

Tuesday 25th June 2019

Before and After School Club Provision

Dear Parents/Carers,

On behalf of our Governing Body Consultation group I would like to thank you for your comments and feedback about Out of School Club provision in September. We have received lots of positive comments about the proposals we have made. Below I have tried to answer any questions that parents/carers asked that were not originally addressed or were not clear in our previous letter.

Firstly I would like to clarify that <u>we will not be open on the two staff development days</u> in September. The reason for this is that we will use these two days to set up the Out of School Club provision and complete any staff training. We hope to provide care for the inset days (if there is sufficient demand) scheduled for the rest of the academic year. Holiday provision will also be something that we will be looking to offer in the future but at this moment there is no guarantee.

Mrs Harris will be contacting individual parents/carers who have specific queries relating to their own child/circumstances.

Can the club hours be extended until 6pm or later?

There are no plans to extend the length of time Club is open.

Can I book a place last minute?

Yes, places can be booked last minute as long as your child is registered with Club. Places can be booked in school hours (up to 4.15pm) or by calling the Manager's mobile out of school hours.

Are there any circumstances when a reduced charge will be made for the provision for example if children are dropped off after 8am, if children are collected early or if children have attended an after school sport club?

We have considered this at great length and unfortunately we are unable to offer a reduced price under any circumstance. This is because of staff ratios and different pricing structures will lead to increased complexity and administration costs.

Will snacks be healthy and will they differ from the menu that has been provided at school on that day?

We will aim to provide a healthy breakfast and snack for the children. We will liaise with the cooks at both schools to avoid children having similar food for their lunch and club snack. There will be times that children at Club will be offered a treat such as an ice lolly, cake, sweets etc.