



AKELEY WOOD  
SCHOOL

# Akeley Wood Junior School

## Extra Curricular Clubs

### Autumn 2025





## Guidelines for Pupils

Please spend some time looking through the booklet and make a note of the activities you would like to attend. You may wish to talk to your friends before deciding.

Your parents/carers will be able to sign you up for clubs via the Cognita Connect app. If the club is full, you may be placed on a waiting list. By signing up for an activity, you are committing yourself every week to attend until the end of term.

If you are unable to attend a session, please bring a note in from your parent/guardian and show it to the relevant teacher before the club starts.

If after the first week of trying a club you wish to change, please ask your parent/guardian to write a letter/email to the teacher leading the club.

You will be able to choose another activity within the first two weeks by asking the teacher in charge if there is room to join. Your name will then be added to the register.



## Guidelines for Parents

Thank you for taking the time to look through this booklet with your child/children. I hope you find lots of activities that they will enjoy. Please encourage your child/children to try something new – you never know they may surprise themselves and find they have a talent for something that they didn't know they were good at.

- Club sign up opens on **Friday 5th September 2025 at 19:30pm** and closes on **Wednesday 10th September 2025 at 12:00pm**. If the club is full, you may be placed on a waiting list.
- Clubs will start on **Monday 15th September 2025** and will finish on **Friday 5th December 2025**.
- External Clubs may start/finish on different dates, please check their separate communications.

A couple of points to remember: Unless stated otherwise clubs that incur an additional fee must be paid for in full by the end of the second week. If payment has not been received by this time your child's place will be suspended until the term's payment has been received in full. All payments are dealt with by the external provider and not through school. Please contact them directly for information.

If your child is in a KS2 sports club they must wear PE/Games kit and trainers. For KS1 sports clubs, trainers are always required.

Rhiannon Chapman  
Extra-Curricular Co-ordinator

# Clubs Timetable - R, Y1 & Y2

CLUB NAME	PAGE NO	YEAR GROUP	DAY	START TIME
BALLET	10	R, Y1, Y2	MONDAY	Y1, Y2 - MORNING SLOTS R - 2.30 - 3.00PM
BOARD GAMES & PUZZLES CLUB	12	R, Y1, Y2	FRIDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
CHESS CLUB	14	Y2	TUESDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
DIGITAL EXPLORERS	18	R, Y1, Y2	THURSDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
FUNKY FINGERS	22	R, Y1, Y2	THURSDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
HOCKEY CLUB	23	Y2	THURSDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
INFANT CHEERLEADING	11	R, Y1, Y2	MONDAY	12.30 - 1.00PM
INFANT SPANISH CLUB	24	R, Y1, Y2	MONDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
INFANT STREET DANCE	37	R, Y1, Y2	MONDAY	3.30 - 4.00PM
KARATE	25	R, Y1, Y2	MONDAY	8.00-8.50AM
KICK BOXING	26	R, Y1, Y2	WEDNESDAY	R, Y1: 3.30 - 4.00PM Y2: 4.00 - 4.45PM

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CLUB NAME	PAGE NO	YEAR GROUP	DAY	START TIME
MINDFULNESS CLUB	28	R, Y1, Y2	MONDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
RUGBY CLUB	32	Y2	THURSDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
SINGING STARS	33	R, Y1, Y2	WEDNESDAY	12.30 - 1.00PM
STEAM CLUB	34	R, Y1, Y2	TUESDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
STEP-BY-STEP ART CLUB	35	Y2	FRIDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
STORYTELLING CLUB	36	Y1, Y2	TUESDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM

