

28th November 2024

Dear Parents & Carers,

We would like to invite your children to attend some of the many clubs we have on offer for the Spring 2025 Term. We are offering morning, lunch and afterschool clubs.

Please note once children have committed to a club, we strongly advise that they continue to attend for the full duration. You are not able to get a refund if you want to cancel midway throughout a term. If your child is sick or is not able to attend a session, no make up sessions are able to be rescheduled. **In the event of any unforeseen circumstances leading to a school cancellation, such as an additional bank holiday or exceptional circumstances/industrial strike action, we kindly request that you contact the respective providers for enquiries regarding refunds.**

Clubs will commence the week beginning 13th January. Clubs will run for a 10 week block, and **JA Sports will run for 11 weeks.**

If your child would like to take part in any of the clubs below, please log into [Arbor](#) or the external links from **Tuesday, 10th of December, at 20:00**, where you will be able to select and pay for the club/s your child wishes to attend. There will be a limited number of spaces for each club. Once the spaces have been filled, the club will be closed. *If the club is no longer available on your child's profile, then it means that the club is FULL.*

**Your child will only be able to attend clubs for their year group, but they may open to other year groups in the same key stage at a later date. Please make sure you book the correct club as we cannot offer 'swaps' when additional places are offered.**

Please ensure your child has appropriate clothing to wear to their club, such as: a plain T-shirt/tracksuit bottoms/leggings/leotard/trainers etc., this will need to be brought in on the day of the club. **Most of our sports clubs take place outside in dry weather and so suitable layers should also be provided.** We do not encourage children to wear their school PE kit. You may also provide your child with a very light healthy snack (no sweets please) and a water bottle, which may be consumed as they are changing.

#### **Late Collection Procedure for Afterschool Club**

Please may we remind you to collect your children promptly when clubs finish at 4.30 pm from the playground via the South Street entrance. **Please note that collecting your child late twice may result in their withdrawal from the after school club they are attending.**

**If you are eligible for Free School Meals or Pupil Premium**, you may be able to obtain free after school clubs. Please email [clubs@theblueschool.com](mailto:clubs@theblueschool.com) **before the 10th of December** to inform us of your interest. Please include your child's name, class and the club you would like your child to attend. Should there be any financial issues, please do not hesitate to speak to Mr White.

**Spring Term Clubs w/c 13th January -w/c 31st March 2025**  
**No Clubs except JA Sports-w/c 24th March -Parents Consultation week**  
**Half Term-w/c 17th February to 21st February**

CLUB	YEAR group	DAY & TIME	COST	Book via	Weeks
<b>MORNING</b>					
JA Football KS2	3,4,5,6,	Tuesday 7:40-8:30am	£88	<a href="#">JA Sports</a>	11 weeks
<b>LUNCHTIMES</b>					
Drama Club- Miss May	3,4,5,6	Wed. 12:15-1:00 pm	£50	<a href="#">Arbor</a>	10 Weeks
Wallace Chess	2,3,4,5,6	Friday 12:10 - 1:05 pm	£70	<a href="#">Arbor</a>	10 Weeks
<b>AFTERSCHOOL</b>					
Gymnastics KS2	3,4,5,6	Monday 3.30-4.30 pm	£65	<a href="#">Arbor</a>	10 Weeks
JA Football KS2	3,4	Monday 3.30-4.30 pm	£88	<a href="#">JA Sports</a>	11 Weeks
Creative Club KS2	1,2,3,4,5,6	Monday 3.30-4.30 pm	£60	<a href="#">Accelerated Education</a>	10 Weeks
Diyana Cooking Club ( <i>not suitable for those with egg or gluten allergies</i> )	1,2,3,4,5,6	Tuesday 3.30-4.30 pm	£110	<a href="#">Bake N Play</a>	10 Weeks
JA Football	1,2	Tuesday 3.30-4.30 pm	£88	<a href="#">JA Sports</a>	11 Weeks
Book Club USK2	5,6	Tuesday 3.30-4.30 pm	£45	<a href="#">Arbor</a>	10 Week
Art (Debashree)	2,3,4,5,6	Tuesday 3:30- 4:40 pm	£65	<a href="#">Arbor</a>	10 Weeks
Knitting & Sewing (Pins & Needles)	2,3,4,5,6	Wed. 3:30-4:30 pm	£130	<a href="#">Pins and Needles</a>	10 Weeks
JA Football KS2	5,6	Wed. 3.30-4.30 pm	£88	<a href="#">JA Sports</a>	11 Weeks
JA Sports-(indoor) Introduction to Dodgeball	1,2,3,	Wed. 3.30-4.30 pm	£88	<a href="#">JA Sports</a>	11 Weeks
Fun2 Learn	1,2,3,4,5,6	Wed.3:30-4:30 pm	£60	<a href="#">Accelerated Education</a>	10 Weeks
Stretch Street Dance KS1	2,3,4,	Wed. 3.30-4.30 pm	£65	<a href="#">Arbor</a>	10 Weeks

