



# MEADGATE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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**Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> January 2024**

Dear Parents/Carers,

I am pleased to inform you that clubs for Years 1-6, run by members of school staff, will start the week beginning **Monday 22nd January** and will run for **8 weeks** throughout the spring term.

Please see the list of clubs on offer below. Shaded clubs have additional info – please read this before committing to the club. Please note that once again we have tried to accommodate a range of clubs, which meet the interests indicated by the children. There are some that required a small charge, these are mainly those which need special equipment or resources or are run by our LSAs in their own time. Other clubs are not charged for. Some take place at lunchtimes and there are some free clubs after school. If your child is in Year 6 at attends an after school club this term, please ensure that they are collected after the club, as evenings get dark early.

Clubs will run for eight sessions until Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2024 (Excluding School Holidays/Non-Pupil Days). Please note that there will be **no clubs** during the week of parent consultations (week beginning 12<sup>th</sup> February) as teachers will be involved in meetings.

Club	Run by	Year groups	Day	Time
<b>'Old Skool' Disco Dancing</b>	Mrs North	4-6	Monday	3:15 – 4:00
<b>Games (Boards etc)</b>	Mrs Hughes	1+2	Wednesday	12:30 – 1:00
<b>Mindfulness Colouring</b>	Mrs Francis	All	Tuesday	12:30 – 1:00
<b>Indoor Hockey</b>	Miss Reynolds	1+2	Tuesday	3:15 – 4:00
<b>Card Games</b>	Ms Devenish	3-6	Friday	12:30 – 1:00
<b>3D Art</b>	Ms Pateman	4,5+6	Tuesday	3:15 – 4:00
<b>Nature Club</b>	Mrs Ash	3-6	Thursday	3:15 – 4:00
<b>Book Flix</b>	Mrs Pietersen	1+2	Friday	12:30 – 1:00
<b>Football</b>	Essex Kids Camp	1,2+3	Thursday	3:15 – 4:15
<b>Keyboard Warriors</b> (Brush up on those typing skills)	Miss Featherstone	Year 2+ 3	Friday	12:30 – 1:00
<b>KS2 Reading Ambassadors</b>	Ms Pateman	KS2 (for current reading ambassadors only)	Friday	12:30 – 1:00
<b>Football</b>	Essex Kids Camp	Y4, 5+6	Friday	3:15 – 4:15

**3D Art** – There will be a one-off £1.50 charge for additional materials for those children attending the club. Please send the correct money in a named envelope.

**KS2 Reading Ambassadors** – The reading ambassadors are an existing group of avid readers who have previously applied for the role because they have shown a love of reading that they are keen to share across the school.

**Football Club** – Football club is being run by Essex Kids Camp, rather than teachers in school, and therefore will run for 9 weeks, **including parent consultation week**, when there are no teacher clubs. There is no charge to parents for this club. Please use the slip below if you would like to take part.

**Payment for clubs which require it should be made following confirmation of a place.**

If your child is interested in Mr North's multiskills club, you are able to book directly and pay through his webpage [by clicking here](#), or visiting <https://www.essexkidscamp.co.uk/activities>. The school office will not be part of the booking process for multiskills.

Clubs will not be allocated first come first served, to allow everyone equal opportunity, but names will be drawn randomly once the closing date for slips has been reached. We cannot guarantee every child a space in any of the clubs so they will be put on a waiting list if the club is already full. If you would like your child to attend any of these clubs please complete the form below and put it in the post box outside the school office by **Monday 15<sup>th</sup> January**. A return slip will be sent home later in the week to confirm which clubs your child has been allocated.

Finally, if for any reason your child will not be attending an after-school club for which they have registered, the school office must be informed. If your child misses 3 or more sessions in a row, we will offer their space to another child on the waiting list.

Many Thanks  
Mr Joseph Figg  
Executive Headteacher



**Staff Led Clubs**

Child's name.....Year.....

I would like my child to join the following club(s):

1<sup>st</sup> Choice)

2<sup>nd</sup> Choice)

Signed.....Date.....

**Staff led Clubs**

We are pleased to inform you that your child has been offered a place in the following club/s:

If your child is unable to attend a club afterschool, please inform the school office.

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