

St Joseph's Out of School Club
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Dear Parent/Carer,

With the Government saying that they want all school children back to school in September, we need to assess likely usage of OOSC so we can staff accordingly. Whilst we appreciate that there is still uncertainty regarding people's working arrangements, please complete the short online survey, indicating your potential OOSC requirements. Please note that we will only be able to re-open when school opens fully.

Please complete the usage survey via this link https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/MGTJX7J

Need OOSC when we re-open? Then book your contract now.

If you know you will require space in OOSC on the same days each week, it is financially beneficial to you to take out a contract. This means that you enjoy a discounted rate, but you are committing to the space for the duration of the academic year (2 changes to the contract are allowed) and you will be charged, even if your child does not attend the booked session.

Please request a contract using this link: https://stjosephsoutofschoolclub.kidsclubhq.co.uk/

Time for a change

Members of the OOSC committee have now served between 3 and 5 years each, so feel that it is time to hand over the baton to a new team. We are proud of what we have achieved during our tenure: implementing holiday club, an online booking system, third party run events and we've even outsourced most of the book-keeping so the treasurer role is now much less daunting! With increased support from Mrs Howells who will advise on all things Ofsted related and be a new liaison point with school, the Chair's role is also more manageable than in the past

So, if you need OOSC for your child to attend St Joseph's, then please step forward and be part of the new committee. We have already discussed the possibility of school taking on OOSC but it is not feasible for the school to take over the day to day running of the club at this time. It therefore needs to retain its charity status, and full committee to operate. It would be sad to see OOSC close, but this is the reality if a new committee is not formed when the club is operational again. Please indicate via the survey above, which role you would be interested in or email chairoosc.st.josephs@gmail.com if you have any questions.

Thank you for your support. We look forward to welcoming you back to OOSC as soon as possible.

The OOSC Committee