Knitting & Sewing (Pins & Needles)	2,3,4,5,6	Thurs. 3:30-4:30 pm	£130	<a href="#">Pins and Needles</a>	10 Weeks
STEM Club	1,2,3,4,5,6	Thursday 3.30-4.30 pm	£60	<a href="#">Accelerated Education</a>	10 Weeks
JA Sports Dodgeball	4,5,6	Thursday 3.30-4.30 pm	£88	<a href="#">JA Sports</a>	11 Weeks
Diyana Cooking Club ( <i>not suitable for those with egg or gluten allergies</i> )	1,2,3,4,5,6	Thursday 3.30-4.30 pm	£110	<a href="#">Bake N Play</a>	10 Weeks
JA Sports Netball	4,5,6	Friday 3.30 - 4.30 pm	£88	<a href="#">JA Sports</a>	11 Weeks

### Spring Term Clubs 24/25 -Booking Links

<b>Arbor</b> (Gymnastics, Art, Book club, SS Dance, Drama, Chess )	<a href="#">Arbor</a>
<b>Diyana Cooking Club</b> -(Accepting Child Care Vouchers)	<a href="#">Bake N Play</a>
<b>JA SPORTS</b> (Accepting Child Care Vouchers)	<a href="#">JA Sports</a>
<b>Pins and Needles</b> - (Accepting Child Care Vouchers)	<a href="#">Pins and Needles</a>
<b>Creative Club /STEM Club / Fun2 Learn</b>	<a href="#">Accelerated Education</a>

### Spring Term Clubs Timetable : w/c Mon. 13th January -w/c 31st March

Week 1 – W/C Monday 13th January	Week 6- W/C Monday 24th February
Week 2 – W/C Monday 10th January	Week 7 -W/C 3rd Parent Consultations
Week 3 – W/C Monday 27th January	Week 8 - W/C Monday 10th March
Week 4 – W/C Monday 3rd February	Week 9- W/C Monday 17th March
Week 5 - W/C Monday 10th February	W/C Monday 24th March <b><a href="#">No Clubs except JA Sports</a></b>
<b>Half Term 17th Feb. -21st Feb.</b>	Week 10- W/C Monday 31st March

## **After School Clubs Code of Conduct**

Following feedback from parents, school staff and coaches, behavioural expectations during these clubs is an area of school life that we wish to improve further.

It is a particularly difficult issue because we are very aware that the discipline during these clubs cannot and should not be too draconian. The children have been in lessons all day, and they should be allowed to let off a bit of steam. Also, the coaches who are in charge of these clubs are not qualified teachers and have not been trained intensively in behaviour management.

At the beginning of every year, each class draws up a list of class rules, and hence we have worked with our School Council in order to draw up a list of 'club rules'. I would like you to take the time to share these with your children.

Please note that if children choose not to comply with our rules, then the following will occur:

1. Your child will receive a verbal warning from a supervising adult.
2. If poor behaviour persists, then there will be a 10 minute 'time out'.
3. If the child returns and continues to act inappropriately, then they will sit out for the rest of the session.
4. If, on returning to the club the following week, your child still struggles to meet all behavioural expectations, then we will have to consider whether they should remain for the duration of sessions.

We want all of the children attending clubs to enjoy their activities and to develop as many skills as possible. It is important that all the children benefit fully from each experience and the high level of coaching they receive.

Thank you for your continued support,  
**Mrs Hunt and Mrs Kuncheva** (Extended Learning Coordinators)