



20 November 2020

Dear Parent/Carer,

RE: The return of extra-curricular sport w/c 23rd November

The DfE and Youth Sport Trust have approved the restart of extra-curricular sport in schools. There are many physical, mental and social benefits to playing sport. During this challenging time, we would like to create a safe, enjoyable environment for students to enjoy these benefits.

We will be starting our clubs after school from next week, and we will be following the COVID protocols, outlined in the DfE return to recreation sport guidance document. Activities will take place outside where possible, so students should bring appropriate clothing and footwear. However, if we have bad weather, we will use well ventilated indoor facilities with limited gameplay. Students will remain in Year Group bubbles and any equipment will be cleaned before and after use. The sessions are on days when most of the students will already be wearing PE kit on that day, and they can then continue to wear this for the club. **If a student does not have PE on a day they have an after school club, they are not to wear PE kit during the school day, they will change in the changing rooms after school.** They will be keeping a 2-metre distance, and the changing room will again, be well ventilated.

The sessions will be for both boys and girls, and the focus will be on creating a fun, engaging session where students can take part in friendly competition with their peers in a safe environment. Our initial sessions will focus on football for the boys and netball for the girls, but this can change dependent on what each group would like to do from the approved sports list.

The sessions will run from 3:10pm until 4:30pm and students meet in S block cage to register.

The Extra-Curricular Timetable

Week 1	Tuesday - Year 7 (starts 24 th November)
	Thursday - Year 8 (Starts 26 th November)
Week 2	Tuesday - Year 9 (1 st of December)
	Thursday - Year 10 (3 rd of December)



Due to COVID protocols, we are only able to have 30 students per member of staff. We, therefore, ask that you permit for your son/daughter to attend by completing and signing the slip below. Students should then return their permission slips to the appropriate teacher highlighted below. All permission slips need to be returned before your child’s respective session starts. We will then create registers for each club to ensure we have the appropriate information for our school track and trace system. **If a student does not return the attached permission slip, they will not be able to take part.**

Yours sincerely,

Mr King
Head of PE

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Please return your reply slip to:

Mr King – Years 7, 8 and 9 boys
Miss Roberts – Years 7 and 10 girls

Mr Todd – Year 10 boys
Mrs Leonard – Year 8 girls

Student’s Name: _____ **Tutor Group:** _____

I give my child permission to take part in year group extra curricular sport activities.

Signature of Parent or Carer: _____ **Date:** _____

