

10th February 2026

Dear Parents/Carers,

After-School Chess Club for Beginners – Year 3 & 4

We are excited to announce a new After-School Chess Club for Beginners for Year 3 and Year 4 pupils, starting next half term here at Chadsmead Primary Academy.

About the Club

- The club is specially designed for children who **do not yet know how to play chess** and would like to learn.
- Our aim is to introduce pupils to the **basic rules of chess**, simple tactics, and the importance of sportsmanship.
- No prior chess experience is required – just enthusiasm to learn!

The club will run each Friday of next half term starting on Friday 27th February from 3.20-4.20pm. There are only a small number of places available which will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis. Please complete and return the sign-up slip below to the school office by Friday 13th February.

We look forward to helping your child make their first moves in chess!

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Bishop – Maths Lead and Year 3 teacher

Year 3 & 4 Beginners Chess Club

My child would like to take part in the After-School Chess Club for Beginners and if successful, will pick them up from the school office at 4.20pm each Friday.

Child's name: _____ Year: _____

Parent/Carer Signature: _____ Print: _____