



2nd March 2018

Dear Parent/Carer,

Clubs and Wraparound Care Provision
Arrangements and Costs

Redlands have recently undertaken a review of our club and Wraparound Care provision. As always, we value the comments and feedback of our parents and so, to support us with this review, we asked all parents to take part in an online survey. Our review was also discussed at the Coffee and Chat session on Wednesday 24th January and also at our Advisory Board meeting on Monday 29th January.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank those of you who took part in the survey and the Coffee and Chat session; this has supported us greatly in finalising our new arrangements.

We have now completed our review and, due to a number of factors, will be changing some elements of our provision in order to bring Redlands in line with other club and wraparound care providers and other DSAT schools. All changes will take effect from **Monday 9th April 2018**.

Wraparound Care

Although you may have already noticed an increase in staffing at our Wraparound Care provision, this will be a permanent change effective from the above date. We will also be offering a light, healthy snack for those children who attend the Extended Care section of our Wraparound Care. We have produced a more structured schedule for our Wraparound Care to ensure that the children have an enjoyable and varied experience whilst attending the provision. Please see overleaf.

Timings for Wraparound Care will remain the same, however in light of the above changes, costs for Wraparound Care will be as follows:

Breakfast Club	7.30am-8.45am	£4
Aftercare	3.15pm-4.15pm	£3.50
Extended Care	4.15pm-6pm	£5

We understand that the price has increased, but we believe these costs to be in line with other local Wraparound Care providers and that our new arrangements will support the school in offering the best possible provision for our children.

Clubs

The feedback we received regarding our club provision was very positive and we feel that the clubs that Redlands offer provide a varied and exciting opportunity for the children to take part in extra-curricular activities. As you may be aware, a number of our clubs are run by external providers which come at a cost to pay for the specialist teaching and those that are run by members of staff require resources to ensure the best possible experience for the children. As a result, it has become no longer viable to run our clubs at £1 per session, as this has resulted in a financial loss to the school, which impacts on curriculum based resources.

With this in mind, our club costs will increase to **£3.50 per week**, effective from the above date. We recognise that this is a change to our previous costs, however we must stress that these changes have been made to ensure that we can offer the best provision for the children.

Clubs will still be available as a block booking, made payable via ParentPay and all clubs have a limited number of spaces to ensure that staff ratios are correct and that the children gain the most from their experience. Booking will be live on ParentPay from 4pm on Monday 5th March. **Children who are eligible for Pupil Premium will still be entitled to one free club per term, please notify the school office no later than 3.15pm on Monday 5th March to secure your place.**

Regards and Best Wishes,

Mr Jon Brown
Executive Headteacher

Mrs Michelle Tobin
Head of School

Mrs Louise Headley
Assistant Headteacher

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7:30-8:45am	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast
3:15-6:00pm	Aftercare & Extended Care	Aftercare & Extended Care	Aftercare & Extended Care	Aftercare & Extended Care	Aftercare & Extended Care
3:15-3:45pm	Register, Homework & Fruit	Register, Homework & Fruit	Register, Homework & Fruit	Register, Homework & Fruit	Register, Homework & Fruit
3:45-4:15pm	Sporting Activities *Rounders, Dodgeball, Basketball, Dance, Team Building Games, Climbing Wall	Sporting Activities *Rounders, Dodgeball, Basketball, Dance, Team Building Games, Climbing Wall	Sporting Activities *Rounders, Dodgeball, Basketball, Dance, Team Building Games, Climbing Wall	Sporting Activities *Rounders, Dodgeball, Basketball, Dance, Team Building Games, Climbing Wall	Forest School Activities
4:15-4:45pm	Arts, Crafts & Colouring	Arts, Crafts & Colouring	Arts, Crafts & Colouring	Arts, Crafts & Colouring	Forest School Activities
4:45-5:15pm	Snack Time	Snack Time	Snack Time	Snack Time	Snack Time
5:15-6:00pm	Carousel of Quiet Games *Uno, Chess, Draughts, Cards, Dominoes, Lego, iPads	Carousel of Quiet Games *Uno, Chess, Draughts, Cards, Dominoes, Lego, iPads	Carousel of Quiet Games *Uno, Chess, Draughts, Cards, Dominoes, Lego, iPads	Carousel of Quiet Games *Uno, Chess, Draughts, Cards, Dominoes, Lego, iPads	Carousel of Quiet Games *Uno, Chess, Draughts, Cards, Dominoes, Lego, iPads