

St Gabriel's Catholic Primary School and Pre-School



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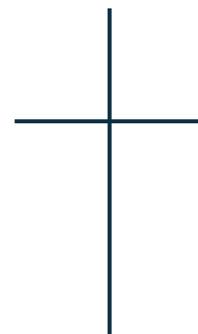
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Dear Parents/Carers,

Please find below information about our Pre-School which will take effect from September 2025.

SCHOOL DAY STRUCTURE

Morning session (3hours) **8:30-11:30 AM** – 3 hours funding can be used or £20 per session.

Afternoon session (3hours) **11:30-2:30 PM** – 3 hours funding can be used or £20 per session.

Additional care session (30 minutes) **2:30-3:00 PM** - £3 per session.

Full day 8.30-2.30pm = 6 hours funding.

We offer 15 hours funding and 30 hours FEEE funding (please check eligibility).

Please visit childcarechoices.gov.uk for further information regarding funding.

We require children to attend a minimum of 2 sessions across two days, this can be two mornings, or 1 and a half days or 2 full days as a minimum.

BEFORE AND AFTERSCHOOL SESSIONS IN PRE-SCHOOL

The **Breakfast session** is from 7.45-8.30am and includes breakfast. **The cost is £5. Available Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.**

The **Afterschool session** with a focused activity and a light snack is from 3-5pm. **The cost is £10. Available Tuesday (Messy Play) and Thursday (Baking).**

Should you wish to sign your child up for these sessions please fill in our before and afterschool sessions sign up sheet, places are given on a first come first serve basis.

EXTRA ACTIVITIES AND FEES:

- **ASM (PE) - £3.50** on Tuesday mornings.
- **Rhythm Time - £3.50** on Thursday mornings.
- A voluntary contribution of **£1.50 per AM and/or PM funded session** that your child attends will be charged. For example, if your child does funded mornings only the contribution will be **£1.50 per day**. For children that attend a full funded day the contribution will be **£3 per day**. This covers extra activities, snack, consumables such as sun cream, wipes, celebrations, stay and plays and outings.
- A £50 fee is charged when you register your child.

SNACK/LUNCH INFORMATION

We provide a healthy snack of fruit mid-morning and a cracker/breadstick snack in the afternoon, a drink of milk or water is also given.

Your child has the option of bringing a healthy packed lunch or purchasing a hot school dinner at a cost of **£3.30** per day.

Please provide a water bottle (clearly labelled with your child's name) which will be available freely throughout the day.

UNIFORM

Uniform is optional in pre-school. Our pre-school uniform consists of: -

- Grey or dark trousers/shorts/skirt/pinafore
- Sky blue polo shirt
- Navy blue jumper/cardigan/sweatshirt
- Black school shoes/trainers

If you choose to purchase the official uniform you can find this at Smart Choice Uniform in Alsager.

We request that **ALL** pre-school uniform/clothes including footwear is clearly labelled with your child's full name.

REMINDER

If you need to get in touch with Pre-School, please do so via the email address or phone number (option 3) at the top of this letter. Please do not contact the main school office, Pre-School's admin is done separately.

Yours sincerely,

Jenny Cookson

Pre-School Manager

(Please note all fees mentioned in this letter could be subject to change please refer to our charging policy for further information.)