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Dear Parent/Carer,

Starting from the week beginning 22nd January 2024, lower school and upper school are welcome to attend Chess Club on alternating Mondays. The dates for the specific year groups are below; this is so that the limited amount of boards and pieces can be used fairly. New participants are welcome, if you have attended before, a permission slip will still be required.

Before signing up, I strongly urge all those interested to consider their confidence in Chess before joining. While some skills can be taught along the way, a majority of the club is playing the game against others and this can be frustrating for you if you are still learning. The basics are better to learn out of school and sign up at a later date. If spaces run out this term, anyone waiting will be prioritised for the following term.

Year 3 and 4 Chess Club

22/01/24, 05/02/24,
26/02/24, 11/03/24

Year 5 and 6 Chess Club

29/01/24, 19/02/24,
04/03/24 18/03/24

Children will be collected from the door of classroom 15, Years 5 and 6 are welcome to walk home unaccompanied as long as permission has been given on the reply slip.

Yours sincerely,

Mr J Leigh
Year 3 Class Teacher

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Chess Club

I give permission for my child _____ Class _____
to attend Chess Club.

My child will: Be picked up (Y5+Y6) Walk home alone
Go to wrap around club after session

Contact number during Chess Club _____

Signed _____
(Person with parental responsibility)

Date _____

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