# Clubs Timetable - Y3 & Y4

CLUB NAME	PAGE NO	YEAR GROUP	DAY	START TIME
BALLET	10	Y3, Y4	MONDAY	MORNING SLOTS
BASKETBALL CLUB	11	Y4	FRIDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
CHESS CLUB	14	Y3, Y4	TUESDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
COUNTRY DANCING	16	Y4	TUESDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
CROSS-COUNTRY TRAINING	17	Y3, Y4 BY INVITATION ONLY	TUESDAY	8.00 - 8.40AM
FARMERS MARKET CLUB	20	Y3, Y4	THURSDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
FILM CLUB	21	Y3, Y4	TUESDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
HOCKEY CLUB	23	Y4 Y3	MONDAY THURSDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM 3.45 - 4.30PM
JUNIOR CHEERLEADING	13	Y3, Y4	MONDAY	1.00 - 1.30PM
JUNIOR STREET DANCE	37	Y3, Y4	MONDAY	4.10 - 4.40PM
KARATE	25	Y3, Y4	MONDAY	8.00 - 8.50AM
KICK BOXING	26	Y3, Y4	WEDNESDAY	4.00 - 4.45PM
LEGO CLUB	27	Y3, Y4	MONDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
MYTHS & LEGENDS CLUB	29	Y3, Y4	FRIDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM

# Clubs Timetable - Y3 & Y4

CLUB NAME	PAGE NO	YEAR GROUP	DAY	START TIME
PERCUSSION GROUP	30	Y3, Y4	THURSDAY	1.00 - 1.30PM
RECORDER GROUP	31	Y3, Y4	THURSDAY	1.00 - 1.30PM
RUGBY CLUB	32	Y3, Y4	THURSDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
SINGING STARS	33	Y3	WEDNESDAY	12.30 - 1.00PM
STEY-BY-STEP ART CLUB	35	Y3, Y4	FRIDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
YOUNG VOICES SINGING	38	Y4	MONDAY TUESDAY	12.30 - 1.00PM 3.45 - 4.30PM

# Clubs Timetable - Y5 & Y6

CLUB NAME	PAGE NO	YEAR GROUP	DAY	START TIME
ART CLUB	9	Y5, Y6	MONDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
BALLET	10	Y5, Y6	MONDAY	MORNING SLOTS
BASKETBALL CLUB	11	Y5, Y6	FRIDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
CHESS CLUB	14	Y5, Y6	TUESDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
COOKERY CLUB	15	Y5, Y6	THURSDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
COUNTRY DANCING	16	Y5	TUESDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
CROSS-COUNTRY TRAINING	17	Y5, Y6 BY INVITATION ONLY	TUESDAY	8.00 - 8.40AM
EARLY MORNING MULTI-SPORT CLUB	19	Y5, Y6	FRIDAY	8.00 - 8.40AM
FARMERS MARKET CLUB	20	Y5, Y6	THURSDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
FILM CLUB	21	Y5, Y6	TUESDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
HOCKEY CLUB	23	Y5, Y6	MONDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
JUNIOR CHEERLEADING	13	Y5, Y6	MONDAY	1.00 - 1.30PM
JUNIOR STREET DANCE	37	Y5, Y6	MONDAY	4.10 - 4.40PM
KARATE	25	Y5, Y6	MONDAY	8.00 - 8.50AM

# Clubs Timetable - Y5 & Y6

CLUB NAME	PAGE NO	YEAR GROUP	DAY	START TIME
KICK BOXING	26	Y5, Y6	WEDNESDAY	4.00 - 4.45PM
LEGO CLUB	27	Y5, Y6	MONDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
MYTHS & LEGENDS	29	Y5, Y6	FRIDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
PERCUSSION GROUP	30	Y5, Y6	THURSDAY	1.00 - 1.30PM
RECORDER GROUP	31	Y5, Y6	THURSDAY	1.00 - 1.30PM
RUGBY CLUB	32	Y5, Y6	MONDAY	3.45 - 4.30PM
YOUNG VOICES SINGING	38	Y4, Y5, Y6	MONDAY TUESDAY	12.30 - 1.00PM 3.45 - 4.30PM

# ART CLUB

MONDAY - YRS 5 & 6

InArtClub, we will further explore different art media

and techniques, using our creativity and imagination.

