

EXTRA - CURRICULAR CLUBS
AT
ARCHBISHOP BLANCH



LUNCH TIME & AFTERSCHOOL
THERE IS SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE!



SPORTS



NETBALL

Have you been inspired by the Vitality Roses recent success. If so and you want to learn more about the game, increase your fitness and make friends come to one of our netball sessions.

From Years 7-sixth form we compete in the city league and netball tournaments. Even if you did not play in primary school or have not played for a team whilst at fBS you are more than welcome to start this year.

Matches will take place on a Tuesday or Wednesday night. Trails for teams will take place in the second week of term.

- Year 7 Netball - Thursday 2:45pm to 3:45pm - Sports Hall/Outside (Miss Oram)
- Year 8/9 Netball - Wednesday 2:45pm to 3:45pm - Sports Hall/Outside (Miss Howcroft)
- Year 10 / 11 Netball - Thursday 2.45-3.45pm - Sports Hall/ outside (Miss Walker)

FOOTBALL

Have you been inspired by the ongoing Lionesses success? Then come along and try out our football club. Football training will be running for years 7-9, but matches take place for each year group up to Year 11. The club is an excellent blend between physical exercise, socialising and enjoying a kick about! Trials for the KS3 teams will take place at the start of the year.

- Year 7 Football - Tuesday 2.45-3.45pm - astro (Miss Oram)
- Year 8/9 football - Wednesday 2.45-3.45pm - astro (Miss Oram)

BASKETBALL

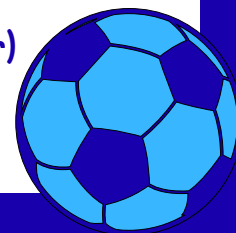
This year we have employed a coach from City of Liverpool Basketball Club - James to come and work with our pupils. This will run until Easter and different year groups will have a chance to develop their skills at various points throughout the terms.

- Years 9-11 - Monday. 2.45-3.45pm - Sports Hall - Coach James

CROSS COUNTRY

fBS has been city champions with the 8/9 squad and seniors for the last few years - we would like this to continue this year! Training will take place each Wednesday where we work on fitness, race tactics and team work and there are 4 competitive races throughout the year - 2 before Christmas and 2 after.

- Year 7-13 Cross Country - Wednesday 2:45pm - 3:45pm - Outside (Miss Walker)



SPORTS

BADMINTON

This year we have employed an external badminton coach to come and train pupils to enhance their skills and abilities. There is no cost involved for pupils but we do have to cap the club at 24 due to numbers on court. The first block of coaching will be for years 9-11. Other year groups will have an opportunity to participate later in the year

- Years 9-11 - Tuesday 2.45-3.45pm. Sports Hall - Coach Rob
- Staff & Sixth Form Recreational Badminton - Fridays 2:45-3:45 - Sports Hall

MULTI SPORTS

If you love sport, physical activity and fun, this is the club for you! Each week will be a different activity - all you need are your trainers! Bring your lunch to the sports hall, so you have as much time as possible to play!

- Year 7 - Tuesday 12.05-12.30pm - Sports Hall (Miss Oram)

WATER POLO

Water polo is on Thursday nights between 7:00 - 8:00 at Austin Rawlinson Pool. Please contact Mr Love for further details before attending.

PERFORMANCE

DANCE

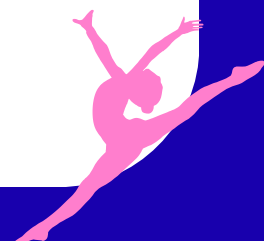
If you like to dance or have never danced before all are welcome at our lunch time dance class. All you need is your trainers and it will be a great way to learn a new skill and make friends.

- Year 7 - Wednesday 12.05-12.30pm - Dance Studio

PERFORMING ARTS

Do you have a passion for performance? Come along and join in, there will be dance, drama and musical theatre on offer! Continue to develop your skills, experience and so much more. Upcoming performing arts events include the talent show at Christmas and the end of year production.

