

Birkenhead School Clubs & Activities in Prep



Lent Term 2025-26

Timetable for Reception, Years 1 & 2

Club	Teacher	Open To	Location	Start Date
Monday				
Nature Club	Mr Smith Miss Jones	Reception and Year 1	Little School	Mon 12th Jan 3:30-4:30pm
Sports Club	Mrs Phythian	Year 2	Little School Playground	Mon 12th Jan 3:30-4:30pm
Beavers	Kelvin Britton	Years 1 - 3	Prep Gym	Mon 12th Jan 3:30-5pm
Tuesday				
Squirrels	Mr Davies	Reception and Year 1	Old School House	Tues 13th Jan 3:45-4:45pm
Dance Club	Mrs Mayers	Years 1 and 2	Old School House	Tues 6th Jan 3:30-4:30pm
Wednesday				
Choir Club	Mrs Thomas Mr Ryan	Years 2, 3 and 4	Old School House	Wed 7th Jan 12:30-1pm
Story Seekers Club	Mrs Bentley-Jones	Year 1	Old School House	Wed 7th Jan 3:30-4:30pm
Table-Top Games	Mrs Richmond	Years 1 and 2	Little School	Wed 7th Jan 3:30-4:30pm
Thursday				
Construction Club	Miss Golledge	Reception	Old School House	Thurs 8th Jan 3:30-4:30pm
Team Sports Club	Mrs Darlington- Bullock	Year 1	Little School Playground	Thurs 8th Jan 3:30-4:30pm
Team Sports Club	Mrs McCormick	Year 2	Little School Playground	Thurs 8th Jan 3:30-4:30pm

Years 1 & 2 Clubs & Activities

Dance Club (Years 1 and 2)

'Come along and boogie with us! Learning lots of skills along the way!'

Table Top Games Club (Years 1 and 2)

This will include a range of table top games with the main priority to have fun. At the same time it will promote turn taking, teamwork, problem solving and creativity.

Story Seekers Club (Year 1)

Story Seekers Club will introduce the concept of reading, and looking at books, for pleasure. New stories will be read each week with an associated activity to follow.

Construction Club (Reception)

There will be a Construction Club after school on Thursday afternoons for Reception children. The primary aim of this club is to have fun in a safe and nurturing environment. Children will begin to develop a range of skills in order to build their confidence and self-esteem whilst working with construction kits such as Kinex or Lego.

Choir Club (Years 2, 3 and 4)

Each week we will explore different styles of music through song and movement.

Years 1 & 2 Clubs & Activities

Beavers (Ages 6 to 8)

Beavers is part of the Scouts organisation and is open to girls and boys aged between 6 and 8 years of age. The aim of Beavers is to teach a host of new skills to all children while maintaining a theme of adventure and fun.

Team Sports Club (Years 1 and 2)

This club will take place in the Prep Gym or on the Infant playground if weather allows each Monday from 3:30 to 4:30. Whilst learning how to play various sports, we will be learning how to work as a team. We will be practising various skills and will build up to playing matches.

Nature Club (Reception and Year 1)

In Nature Club, children will explore the world outdoors through fun activities. Planting, painting and much more!

Timetable for Years 3 to 6

Club	Teacher	Open To	Location	Start Date & Time
Monday				
Football	Mr Brand	Year 6	Senior Sports Hall	Mon 12th Jan 8-9am
Football	Mr Corran Mrs Jones	Year 5	Astro Turf Pitch	Mon 12th Jan 12-12:30pm
Football	Mr Corran Mrs Jones	Year 4	School Field	Mon 12th Jan 12:30 – 1pm
Hockey	Mr Brand	Years 5 and 6	Sports Hall	Mon 12th Jan 12:30 – 1pm
Beavers	Kelvin Britton	Years 1 - 3	Prep Gym	Mon 12th Jan 3:30-5pm
Crafting	Miss Rushton	Year 3	WB1	Mon 12th Jan 4-5pm
Tuesday				
Dance Club	Mrs Mayers	Years 4 and 5	Prep Gym	Tues 6th Jan 12:30-1pm
Rugby Club	Mr Pillow Mrs Jones	Year 6	Mac Field	Tues 6th Jan 4-5pm
Sports Club	Mr Halpin	Year 5	Prep Gym	Tues 6th Jan 4– 5pm
Netball	Mrs Hilton Mrs Brand	Years 5 & 6	Senior Courts	Tues 6th Jan 4– 5pm
Board Games and Construction	Mrs Coyne	Years 3 and 4	JP9	Tues 6 th Jan 4– 5pm

