## HOLY TRINITY SCHOOL BREAKFAST CLUB

### **HOLY TRINITY CE JUNIOR SCHOOL**

BUTE ROAD, WALLINGTON, SURREY, SM6 8BZ





## **Parent & Carers Information Guide**

### All bookings must be made in advance via Parentpay

Please read this leaflet carefully as it contains information you need to know and terms and conditions you need to comply with. After reading through this guide, if you wish to register for a place for your child, please complete the application form enclosed for each child and return it to the School Office.

#### **Essential Information**

Management: The Breakfast Club is run and managed as part of the School and hence it is registered with Ofsted under the same registration number, 102991 and subject to inspection at the same time as the school.

Hours: Opening times: 7.30 to 8.40a.m

Fees: Before 8am the fee is £5.00 per session, after 8am the fee is £4.75 and

after 8:20am the fee is £1.50

#### **Terms and Conditions**

- All sessions must be booked in advance via the Parents Evening Booking system. No booking will be taken without payment having been made.
- Parents/carers of all children attending the Club must have completed an application form and notified the Club of any special medical, dietary or other needs.
- Children must be brought to the Breakfast Club by the parent/carer. It is the carer's responsibility to ensure that the child gets safely to the Breakfast Club.
- Children should not be left alone outside the school before 7.30am.
- Children should not bring any food, toys, games, money or valuable items to the Club unless by prior agreement with the Club.
- School rules must be adhered to and unacceptable behaviour will not be tolerated.
- Respect for and proper use of all property, equipment and the premises is essential and must be observed at all times.
- Parents/carers must familiarise themselves with the Club's policies and procedures and ensure their children are also aware of them.

#### **Club Policies and Procedures**

1. Admissions

The Breakfast Club has capacity for up to 60 children and there are usually between 25 and 40 children across all the year groups who attend on a daily or ad hoc basis. All bookings must be made in advance via <a href="https://holytrinitycofe.schoolcloud.co.uk/">https://holytrinitycofe.schoolcloud.co.uk/</a>.

#### 2. Cancellations / Non-attendance

Please phone the school office in advance if you wish to cancel a booked session or please cancel via the booking system.

If you have booked a session and your child does not attend you will still be charged for the session at the lower rate of £4.75. If your child is absent from school, we will automatically cancel your booking for that day and you will not be charged.

#### 3. Payment of fees

The cost of Breakfast Club is £5.00 per day before 8am, £4.75 after 8am and £1.50 after 8:20. Fees can be paid weekly, monthly or half-termly. If you are paying the fees on a weekly basis, they must be paid on the first day of the week that your child attends. **Monies must be paid in advance** and the price is the same irrespective of whether your child has a breakfast or not.

Fees are paid using ParentPay online at <a href="www.parentpay.com">www.parentpay.com</a>. Please ask the Office for a username and password if you do not already have access and for new Year 3 children, these will be sent out on the day your child starts in September so you are not expected to pay until your login details have been supplied.

As a cashless school, all payments are made through ParentPay. The advantages of Parentpay are that your child does not carry any cash and you can see the balance on the account online.

As stated above, fees must be paid in advance and children will not be allowed to continue at the Club if arrears are not paid promptly and within one week. Should you consider that there are special circumstances, please make this known to Mrs Mowle. This will be treated in the strictest of confidence. Please remember that the Club relies on your fees to meet its running costs and is a non-profit club.

The Club also welcomes childcare vouchers and is already registered with the Co-op, Edenred, Computershare Vouchers, Care-4, Kiddivouchers, Sodexo, Fideliti, Corportate Childcare Solutions group (CCSG) and Busybees Benefits – please contact Mrs Mowle to confirm details of any new provider. You can still check your balance on Parentpay, after allowing time for the transaction to be manually updated by Office staff.

#### 3. Behaviour

Children are expected to keep to the rules of the school during their time at the Breakfast Club, and an information sheet informing you of the behaviour expectations and actions taken to deal with behaviour issues is attached for your information.

