# ST WILLIAM OF YORK AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

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## **Autumn Term Newsletter 2024**

Dear Parents & Carers,

We wanted to let you know that we have places available at our After School Club. The club runs from 3.15pm to 5.45pm daily in Term Time.

After-school clubs are more than just a place to go; they're a chance for your children to learn, grow, and have fun outside of regular classes, to let off steam, make new friends, cooperate, and work together as a team. Their Emotional growth is supported as little ones learn to be patient and understanding through structured activities.

Our after school sports and physical activities keep children healthy and happy especially during winter months. Below is an insight into our time table for November/December. The full session £12 must be booked to take part in Christmas Activities;

- Keeping fit in winter Outdoor group sports/Indoor group sports every night
- Homework or spelling practice support every night.
- Winter treasure hunt Weds 20th November
- Looking after our wildlife during winter, building pine cone fat balls for our resident birds and Squirrels Weds 20th to Tues 26th Nov
- Hot chocolate making club /hot chocolate station every Weds
- Make your own elf followed by elf the movie Thurs 21st Nov
- Christmas after school bingo Friday 29th November
- Build your own gingerbread people Weds 27th to Mon 2nd Dec
- Christmas cookie decorating Weds 27th Nov to Mon 2nd Dec
- Christmas tree competition Weds 20th to Tues 26th Nov
- Make your own Christmas baubles W/C 2nd Dec
- After school Christmas party Tues 3rd Dec
- Make your own 2025 Calendar's, Christmas braclet making, Christmas Card Making W/C 9th Dec
- Christmas Movie night with Popcorn Tues 16th Dec
- Christmas activities & games W/C 16th Dec



### <u>Our Charges</u>

We charge £6 for the first hour (3.15pm-4.15pm). This usually includes a planned activity.

The full session from 3.15pm to 5.45pm is £12.00 which includes activities & a snack. There will be a £5 charge for late pick up after 5.45pm.

Our rates are currently the cheapest in the area and we hope to keep them this way. However we rely on parents paying on time and keeping payments up to date.

#### How to Book

Please use our School Spider app. to book & pay for a session. Alternatively ask the School Office to book your child in.

We are happy for children to attend less regularly but to avoid disappointment, as we have set child to staff ratios & places do get booked up, please book your child in at least 24 hours in advance.

A registration form must be completed for all children attending After School Club this is available from the school office.

#### After School Club Staff

Mrs Ward Miss Fairclough Miss Blundell Mrs Morgan

#### Emergency First Aid

From 9th January 2025 we will be running Emergency First Aid sessions every Thursday for 6 weeks. Please book the full After School Session £12 if your child wants to take part.