- Key Stage 3 - Wednesday 2:35- 3:35 - Theatre (Mrs White)



MUSIC

Y7 CHOIR

Year 7! What a perfect way to make new friends! Come along to the year 7 choir in the music room on a Monday lunchtime! You don't need to have sung in a choir before! We will sing a great number of different pieces and start preparing for the Christmas Carol Service! Just bring your lunch along with you

- Year 7 - Monday 12.05-12.30pm - Performance 2 - Mr Parkinson

SENIOR CHOIR

Calling all voices! Come along to choir on a Tuesday afterschool on the Spanish Steps. You don't need to have sung before! You will be required to be a member of choir in order to take part in any big school production. You will be used through all school services and many other events!

- Years 8-13 - Tuesday 2:40 - 3:40 Spanish Steps - Mr Parkinson

WOODWIND GROUP

Do you play a woodwind instrument? Come along and play with other woodwind musicians on a Tuesday lunchtime! You will play a variety of different pieces including pop songs arranged for woodwind. You will be performing through services, concerts and prize night. Come along for some fun!

- All Pupils- Wednesday 12.05-12.30pm - Miss Goldsmith

STRING GROUP

Do you play a string instrument? Come along and play with other string musicians on a Thursday lunchtime! You will play a variety of different pieces and meet new people from all years! You will perform through services, prize nights and concerts!

- All Pupils - Thursday 12:05-12:30 - Performance 2 - Mr Parkinson

ORCHESTRA

Do you play an orchestral instrument? Come along a play with the Archbishop Blanch School Orchestra! You will play an integral part of the Christmas Carol Service at Liverpool Anglican Cathedral. You can store your orchestral instrument in the store room on a Friday and play with all year groups! Lets make music!

- All Pupils - Wednesday 2:40 - 3:40 - Performance 2 - Mr Parkinson

MUSIC

ROCK BAND

Do you love music? Want to learn guitar, drums, bass, vocals, or keyboards—and play in a real band? Our new School of Rock Club is the perfect place to jam with friends, try out instruments, and bring your favorite songs to life on stage. Whether you're a beginner or already rocking out, this is your chance to shine, have fun, and make music together.

- All Pupils - Tuesday 2.45-3:40pm - Performance 2 - Mr Parkinson

SINGING CHOIR

This is a fantastic opportunity to represent our school at St Georges Hall on 4th November. We are currently learning 4 songs to be part of a city wide signing choir as part of the Liverpool Schools Anti Bullying initiative.

- All Pupils - Wednesday 12:05-12:30 - Performance 2 - Mr Parkinson

CREATIVITY

POLITICS CLUB

Whether you're passionate about the environment, education, equality, or just love a good debate - Politics Club is the place for you! Come and explore how real decisions are made, what power means, and how you can be a force for change in school, your community, and beyond.

- Years 9, 10 & 11 - Monday 12.05-12:30pm - Room 112 (Mr Pearson)

CREATIVE WRITING

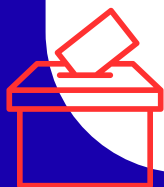
Students will enter competitions and be inspired to write creatively through looking at different authors and fuelling their imagination.

- KS4 week A and KS3 week B - Tuesday 2.35-3.35pm - Room 14 (Mr Ogolo)

BOOKS & BAKES

This is a reading and literacy book club where students will read a range of diverse and engaging novels. Students are supported in sharing their ideas, views and opinions about the novel while enjoying some biscuits or cakes. Great way to embed a love of reading in a supportive environment with sweet treats!

- Years 7 & 8 - Tuesday 2.35-3.30pm - Room 15 (Miss Fluer and Miss Gallagher)





CREATIVITY

ART CLUB

Whether you're a doodler, a designer, or just want to relax and try something new, Art Club is a space where you can experiment, express yourself, and develop your skills. We'll explore different materials and techniques - from sketching and painting to sculpture, mixed media, and collaborative projects.

- Key stage 3 - Tuesday 2.40-3:40pm - Art 1 (Ms Heritage)

GAMES CLUB

All years are welcome to Boardgames Club, some games will be provided or bring your own games, that way we have lots of variety.

Some examples include: The Chameleon, Herd Mentality, Breaking Point, Humbug. We may also offer games like Warhammer, Dungeons & Dragons, Risk, Monopoly - the sky is the limit!

