

# Seghill First School

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**Dear Parents and Carers** 

# Spring term B clubs for children in Years 1 to 4

I am delighted to announce that we have organised a number of **extra-curricular clubs** for boys and girls in **Years 1 to 4** for next half term. The details of the clubs are below-

#### After school games club with NUFC on Tuesdays for Years 1 and 3

After school games club will be run by staff from Newcastle United Foundation after school on Tuesdays. Children need to wear their **school PE kit** (plain white t-shirt, shorts/tracksuit pants and trainers). The children have PE on Tuesdays so should be wearing their PE kit for school.

This after school club will start on **Tuesday 27 February** and run for 5 weeks in total- Tuesday 27 February and Tuesdays 05, 12, 19 and 26 March. Children must be collected at **4:15pm** from the main entrance at the school office. The club costs £10.00, which is £2.00 per week, and must be paid for in advance.

# STEM club with Mrs Thomas on Mondays for Years 3 and 4

STEM club will take place at lunch time on Tuesdays. Timings will either be 12:00pm to 12:30pm or 12:30 to 1:00pm, depending on Mrs Thomas' schedule on a Monday. Children will have an early or later school meal to fit in with the timings of the club. Mrs Thomas will be running the club, with science, technology, engineering and maths activities as the focus. STEM club is open to all children in Years 3 and 4 and is not limited to those who think they are "good" at science, technology, engineering and maths.

This lunchtime club will start on **Monday 26 February** and run for 5 weeks in total- Monday 26 February and Mondays 04, 11, 18 and 25 March. Providing consent to attend is required for this club. There is no cost for attending this club, although numbers are limited to a maximum of 12.

#### Times tables club with Mrs Bell on Wednesdays for Years 3 and 4

Times tables club will take place at lunchtimes in the IT suite or key stage 2 classrooms depending on numbers. Timings will either be 12:00pm to 12:30pm or 12:30 to 1:00pm, depending on Mrs Bell's schedule on a Wednesday. Children will have an early or later school meal to fit in with the timings of the club. The club will focus on improving existing times tables knowledge and increasing keyboard speed when responding to questions. Times tables club is open to all children and is not limited to those who think they are "good" at maths. Children will have the chance to practise and improve their times tables skills at the club.

This lunchtime club will start on **Wednesday 28 February 2024** run for 5 weeks in total- Wednesday 28 February and Wednesdays 06, 13, 20 and 27 March. Providing consent to attend is required for this club. There is no cost for attending this club.

# Times tables drop in club with Mrs Bell for Years 3 and 4

Times tables drop in club will take place at lunchtimes in the Red classroom depending on numbers. Children can drop in for 10 to 15 minutes to get help from Mrs Bell with learning a specific times table, learning some new strategies or practicing what they have learnt.

Timings will be 12:00pm to 12:30pm and will depend on Mrs Bell's schedule each day. Children will have their lunch after they have been to the club. The club will focus on improving existing times tables knowledge and increasing keyboard speed when responding to questions. Times tables club is open to all children and is not limited to those who think they are "good" at maths. Children will have the chance to practise and improve their times tables skills at the club.

This lunchtime club will run on weekdays apart from a Wednesday. There is no cost for attending this club and consent is not required. Numbers are limited to a maximum of 5 on any lunchtime on a first come first served basis.

#### **Chess club with Mrs Miller for Year 4**

Mrs Miller will be starting her annual chess club and competition after the half term break. Chess club will take place at lunchtimes between 12:00pm and 12:30pm. Children will have a later school meal to fit in with the timings of the club. Children can join the club if they can already play chess or if they want to learn how to play the game.

Providing consent to attend is required for this club. There is no cost for attending this club, although numbers are limited to a maximum of 20.

#### Spring craft club with Miss Chappell on Mondays for Years 1 and 2

Spring craft club will be run by Miss Chappell after school on Mondays. The club will focus on developing and using art and design skills to make spring themed crafts.

This after school club will start on **Monday 04 March** and run for 4 weeks in total- Mondays 04, 11, 18 and 25 March. Children must be collected at **4:15pm** from the main entrance at the school office.

The club costs £8.00, which is £2.00 per week, and must be paid for in advance. Numbers are limited to a maximum of 20.

#### How to book a place for your child

If you would like your child to take part in one of the clubs, please complete and return the reply slip to school by **Monday 26 February 2024.** 

If your child is going to the NUFC games club or the spring craft club, you must also pay via **School Gateway** by **Monday 26 February 2024.** 

Places at the clubs are limited. We will write to confirm your child's place at the club immediately after the payment deadline. The payment deadline will not be extended beyond this date.

Yours sincerely

Miss Chappell Headteacher

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Child's name				
Monday lunchtime <b>STEM club</b> with Mrs Thomas for Years 3 and 4	1	2	3	4
Monday after school <b>spring craft club</b> with Miss Chappell for Years 1 and 2 costing £8.00 has been paid via School Gateway	1	2	3	4
Tuesday after school <b>games club</b> with Newcastle United Foundation for Years 1 and 3 costing £10.00 has been paid via School Gateway	1	2	3	4
Wednesday lunchtime <b>times tables club</b> with Mrs Bell for Years 3 and 4	1	2	3	4
Lunchtime <b>chess club</b> with Mrs Miller for Year 4	1	2	3	4
Medical conditions				
Medication				
Contact telephone number				
Signed				
Date				

Please complete and return by Monday 26 February 2024.

Payment on School Gateway for NUFC games club and the spring craft club, you must must also be received by this date.

Places at the clubs are limited. We will write to confirm your child's place at the club immediately after the payment deadline. The payment deadline will not be extended beyond this date.