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7th September 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

After School Clubs – Plans for 2022/23

We are really pleased to be writing to you with information about after-school clubs for this school year which we will be running with the support of Premier Education. Premier Education are the UK's No.1 provider of sport and physical activity to primary schools and we are pleased to have made arrangements to be working in partnership with them.

When will these after- school clubs be running?

These after-school clubs will take place from 3.15-4.30pm.

On Monday there will be a club for children in Years 1 and 2; Tuesdays will see a club for Years 5 and 6; Wednesdays will see a club for Years 3 and 4.

Will a member of the school team be present at the clubs?

Yes. While the club will be led by a member of the Premier Education team, each club will be supported by a staff member who children are familiar with.

Mrs Bunce will support the KS1 club; Miss Shopland will support the Year 5/6 club; Mr Whitty will support the Year 3/4 club.

How many places are available in each club? Are there costs involved?

To ensure everyone's safety and enjoyment each club has places for 20 children. These will be offered on a first come, first served basis – see 'What next?' below.

There are no costs relating to these clubs – the school is using Sports Funding provided by the government to enable these clubs to take place.

What activities will the clubs focus on?

The clubs will have a different focus every half term with a wide range of activities taking place. These will include sports that children learn as part of the school's curriculum such as TAG Rugby, Athletics and Handball, as well as other activities and sports such as Dance, Fencing, Lacrosse, Hockey and Musical Theatre.

How often will my child need to 'apply' for a place in their club?

Places will be allocated to children on a termly basis. We will write to you towards the end of each term letting you know what new activities the clubs will focus upon and invite you to let us know if your child would like to take part.

We are unsure about the level of demand for places, however should this be high we will keep a 'waiting list' in case places become available during the term.

Is there a way where I can meet the leaders of these clubs and get a sense of what they will look like?

Yes! Next week, from Monday 12th September, Premier Education will be running pop-up sessions on the school playground on each of the days detailed above. Parents are invited to pop along after school with children, say hello and see and talk about what goes on. Just like the clubs these will take place on **Monday for Years 1 and 2; Tuesday for Years 5 and 6; Wednesday for Years 3 and 4.**

What next?

Talk to your child about whether they would be interested in attending the after-school club available to them, and perhaps come along to the pop-up sessions next week.

Following the pop-up sessions we will provide all children with a slip which you can use to express an interest and seek a place for them at their club. This slip will provide details of the club's focus for the term.

In addition to the sporting opportunities highlighted above you can be expecting to hear from us over the coming weeks as we get in touch with you about after-school clubs linked to KS2 computing and choir/singing, which will be led by Mrs Brown and Miss Manley on a Monday, a club for young play leaders in year 6 which will be led by Miss Hall, also on a Monday. What's more, you will also hear from learning leaders about Stay & Play and Home Learning clubs on Thursdays over the coming weeks too.

We hope that these opportunities will be a valuable addition to the provision for your child at Haytor View. Should you have any questions concerning the arrangements please speak to your child's teacher or any member of the school team who will be pleased to be able to help you.

Yours sincerely

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