Please speak to Mr Killilea if you are interested

- All Years - Tuesday 2.40-3:40pm - Room 19 (Mr Killilea)

CHESS CLUB

Come and learn, play and compete with other students at chess. Critical thinking, analytical skills and strategic planning are all needed for you to become the next chess master!!

- All Pupils - Wednesday 12.05-12:30pm - Lab 3 (Mr Scott)

BOOK CLUB

The Year 9-11 Book Club offers a welcoming space for students to read a wide range of thought-provoking books, share their thoughts and discover new genres and authors. By joining, students can improve their reading and oracy skills, build confidence and enjoy discovering something they may not have encountered by themselves.

- Years 9, 10 & 11 - Wednesday 2.35-3.35pm - Room 18 (Miss Johnson and Mrs DeMiddelaer)

ARABIC CLUB

Arabic club is going to be about language practice, where students improve speaking, reading, and writing by conversing together, playing language games, or pairing up as language partners. As well as social connection, where students from Arabic-speaking backgrounds to share their roots and for others to learn through shared experiences and cultural appreciation for example exploring Arab traditions, music, food, and architecture through presentations, food tastings, and shared cultural events.

- Years 8 & 9 - Thursday 12.05-12.30pm - Fitness Suit (Miss Albaba)





CREATIVITY



FILM CLUB

Open to years 9-11 for student who like to watch films, discuss, debate and analyse. A diverse range of films including contemporary and some older that deal with thought-provoking themes that aid lots of group discussions.

- Years 9, 10 & 11 - Thursday 2.40-3:40pm - Room 11 (Mrs Webster)

COMPUTING & CODING

Computing club will run on Thursday after school and it will be a variety of computing activities through the year that will range from escape rooms, gaming tournaments to coding.

- Years 7, 8 & 9 - Thursday 2.35-3:30pm - Room 214 (Mr Love)

GARDENING CLUB

Gardening club will run in half terms 1, 5 and 6 and will focus on weeding and bulb planting around the school site. Wellies might be required!

- All Pupils - Thursday 2:35-3:35pm - Meet in Dining Room (Miss Kiely)

DESIGN CLUB

Love making things? This club will develop your knowledge and skills of a range of Design technology disciplines. Due to safety we will have to cap numbers at 20 so please make sure you sign up!

- Key Stage 3 - Thursday 2.35-3.35pm - Meet in DT (Mr Bowers)

SPANISH CLUB

¡Hola! Want to have fun and learn Spanish at the same time? Join Spanish Club - where every week is packed with games, laughter, and culture! We will be doing a variety of activities including bingos, competitions and games. Students can also bring doubts from lessons and revise for tests.

- Key Stage 3 - Friday 12.05-12.30pm - Room A3 (Miss Iriarte)

HISTORY BOOK CLUB

Come and immerse yourself in the world of history books. Lets see what we can learn and discover.

- Years 8, 9 & 10 - Thursday 2.35-3.30pm - Room 111 (Miss Rowan)





ACADEMIC



MUSIC THEORY

- GCSE Pupils & Music lessons - Wednesday 2.45-3:30pm - Fitness Suit

PERFORMING ARTS MASTER CLASS

- KS4 & KS5 - Thursday 2.45-3:45pm - Theatre

GCSE ART

- GCSE Pupils - Thursday 2.35-3:35pm - art 2

OTHER CLUBS

HOMEWORK CLUB

Need a place to study and complete homework? Homework club provides a space for you to complete your homework. Computer and help will also be available.

- All Pupils - Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday - Lunch - Performance 3
- All Pupils - Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday - 2:35-3:30 - LRC

QUIET CLUB

For those pupils who need a quiet space during break and lunch away from the business of the school. Quiet club provides a calm, peaceful space to take a moment out of the day.

- Every break and lunch - Room 1

BREAKFAST CLUB

Breakfast club available nice and early, come and grab a bite if needed. See Mrs Rimmer for more information.

- Every morning - 8:00-8:20 - Room 1

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT ANY OF THE CLUBS PLEASE
SPEAK TO THE STAFF MEMBERS RUNNING THEM.

