

Kids Clubs Newsletter

<u>Holiday Club</u>	<u>Play work</u>	<u>Notices to Parents</u>
<p>Having had a fabulous summer and welcomed everyone back to a new term, the October half term is already fast approaching. We are now taking bookings for the October Holiday Club with lots of exciting activities within themed days to include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parachute Games • Cooking activities • Trip to Cattle Country • Fashion show • Medieval feast • Disco • Create a giant's footprint with plaster of paris • and much much more <p>Book your spaces quickly. Numbers are limited and spaces are allocated on a first come, first served basis. Booking forms can be found in reception by the pre-school door.</p>	<p>We feel that it is vital that you as parents/carers are well informed as to our Kids Club ethos. We therefore have included this section on 'the principles of play work' in our newsletter.</p> <p>Principle 5:</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>"The role of the play worker is to support all children and young people in the creation of space in which they can play".</i></p> <p>Kids Club provides an opportunity to unwind and have fun through play after a long day at school. Daily activities are planned for the children they have the freedom to choose they wish to participate. Plenty of options are always available to facilitate individual children's needs.</p>	<p>As always, we would like to remind you that the safety of your child is our priority. Therefore, please ensure that they are signed in and out on the registers provided in Breakfast and After School Club. For safeguarding reasons, only leaders may open the doors to parents. If you are collecting a child from Kids Club please knock on the preschool door and the leader will answer it.</p> <p>Please could all parents ensure that they call us to let us know if their child will not be attending Breakfast or After School Club, even if they are absent from school. We are a separate organisation and therefore you must call our office (01242 515387).</p> <p>If you would like to contact us regarding Breakfast, After School or Holiday Club please send any emails to: KidsClubs@st-gregorygreat.gloucs.sch.uk</p> <p>Please note that if you have moved house or changed any contact details you MUST update your Registration Form. It is imperative that all emergency contact details are current.</p> <p>As you are probably aware both After School Clubs and Breakfast Clubs are extremely busy at the moment. We are currently holding waiting lists for some days across all clubs so please do check availability. As a result during this busy period we may be unable to agree to any adhoc requests, and no further flexi weekly bookings can be offered. Current flexi arrangements will be honoured. We apologise for any inconvenience caused.</p> <p>Please note our new Website is now up and running and the address is www.stgregoryschildcaretrust.co.uk. Future newsletters will be posted online.</p>
<u>Finances</u>		
<p>Invoices should be paid in full on the 25th of each month. Please ensure the monthly amount invoiced is paid in full to avoid confusion of accrued amounts being carried forward. Please ensure any payments for Kids Club are paid separately to any Preschool/Nursery fee payments. All payments, Voucher, BACS, Cash and cheques, should be clearly marked Kids Club or Preschool/Nursery, with the child's name, to ensure they are credited to the correct account.</p> <p>Late payment is subject to a 20% surcharge. In the event of a bill remaining unpaid all bookings will be terminated until the account is paid in full. Your prompt payment is much appreciated</p>		