**Maximum spaces available: 16**



# BALLET

## MONDAY-YRSR- 6

**Our popular Ballet class is run by Claydons Dance Academy. A charge is made for this club and booking is direct with the provider on [claydonsacademy@tiscali.co.uk](mailto:claydonsacademy@tiscali.co.uk)**

**Rec: 2.30-3.00pm | Y1 & 2: Morning Lessons |  
Y3 - 6: Morning Lessons**



# BASKETBALL

## FRIDAY - YRS 4 - 6

**Pupils will get the opportunity to develop their Basketball skills by practicing defending, attacking, shooting skills and playing mixed games.**

**Maximum spaces available: 20**



# BOARD GAMES & PUZZLES

FRIDAY - YRS R - 2

**A calm and sociable club where children can enjoy classic board games, card games and puzzles with friends. They'll practise turn-taking, teamwork and strategy while having lots of fun.**

**Maximum spaces available: 12**



# CHEERLEADING

MONDAY - YRS R - 6

**Cheerleading is run by Claydons Dance Academy. A charge is made for this club and booking is direct with the provider on [claydonsacademy@tiscali.co.uk](mailto:claydonsacademy@tiscali.co.uk)**

**Infants (Yrs R-2): 12.30-1.00pm | Juniors (Yrs 3-6): 1.00-1.30pm**



# CHESS

## TUESDAY-YRS2 - 6

**New to chess? Played it before? Whatever your level, at Chess Club you'll get the chance to play competitive games and learn new moves.**

**Maximum spaces available: 20**



# COOKERY CLUB

THURSDAY - YRS 5 & 6

**We will be having lots of fun exploring new recipes and food. We will be doing lots of tasting too!**

**Maximum spaces available: 10**



# COUNTRY DANCING

TUESDAY - YRS 4 & 5

**There will be a country dancing club on a Tuesday after school for Years 4 and 5. We will be learning a selection of English country dances, teacher-led by Mrs Grimditch and supplemented by Youtube videos of other children dancing to illustrate correct positions/ footwork and providing the necessary music. There must be an expectation to listen to instructions in these sessions, as well as to dance. It will be fun! At the end of term for those children who would like to show their parents their country dancing skills, there will be an opportunity to exhibit these skills in the last session of term**



# CROSS-COUNTRY

## TRAINING

TUESDAY, 8AM - YRS3 - 6

(Invite Only)

**Cross-Country training will be selected by Mr Lemon and Miss Chapman and will be focused on those pupils who are looking at representing school in some of our Cross-Country events this term.**



# DIGITAL EXPLORERS

## THURSDAY - YRS R - 2

**A fun and imaginative club where Reception to Year 2 children can begin their journey into the world of technology! Using skills developed in class, this club blends creativity, play, and early digital skills using our iPads and digital resources. Each session we will explore different aspects that help children use their digital skills creatively.**

**Maximum spaces available: 15**



# EARLY MORNING MULTI- SPORT CLUB

## FRIDAY, 8AM - YEARS 5 & 6

**This club will allow pupils to extend their sports skills in this early morning club. With an emphasis on game play, Multi-Sport club will also include fun games for everyone to enjoy!**



