



Extended Schools Newsletter

St Catherine's Primary School

Term Two 2022



After School Clubs



Welcome to Term two at St Catherine's! We have some exciting and wonderful after school clubs planned for our children this term.

These clubs are planned for Years 1 and 2, Year 4, Year 5, Year 6 and Year 7! But don't worry Year 3, we have plans for an exciting opportunity for you in term 3!

Every term this newsletter is sent out detailing the exact clubs that will run for the term and what year groups they are available for. Our aim is to provide quality after school's activities for all our pupils in every year group employing trained facilitators and our quality St.Catherine's team.

We really do hope to see all the children take advantage of these fantastic after school's clubs during this term!

In Term 2 the clubs are;

- **Years 6 and 7 Boys** -Soccer and fundamental movement Club (Mondays 3-4pm Senior Site) -
- Years 6 and 7 Girls** -Soccer and fundamental movement Club (Thursdays 3-4pm Senior Site) -
- Year 6 -Booster Club (Literacy and Numeracy)** - beginning Tuesday 22nd February (Senior Site) for 4 weeks -
- **Year 5 -Drum Therapy**, Wednesday 9th February, 9.00 - 10.30am for 8 weeks
- **Year 1a - Mini Me Yoga** beginning Monday 28th February (2-3pm) on Junior Site for 4 weeks.
- **Year 1b - Mini Me Yoga** beginning Monday 28th March (2-3pm) on Junior Site for 4 weeks.
- **Year 2a- Mini Me Yoga** beginning Wednesday 2nd March (1.30-2.30pm) on Junior Site for 4 weeks.
- **Year 2b- Mini Me Yoga** beginning Wednesday 30th March for 4 weeks.
- **Year 4a - Cookery Club beginning** Tuesday 1st March – Tuesday 15th March (3-4pm) on Junior Site
- **Year 4b – Cookery Club beginning** Tuesday 22nd March – Tuesday 5th April (3- 4pm) on Junior Site –

Family Club

We are also delighted to announce that we will be providing a Family Club on the Junior Site from 2.15pm – 3.00pm, Monday to Friday, beginning Monday 21st February 2022.

The purpose of the Family Club is to facilitate parents and guardians who have children in Foundation Stage (Years 1 and 2) who are in school until 2.15pm and who also have siblings in years 3 – 7 who are in school until 3.00pm.

The aim of the Family Club is to bridge the gap from 2.15pm until 3.00pm to allow for one pick up only.

There has already been expression of interest in this club.

There will be staffing and snack costs involved to provide this club and we gratefully ask that those who receive a place would help by subsidising a small cost of **£2 per week per child**.

Our school will fund the majority of the cost.

At St.Catherine's, we are a family school in the heart of the community and we believe that a Family Club would greatly assist parents and guardians.

Attached to this newsletter is each club's permission slip. The permission slips detail the exact date the club starts and the length of time that they run for. If you wish your child to take part in any of these clubs please fill in the permission slip and return it to the class teacher.

Thank you for your continued support

Mrs C. Gormley

Extended Schools Leader

Year 1 Mini Me Yoga

Year 1 Mini Me Yoga will begin for **Year 1a on Monday 28th February (2-3pm) on the Junior Site** and **Year 1b on Monday 28th March (2-3pm)**

This club will be facilitated by Mrs Annie Deery a qualified and respected yoga instructor. Children will focus on calming, breathing and relaxation strategies as well as strength conditioning. We really hope this club will be of benefit for your child

I would like / not like my child to gain a place in the Mini Me Yoga Club .

Signed:

Parent/ Guardian of:

Class:

Please let us know which class your child is in by putting a circle around it below.

Year 1a class Mrs Doherty (begins Monday 28th Feb)

Year 1b class Miss Hutton (begins Monday 28th March)

Year 2 Mini Me Yoga

Mini Me Yoga will begin for **Year 2a on Wednesday 2nd March** (1.30-2.30pm) on Junior Site for 4 weeks.

Year 2b Mini Me Yoga will begin on Wednesday 30th March (1.30-2.30pm) on the Junior Site

This club will be facilitated by Mrs Annie Deery a qualified and respected yoga instructor. Children will focus on calming, breathing and relaxation strategies as well as strength conditioning. We really hope this club will be of benefit for your child

I would like / not like my child to gain a place in the Mini Me Yoga Club .

Signed:

Parent/ Guardian of:

Class:

Please let us know which class your child is in by putting a circle around it below.

Year 2a class Mrs AM McGlynn (begins Wednesday 2nd March)

Year 2b class Mrs K Carlin (begins Wednesday 30th March)

Year 6 Literacy/Numeracy Booster Club

Literacy/Numeracy Booster Club will begin for Year 6 on Tuesday 22nd February for 4 weeks. This club will be run from 3.00pm – 4.00 pm. This club will be facilitated by Mrs C Deery, Miss E Keyes and Mr C Logue. It is a wonderful and worthwhile after school club, where the children have the opportunity to consolidate learning and improve their literacy and numeracy skills. We really hope this club will be of benefit for your child.

Year 6 Literacy/Numeracy Booster Club

I would like / not like my child to gain a place in the Literacy/Numeracy Booster Club starting on Tuesday 22nd February.

Signed:

Parent/ Guardian of:

Class:

Please let us know which class your child is in by putting a circle around it below.

Year 6 class Mrs Deery

Year 6 class Miss Keyes

Year 6 class Mr Logue

Year 4 Cookery Club

Cookery club will begin for Year 4 on Tuesday 1st March. Each Year 4 class will receive 3 weeks of tuition. It will be facilitated by our very own amazing cook Margaret on the Junior site! It is a wonderful and worthwhile after school club, where the children have the opportunity to have fun, create and learn new skills. We really hope this club will be of benefit to your child.

Year 4 Cookery Club

I would like / not like my child to gain a place in Cookery club starting on **Tuesday 1st March for Year 4a** for three weeks and on **Tuesday 22nd March for Year 4b**.

Signed:

Parent/ Guardian of:

Class:

Please let us know which class your child is in by putting a circle around it below.

Year 4a class Mrs Connolly

Year 4b class Mrs Vaughan

Y5 – Drum Therapy

Year 5 Drum Therapy will begin for Year 5 classes on Wednesday 9th February (in school) for 8 weeks. It will be facilitated by Mr Ronan McKee, an experienced musician. It is a wonderful and worthwhile after school club, where the children have the opportunity to have fun and develop new skills through percussion. We really hope this club will be of benefit to your child.

Year 5 Drum Therapy

I would like / not like my child to gain a place in the Drum Therapy club starting on **Wednesday 9th February**

Signed:

Parent/ Guardian of:

Class:

Please let us know which class your child is in by putting a circle around it below.

Year 5a class Mrs Gillespie

Year 5b class Mrs Gormley