

## **Grand Avenue Primary & Nursery School**

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Tuesday, 12<sup>th</sup> September 2023

Dear Parent / Carer

## **Autumn Clubs 2023**

We are pleased to confirm that a variety of clubs from external providers together with some free clubs run by our own staff will open to children in the Autumn Term.

The Autumn timetable is attached.
<ul> <li>Clubs start w/c Monday, 18<sup>th</sup> September 2023 and will run for ten weeks until Friday, 1<sup>th</sup> December (unless advised by the club provider).</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>No clubs will run on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December (INSET) or over half-term (23<sup>rd</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup> October).</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Clubs may not run due to parents' meetings, trips or ad hoc events. School will let parents/carers know when these are confirmed.</li> </ul>
<b>Staff-led Clubs will run in the Autumn term.</b> N.B. The majority of staff-led clubs are FREE although there is a minimal charge for certain clubs. Please note that we have changed the way that staff-led clubs are now booked and are no longer booked via the School Cloud. Please also note that club bookings are NOT carried over from the Summer term.
<ul> <li>These clubs are available to book on the School Gateway. Please sign in to your School Gateway account and select which club you would like to book. If your chosen club is not showing, this will mean that the club is already fully booked.</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Children can book onto only one teacher-led club. If your child wishes to join any additional staff-led clubs, please email the School Office with your request.</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Clubs "by invitation" are not bookable. Children are invited to attend the club by personal email.</li> </ul>
The external club providers have opened their bookings for the Autumn term.
<ul> <li>For clubs run by external providers (indicated by *on the timetable) you must apply to the club directly. Booking forms are available to download on the Grand Avenue website: simply click Parent Resources, select your year group and select Clubs tab (bottom left hand corner) to view and download the external booking forms. Some forms will also be available outside the Office if you cannot download them online.</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>All queries and payments for external clubs must be made directly with the club provider. We are unable to accept any booking forms or payments for these clubs at the Office.</li> </ul>





















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Kids with Bricks	<ul> <li>Kids with Bricks Clubs is an external club being run by Mr Tagg. The Club is booked for half a term at a time and is, therefore, currently available to book for Autumn 1 only.</li> <li>To book a place on Kids with Bricks, please click on the following link:</li> </ul>
	<u>Click Here - Kids with Bricks link to website</u>
Medical Conditions,	Please note that the school <u>does not</u> pass on information regarding any medical conditions, allergies or special needs to the club hosts.
Allergies & Special Needs	It is therefore the responsibility of the parent/carer to ensure the club host is made aware before the club starts.
Important reminders for all After- School Clubs	<ul> <li>Children in the Football Club and Home Learning (Years 5/6) are dismissed from the top gate. All other children will be taken to the pedestrian entrance gate by their club teacher for collection when their club finishes.</li> <li>A reminder that children should be collected on time from after school clubs. If there are any changes to your child's collection you must notify the Club provider, the Office and Out of School Club (if applicable).</li> </ul>
Action required	Staff-led clubs: Bookings for staff-led clubs will open on Thursday, 14 <sup>th</sup> September at 10.30am. Only one teacher-led club is allowed per child.
	<b>Bookings for external providers are open now.</b> Please remember should you wish to book a club run by external providers, you will need to book with them direct.

We hope to provide an opportunity for all children to participate in extra-curricular clubs and do not wish for any children to be excluded on the basis of cost. If your child is eligible for **Free School Meals**, you are able to apply for one funded place in a club offered by an external club provider. Please contact the School Office who can help.

Kind regards

Margaret Barrington Co-Headteacher Shona Pitcher Co-Headteacher

