Timetable for Years 3 to 6

Club	Teacher	Open To	Location	Start Date & Time
Wednesday				
Choir Club	Mrs Thomas Mr Ryan	Years 2, 3 and 4	Old School House	Wed 7th Jan 12:30-1pm
Cricket Club	Mr Corran Mr Rickman	Years 5 and 6	Senior Sports Hall	Wed 7th Jan 4 – 5pm
Netball	Mrs Clarke Mr Kelly	Years 3 and 4	Senior Courts	Wed 7th Jan 4 – 5pm
Cubs	Kelvin Britton	Years 3 - 5	Prep Hall	Wed 7th Jan 4 – 5:30pm
Climbing	Mrs Thuraisingam	Year 5	Climbing Wall	Wed 7th Jan 4 – 5pm
Thursday				
Science Club	Mrs Clarke	Years 3 and 4	Science Room	Thurs 8th Jan 12:30 – 1pm
Girls' Football	Mrs Brand Mrs Hilton	Years 5 and 6	Sports Hall	Thurs 8th Jan 12:30 - 1pm
Indoor Games	Mrs Thuraisingam	Year 3	WB2	Thurs 8th Jan 12:30 - 1pm
Knitting Club	Mrs Osborne	Year 6	JP1	Thurs 8th Jan 12:30 - 1pm
Stamp Club	Mr Cox Mr Corran	Years 4 and 5	Science Room	Thurs 8th Jan 4 – 5pm
Orchestra	Mrs Keating Mrs Thomas Mrs Keegan	Years 3 - 6	Rehearsal Room	Thurs 8th Jan 4 – 5pm
Friday				
Football	Mr Pillow	Year 3	Astro Turf Pitch	Fri 9th Jan 12:30 - 1pm
Rugby Skills Based	Mr Pillow Mrs Jones	Year 5	School Field	Fri 9th Jan 12:30 - 1pm

Years 3 to 6 Clubs & Activities

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Cubs (Ages 8 - 10)

Cubs is part of the Scouts organisation and is open to girls and boys aged between 8 and 10 years of age. For Cubs, excitement and adventure are key. The Cubs programme offers a huge variety of activities surrounding areas of fitness, global and beliefs; whilst allowing them to be creative.

Prep Orchestra (Years 3 to 6)

Prep Orchestra is open to children in Years 4, 5 & 6 who play an orchestral instrument. Rehearsals take place after school until 5pm every Thursday during term time. These rehearsals will be in Year group bubbles, for the time being, in the Rehearsal Studio, Chapel and Prep Hall. The children learn to play a variety of genres of music and (hopefully) will perform in a Christmas Concert and a Summer Concert.

Year 4 Board Games & Construction

Year 4 Board Games and Construction Club will offer the children the opportunity to play a mixture of traditional and modern board games. In addition to this, the children will be able to choose a construction activity using kits such as Kinex and Meccano. The main emphasis of the club will be on having fun, but the children will also develop strategic thinking, communication skills and the ability to work as part of a team.

Year 3 Crafting

Throughout this club, children will be introduced to a range of crafting ideas, including outdoor activities, perfect for beginners.

Years 3, 4 & 5 Football Club

Run at lunchtime and consisting of fitness, drills and game related practices and small-sided matches. Open to all abilities.