#### 4. Staff

The Breakfast Club has 2 Senior and 1 Playworker experienced in childcare and playwork. The team is supplemented from time to time by a team of regular casual staff or teaching assistants who can provide cover for the permanent staff. They are all

included in training provided by the school such as child protection, first aid and school policies.

#### 5. Meals

The Club provides a healthy choice of fresh fruit, cereals and toast. Milk and fruit juice is provided at breakfast and water is always available. Children are able to have second helpings of food if they wish, but not a third helping and the Club will always encourage healthy eating habits and in line with new School Food Regulations. If your child is allergic to any food or has any special dietary needs, please specify this on the application form.

In order for your child to have plenty of time to eat their breakfast before going outside to play from 8.20am, we recommend you bring them in prior to 8.15am if they wish to eat their breakfast at the Club.

#### 6. Child Security

Parents/carers are asked to bring the children in to register on the sign in system at the school reception every day. At the end of the Club, the children will be outside and the rest of the school pupils will join them before lining up ready for the school day.

#### 7. Child Protection

The Club is legally bound to report any forms of suspected abuse to the school's designated person that may become apparent whilst your child is in the school.

#### 8. Illness and Welfare

The Club employs a qualified First Aider. Should your child become ill during this time and is considered too ill to be cared for by staff, you will be informed immediately and asked to come and collect them.

Please ensure that the Club is informed of any circumstances that could affect the child's welfare or behaviour by including this on the application form and discussing this further with the staff.

The club makes every effort to accommodate and welcome any child, and will work in liaison with parents to take reasonable steps to meet specific needs. Parents should note however that Breakfast Club is funded solely by the fees paid by parents of children attending and therefore we are unable to offer 1:1 support for your child

#### 9. Activities

The Club provides a range of arts and craft including loom bands, Lego, table top games. From 8. 20a.m the children are taken outside for play and have access to footballs and skipping ropes.

Please note that children are asked not to bring in their personal possessions or games as the Club nor the school cannot be held responsible for any loss or damage to personal property.

The Breakfast Club has always been a safe and happy place for your children to come and start the day. Further information can be obtained from Mrs Eden School Business Manager

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# APPENDIX TO BREAKFAST CLUB INFORMATION GUIDE FOR PARENTS

Behaviour expectations in Breakfast Club are the same as expectations in school in general. Children are expected to speak politely to adults and other children, play sensibly and to follow instructions given by adults.

Breakfast Club staff follow these steps when dealing with behaviour issues:

- 1. A warning is given that the behaviour is unacceptable and should stop.
- 2. If the behaviour does not stop then the child will be asked to sit on a bench or stand by the member of staff for a few minutes if they are outside.
- 3. If the child will not stop the behaviour or refuses to do as asked, Breakfast Club staff may involve a member of Senior Leadership Team.
- 4. If a pupil needs to be removed from Breakfast Club, the child will be supervised by a member of the SLT.
- 5. That member of SLT will discuss with Breakfast Club staff, appropriate consequences, and the child may receive a sanction as per our school procedures. The scale of the sanction will be dependent on the behaviour that has taken place and parents may be contacted by the school making it clear that the behaviour happened during Breakfast Club.
- 6. If poor behaviour persists and sanctions are required on repeated occasions, there may need to be a meeting with parents.

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# **APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP**

Child's Name		Cla	ass	D.O.B
Address				
			Post C	ode
Parent/Carer's Name				
Telephone Nur	nber Home			
	Mobile			
	Work			
Emergency Contact Person and Telephone Number				
Which days do you wish to use Breakfast Club? (Please delete as appropriate)				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Starting Date Required				
Does your child have any medical conditions/food allergies/other factors about which we should know? <b>YES / NO</b> (Please delete as appropriate)				
Please provide details				
I wish to apply for membership of the Club for the above named child. I have been given and read a copy of the terms and conditions of the Club and agree to abide by these.				
Signed				
Name (Please	Print)			Date
Unless you hear from us to the contrary your child will be able to attend the club				