

# Sandhill News





Happy New Year! I hope you have all had a wonderful Christmas break?! I for one (with two young children) was grateful for some normality and happy to return to work!

I'm very excited with the plans that we have in place for school over the next term and cannot wait to get started with these.

Below is information regarding when some of our new interventions and after school clubs are taking place...

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
PE	Y3/4 Handball	KS2 Hockey	EYFS/KS1 Gym	Y3/4 Gymnastics	Y5/6 Gymnastics
	(AC and SH)	(AC and SH)	(AC and SH)	(AC and SH)	(AC and SH)
Other Opportunities	Y5/6 Pom Pom Art (CW and LM)	Y3/4 Jewel Art (KSt)	Y3/4 Boxercise (HL)	Y5/6 Jewel Art (KSt and CS)	
Other Opportunities		(CC and CS)			

All PE after school clubs are free of charge as these are funded by our sports premium allowance.

Other clubs have a price of £1 per child per session to cover the costs of materials; these clubs are free of charge for families in receipt of pupil premium funding.

# **Martial Arts Intervention**

We have an exciting new intervention at Sandhill that your child has been selected to participate in:

Martial arts is a self-discipline that not only teaches you patience with yourself and others but confidence in your training and capabilities. The main purpose of martial arts is to improve all the areas of a person's life, to gain confidence, physical strength, more self-control, and self-awareness, among many other helpful skills. Learning a martial art form can improve so many aspects of life, including our mental, physical, and emotional health.

6 children from each class have been selected initially for this intervention; further children will be selected after half term.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
1:30pm - 2:00pm	Rowling Class	Morpurgo Class	Morpurgo Class	Rowling Class
2:00pm - 2:30pm	Tomlinson Class	Seuss Class	Seuss Class	Tomlinson Class
2:30pm - 3:00pm	Donaldson Class	Dahl Class	Dahl Class	Donaldson Class

### **Little Acorns Intervention**

Our relax sessions are aimed at 3 - 7 year olds. We focus on helping children recognise their emotions in a more fun, imaginative, creative way. We encourage kindness to others, and importantly themselves.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1:00pm - 1:30pm	Donaldson Groups			Seuss Groups	Tomlinson Groups
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## **Creative Writing Club**

We are excited to introduce a wonderful opportunity for your children that promotes creativity, imagination, and a love for storytelling - the Creative Writers Club! What is the Creative Writers Club? The Creative Writers Club is a fun and engaging extracurricular activity designed to inspire and nurture the creative minds of our primary-aged children. Through a series of interactive sessions, we aim to encourage a love for writing, storytelling, and self-expression. This will be starting school shortly.

# PE Timetable - Spring Term

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
AM Session	Carle AM & Tomlinson	Seuss	Dahl & Morpurgo	Rowling	Donaldson
PM Session	Carle PM & Waddell		Donaldson & Tomlinson	Seuss & Dahl	Rowling & Morpurgo