

# Huish Episcopi Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing to you with information about our clubs offer for next term so you can speak with your child in advance of the opening of the online booking with Schoolcomms.

The School Council has gathered ideas and preferences for clubs. All children were asked to vote for their choice. We spoke about lunch clubs and how balanced the clubs were with boys and girls. This led to an incredibly rich discussion about how we ensure our ethos prevails whilst everyone has choice. This has brought about the change to one club where football and netball will be played by all children signing up to this club. This will be over two nights due to the number of votes for football and netball, however, children will only be permitted to attend one of the two days.

Clubs run for all children in Years 1-6 until Christmas. Reception children will be able to join clubs from January. Children can participate in two clubs per week maximum (booster can be additional to the two clubs). We will cancel additional clubs if more than two are chosen. We are also introducing a new online waiting list option for all clubs therefore if a club is full when you sign up, you can join the waiting list so we are able to contact you if a place becomes available.

We will run clubs from the second week of next term, Monday 9 September. All clubs start at 15:30 and finish at 16:30; children need to be collected from the top gate. If you have booked your child into Busy Bees after their club, they will be taken there by a member of staff. The last club will run on Thursday 5 December.

All clubs need to be booked on SchoolComms. Phone, email and paper bookings will not secure a place at a club. The booking system will open from 15:00, Friday 12 July. Club booking will close on Monday 15 July, 09:00, or before then if the club is full. If you are having trouble accessing Schoolcomms, please phone the School Office.

- Booster and Chatty club children will be invited by email and will need confirming on SchoolComms.
- School PE kit must be brought into school and worn for all sport clubs. Jogging bottoms, leggings or tights must be worn for colder weather.
- All clubs are free of charge to all pupils; we are the only school locally to offer all clubs free of charge.

Clubs	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Lunch	Constructors Y3-6	Tech wizards Y3-6	Serenity sewing Y3-6	Chatty club Y1-6 (by invitation only)
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After school	Buster Booster Y6 (by invitation only)	Arty crafty Y3-6 Fit and fun Y1-2	Football & netball Y3-6 (sign up for Wednesday or Thursday)	Football & netball Y3-6 (sign up for Wednesday or Thursday)

Please check Twitter (@H\_E\_P\_S) or the school website for cancellations due to bad weather and unforeseen circumstances.

Yours sincerely

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Headteacher