

# ABBOTSWOOD JUNIOR SCHOOL



'Helping **everyone** achieve their best'



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'It Really Does Matter'

11<sup>th</sup> December 2023

## **Clubs: Spring 2024 (Booking opens 12/12/2023)**

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We have attached a timetable of the Spring term clubs for you to discuss with your child before booking opens at: **7am on Tuesday 12th December**

**We ask that you limit your club requests to TWO ONLY to allow as many pupils as possible to join a club of their choice.**

**Booking Clubs** - To apply for a place on any school-run clubs, please use the Arbor app.

- Only clubs your child is eligible for will show.
- Places are allocated on a first come first served basis. However, we try to make sure every child is able to take part in at least one club.
- Cross Country and Choir have unlimited numbers.
- We ask that you limit your club choice to a maximum of 2. This number would not include Choir and Cross Country as these have unlimited spaces.
- Once we are confident that everyone has had a fair opportunity to book clubs, we will email again to open up remaining places.
- **If you cannot book the club in Arbor, it is because it is full - due to the volume of people trying to book you will sometimes get to the point of being able to select a membership period but it won't let you proceed any further. If this happens it is because the club is full - it is not an error with the system.**

You can log into Arbor using the app or online at the following link: <https://abbotswood-junior.uk.arbor.sc/> (booking opens 7am 12/12/2023).

**Cancelling Clubs** - If your child decides to drop out of a club, please let us know at the earliest opportunity by emailing [admin.office@abbsch.co.uk](mailto:admin.office@abbsch.co.uk) (you cannot cancel clubs via Arbor). We often find that plans change and some children drop out in the first week or two. It is really important that you let us know so that we are not worrying if your child does not arrive at the club, and so that the space can be given to someone else.

**Kit** - If children have a sports club on a non PE day they will either need to change into their kit at school, or do the club in their uniform and trainers.

**Drop off and collection** - Please note that when booking clubs at Abbotswood, you accept full responsibility for making sure your child arrives safely (before school clubs) and is collected from after school clubs by a responsible person. If your child is to make their own way to or from a club, please indicate this by updating the consent for walking home alone on Arbor.

Drop off and collection from all clubs is via the front entrance of the school. Sports clubs collect from the Year 6 sports entrance. The front gate will open 5 minutes before the club ends (4.10 pm

Monday to Thursday, and at 3.40pm for Cross Country on Fridays) and you can walk around to collect your child. Parents are not permitted to wait on site for their children.

All other clubs will collect from reception unless otherwise advised. Please wait at the pedestrian gate and the children will be brought out to you. Unless children have permission to walk home on their own they will not be released until they see their adult.

All clubs start week commencing **8th January 2023** and finish for the term on **Friday 22nd March**. There are no clubs in the final week of the Spring Term (Week commencing 25th March).

**Please note all current clubs have now ended. There are NO clubs this week, week commencing 11th December.**

Thank you,

Abbotswood Junior School

<b>Spring</b>		<b>Monday</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Friday</b>
	<b>8:00- 8:40</b>	5/6 Dodgeball	3/4 Dodgeball	Running Club	Girls Football 5/6 Badminton	5/6 Athletics
<b>3:15- 4:15</b>	5/6 Tag Rugby	3/4 Netball	3/4 Tag Rugby	Djembe Drums 12.30 Lunchtime	Whole School Cross Country	
	5/6 Hockey		5&6 Netball	3/4 Athletics		
	Mindful Colouring		Choir Club			
	Ukulele Club	Yr6 Dungeons & Dragons	5/6 Crochet Club			
	Craft & Bracelet Club (finishes at 4pm)	5/6 Songwriting Club	Lego Club			