



Hamstel Infant School and Nursery

Autumn Term 2024 Club Offer

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome to the new autumn term. At Hamstel we have been reviewing our clubs to support our extra-curricular offer and are excited to share with you a wider range of opportunities of after school and lunch time clubs for all children. **Our clubs will start the week beginning Monday 23rd September 2024.**

As a school we have tried very hard to keep our 'Hamstel' Clubs free but where there is a small fee this is to cover the cost of additional resources needed. We have endeavored to keep this as low as possible. Most of our lunch time clubs will be more fluid with children choosing to attend during their school day, but please see the attached document for what will be on offer.

The **after school clubs run by Hamstel Staff** will be offered for the **'whole term'** to allocated year groups, with the exception of Singing and Dance Clubs, where we will ask the children to commit for the year due to participating in outside school events. We will rotate our offers to other year groups as we journey through the academic year. You will be notified of the new offers in time for the new term. Our staff are giving up their time to run and organise these clubs, so to ensure they run smoothly and efficiently we ask that your child is committed to attending weekly for that term. To support this we recommend you talk to your child about the club they would like to come along to.

Our 'Hamstel' club offer will begin to extend to our Reception children further on in the academic year as the children are more settled into school life.

Below you will find the list of clubs available and important information on how to sign up and the process. **Please ensure you read the steps and the information provided.**

Please note: Premier Education Clubs and Bricks '4' Kids are signed up for through the company not us.

We look forward to welcoming as many children as possible to our after school clubs and lunch time clubs.

Kind Regards

Mrs. Vicki Tracy
Vice Principal

Dates:

The 'Hamstel' After School Clubs will be running weeks commencing:

Autumn	
23 rd September 2024	11 th November 2024
30 th September 2024	18 th November 2024
7 th October 2024	25 th November 2024
14 th October 2024	2 nd December 2024
21 st October 2024	9 th December 2024

***Singing starts week beginning 11th November 2024**

A note about the clubs:

After School Club	Notes
Art	Explore and develop a range of art techniques, using different materials.
Computing	An opportunity to develop some simple coding skills and explore different creative apps.
Singing	Love singing? Learn lots of new songs linked to different themes and seasons. Opportunities to sing in our local community and take part in events.
Cooking	Learn about different foods and how to cook some simple yummy dishes.
Dance	Love music and dancing? Then this is the club for you! Get your dance moves going to some of your favourite tunes, learn some new routines and take part in school events.
Textiles	Get creative and develop different skills using a variety of textiles including some sewing skills.
Well-Being	Take part in some mindfulness activities, connect with others and learn new skills to help us understanding our feelings and relationships.

Important Information about Hamstel's After School Clubs

Please read the following before booking any after school clubs:

- Please sign up by completing the online club form on the link <https://forms.office.com/e/8UrErhZm7D> by 9am Wednesday 11th September 2024. Any forms received after this date will only be included if spaces are available.
- Places at all clubs will initially be allocated on a lottery basis in order to make it fairer to everyone.
- Our clubs will run for the whole term in 5 week blocks either side of the half term break.
- Please select clubs in order of preference (1st choice, 2nd choice, 3rd choice etc.) on the form so places can be fairly distributed.
- Places in clubs will be limited so if a club becomes oversubscribed, a waiting list will be kept in case places become available at a later date.
- If your child is successful, you will be notified of your child's place in a club via e-mail. Those who have a place in paid clubs will be notified by a payment request on ParentPay on Thursday 12th September. **In these cases, all fees must be paid for by 3pm Monday 16th September or places may be allocated to other children.** Please keep a close eye on your ParentPay.
- Children should be collected promptly at the time the club finishes and **should be collected from the front of the school**, where the Club Leader will bring them to you.
- Please note, if your child receives a place, they will need to attend each week and for the full session, unless the office is informed by a parent/carer through a note, phone call, e-mail or in person. Regular failure to inform the school of non-attendance could result in your child losing their place.
- Regular non-attendance or late collection from after school clubs could also mean your child losing their place
- If you are more than 10 minutes late, then your child will be placed in After School Club and a charge could be applied.
- If, for any reason, your child no longer requires their place, please let the office know as soon as possible so the place can be offered to someone else.

After School Club	Run by	Day	Time	Year Group	Cost
Art	Miss Ayres and Miss Bishton	Monday	3.20pm-4.15pm	Year 1	£10 (equates to £1 a week)
Cooking	Mrs Riley and Miss Ley	Thursday	3.20pm-4.15pm	Year 1	£30 (equates to £3 a week)
Singing (Will start after October half term)	Miss Whiston and Miss Parmenter	Monday	3.20pm-4.15pm	Year 1 & Year 2	Free
Well-Being	Mrs Hartigan	Thursday	3.20pm-4.15pm	Year 1 & Year 2	£10 (equates to £1 a week)
Computing	Miss Iruskeita	Monday	3.20pm-4.15pm	Year 2	Free
Dance	Miss West	Monday	3.20pm-4.15pm	Year 2	Free
Cooking	Mrs Riley and Miss Ley	Tuesday	3.20pm-4.15pm	Year 2	£30 (equates to £3 a week)
Textiles	Mrs Jenkins	Thursday	3.20pm-4.15pm	Year 2	£10 (equates to £1 a week)



Hamstel Infant School and Nursery Our Lunchtime Club Offer: Autumn Term

Most of our Lunch Time Clubs are fluid and the children will have the opportunity to choose during the school day if they would like to attend. Teachers will keep note so all children have an opportunity to go during the term if they wish.

Lunchtime Club	Run by	Day	Year Group
Construction	Miss Carmichael	Monday	Year 1
Cross Country (selected children based on ability)	Mr Sayer and Mrs Walker	Tuesday	Year 1 and Year 2
Reading and Story Time	Mrs Tracy	Tuesday	Year 1 and Year 2
Recorder (children to commit to the term)	Mrs Bemister	Thursday	Year 2
Maths Games	Miss Goodman	Friday	Year 2