Years 3 to 6 Clubs & Activities

Years 3 and 4 / 5 / 6 Netball Club

Netball clubs will run throughout the Michaelmas and Lent terms. The sessions will include skill-based drills and will generally finish with a match, allowing pupils to put skills gained into action.

Year 3 and 4 Science Club

Science Club will be following an exciting programme this year. The children will be taking part in a range of Physics, Chemistry and Biology activities.

Years 5 Rugby Club

Year 5 Rugby Club will run throughout the Michaelmas and Lent terms and takes place on the main school field. The club aims to introduce the core skills of the game. Each session will start with handling drills, before the focus moves to a specific area. Sessions often conclude with a small-sided match, which enables the pupils to put skills learnt into match situations.

Year 5 Climbing Club

An indoor climbing club that runs at our climbing wall in the Sports Hall. It is for climbers of all abilities, from complete beginners to children that enjoy climbing out of school. Children will boulder, climb up and abseil down our many different routes. They will learn and practise new techniques in a safe and fun environment.

Years 3 to 6 Clubs & Activities

Year 6 Football Club

Run on a Monday morning and consisting of fitness, drills and game related practices and small-sided matches. Open to all abilities.

Years 5 and 6 Cricket Club

Run on Wednesdays from 4 to 5pm in the Senior School Sports Hall, Years 5 and 6 Cricket Club will run throughout the Lent term in preparation for the forthcoming cricket season. The first of sessions will concentrate on fielding, batting and bowling drills, together with competitive games. The second half will focus on hard ball cricket in the nets. Appropriate clothing should be worn and all equipment will be provided by the School as necessary.

Year 6 Rugby Club

Year 6 Rugby Club aims to build upon the core skills introduced in Years 4 and 5. A typical session starts with ball handling drills, before the focus moves to a specific area of the game, where pupils look to gain a deeper understanding. Sessions often conclude with a small-sided match, which enables the pupils to put the session focus into action.

Sports Club (Year 5)

This club will take place in the Prep Gym each Tuesday. Whilst learning how to play various sports, we will be learning how to work as a team. We will be practising various skills, playing fun games and will build up to playing matches.

External Tutored Activities

Supplementary costs apply

Club	Teacher	Open To	Location	Start Date
Monday				
Chess	Mr Hanson Mr Corran	Years 3 - 6	JP8	Mon 12th Jan 4-5pm
Tuesday				
Ballet	Louise Jones	Years 5 & 6	Old School House	Tues 6th Jan 12-12:30pm
Ballet	Louise Jones	Reception	Old School House	Tues 6th Jan 12:30-1pm
Wednesday				
Ballet	Louise Jones	Year 4	Old School House	Wed 7th Jan 12-12:30pm
Ballet	Louise Jones	Year 1	Old School House	Wed 7th Jan 12:30-1pm
Judo	Peter Jones	Years 3 - 6	Prep Gym	Wed 7th Jan 4-5pm
Chess	Mr Hanson Mr Corran	Years 3 - 6	JP8	Wed 7th Jan 4 -5pm
Thursday				
Gymnastics	Amanda Moseley	Years 5 and 6	Prep Gym	Thurs 8th Jan 12-1pm
Ballet	Louise Jones	Year 3	Old School House	Thurs 8th Jan 12-12:30pm
Ballet	Louise Jones	Year 2	Old School House	Thurs 8th Jan 12:30-1pm
Judo	Peter Jones	Years 3 - 6	Prep Gym	Thurs 8th Jan 4-5pm
Friday				
Gymnastics	Amanda Moseley	Years 3 and 4	Prep Gym	Fri 9th Jan 12-1pm
Speech and Drama	Ravanne Hamer Edwina Lea	Years 4, 5 and 6	Prep Hall	Fri 9th Jan 12-12:30pm
Speech and Drama	Ravanne Hamer Edwina Lea	Years 1, 2 and 3	Prep Hall	Fri 9th Jan 12:30-1pm
Creative Writing	Charlie Lea	Years 4 - 6	Prep Science Room	Fri 9th Jan 4 - 5pm



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