as we make our way towards February half-term, we would like to offer vulnerable children and the children of critical workers the chance for half-term provision, between Monday 15<sup>th</sup> – Friday 19<sup>th</sup> February. If the expected demand is high we will allocate places through a ballot, prioritising vulnerable children first. All children who meet the criteria are welcome to apply for a place, including those who may not have taken up a term time place.

At first, we are only gaging the interest and demand for places, **no places will yet be given**, as well as setting out the provisional schedule and plans for you all to consider.

### **Organisation and Timings**

We are initially aiming to offer places in two separate groups. Within each of these groups, 'bubbles' or 'pods' will be created, based upon the children's age.

**GROUP A** will be a morning group, running 9:00am – 12:00pm (Monday to Friday).

**GROUP B** will be afternoon sessions, running 12:30pm – 15:30pm (Monday – Friday).

There will not be the opportunity for mixing of groups, so if your child is in Group A they will attend **ONLY** morning sessions and vice versa for Group B in the afternoons.

The main focus of the week's content will be sport based and games/activities, making most of the outdoor space available as well as indoor areas if we experience some likely bad weather. The groups will be led by members of the P.E staff, so all the children will have familiar faces and existing relationships to ensure an exciting week of activities and sport.

## **Costs**

For both groups, the price will be £80 for all five days (Monday – Friday). A place booked is for the entire week due to anticipated demand and so that the staff can plan consistent sessions for the children and their pods. Full payment details will be communicated once we have a better understanding of the demand.

Please follow the link below in order to fill in your details. Once demand is known, I will communicate back with you to advise whether we are able to run the week and if so, how we will allocate places. The deadline for declaring your interest is Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> January at 6pm.

[https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=FTxn8PlOuka7WXUteUAz\\_qdMOvVRQKdPonoNe7p5s8NUNzM2WUVNQzM4T09HMTgxWIBETUILOEVGOC4u](https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=FTxn8PlOuka7WXUteUAz_qdMOvVRQKdPonoNe7p5s8NUNzM2WUVNQzM4T09HMTgxWIBETUILOEVGOC4u)

Finally, all communication will be done by myself on behalf of Ed Support and not the school office.

Thank you all in advance for your interest and support,

Yours sincerely,

Mr Alex Starkie