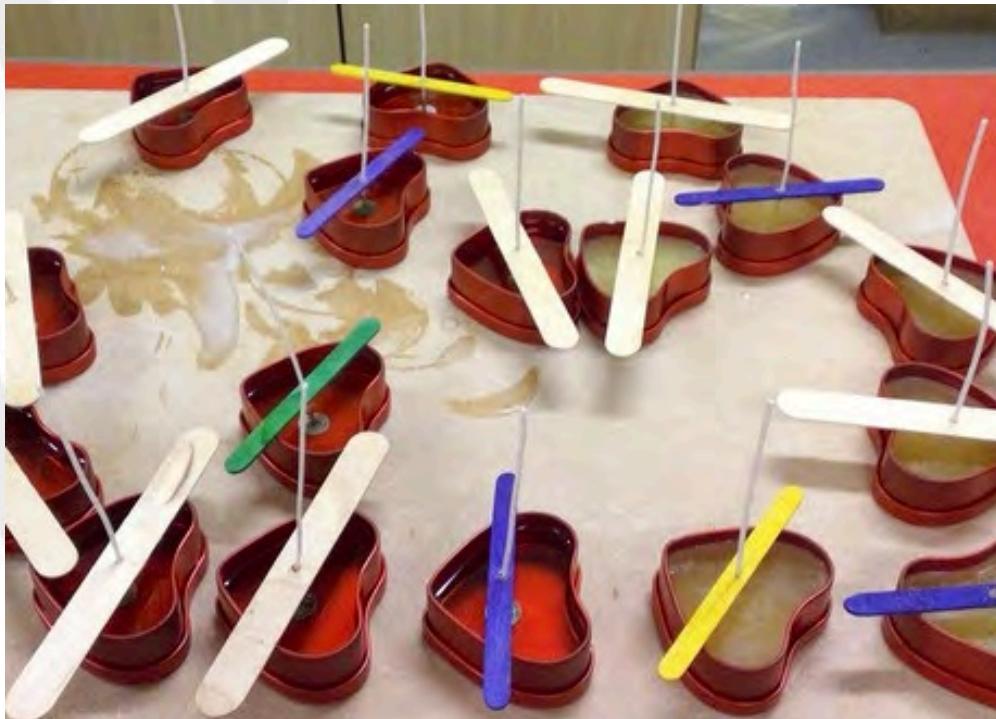
# FARMERS MARKET CLUB

## THURSDAY - YRS 3 - 6

**This club will see budding entrepreneurs create and sell**

**their own produce. We will be holding Young Farmers Market stalls during the term so keep an eye on your Cognita Connect inbox for more details!**

**Maximum spaces available: 12**



# FILM CLUB

**TUESDAY - YRS 3 - 6**

**At Film Club, children can enjoy watching a film alongside their peers. Each session includes discussions on cinematography, sound design, musical selections, and character and plot development in the film. Children are invited to bring an optional snack to create an even more authentic cinema experience.**

**Maximum spaces available: 20**



# FUNKY FINGERS

THURSDAY - YRS R - 2

**Have fun with your friends improving your fine motor skills with playdough, pen discos, craft activities, puzzles and much more.**

**Maximum spaces available: 12**



# HOCKEY CLUB

MONDAY - YRS 4 - 6

THURSDAY - YRS 2 & 3

**Pupils will get the opportunity to develop their Hockey skills by practising defending, attacking, shooting skills and playing mixed games.**



# INFANT SPANISH CLUB

## MONDAY - YRS R - 2

**A lively introductory club for infants introducing stories and songs in Spanish.**

**Maximum spaces available: 12**

Hola - Hello

Gracias - Thanks

Por Favor - Please

De Nada - You're Welcom

# KARATE

MONDAY 8.00AM-YRS R - 6

**Karate is run by Sensei Lee Willis from Oxford Sport & Traditional Martial Arts. Sessions aim to give every child a grounded and confident start in martial arts.**

**A charge is made for this club and booking is direct with the provider on [leewillis@ostma.co.uk](mailto:leewillis@ostma.co.uk)**



# KICK BOXING

## WEDNESDAY YRS R - 6

**KickBoxing is run by GallonFitness & MaritalArts. Children**

**will learn self defence and martial arts fundamentals in a safe and fun environment.**

**A charge is made for this club and booking is direct with the provider on [gurjitgallon@hotmail.com](mailto:gurjitgallon@hotmail.com)**

**Reception & Y1: 3.30pm-4.00pm | Y2-Y6: 4.00-4.45pm**



# LEGO CLUB

MONDAY - YRS 3 - 6

**At Lego club, you can let your imagination run wild!**

**Build a house, an aeroplane or even a marble run**

**Maximum spaces available: 15**

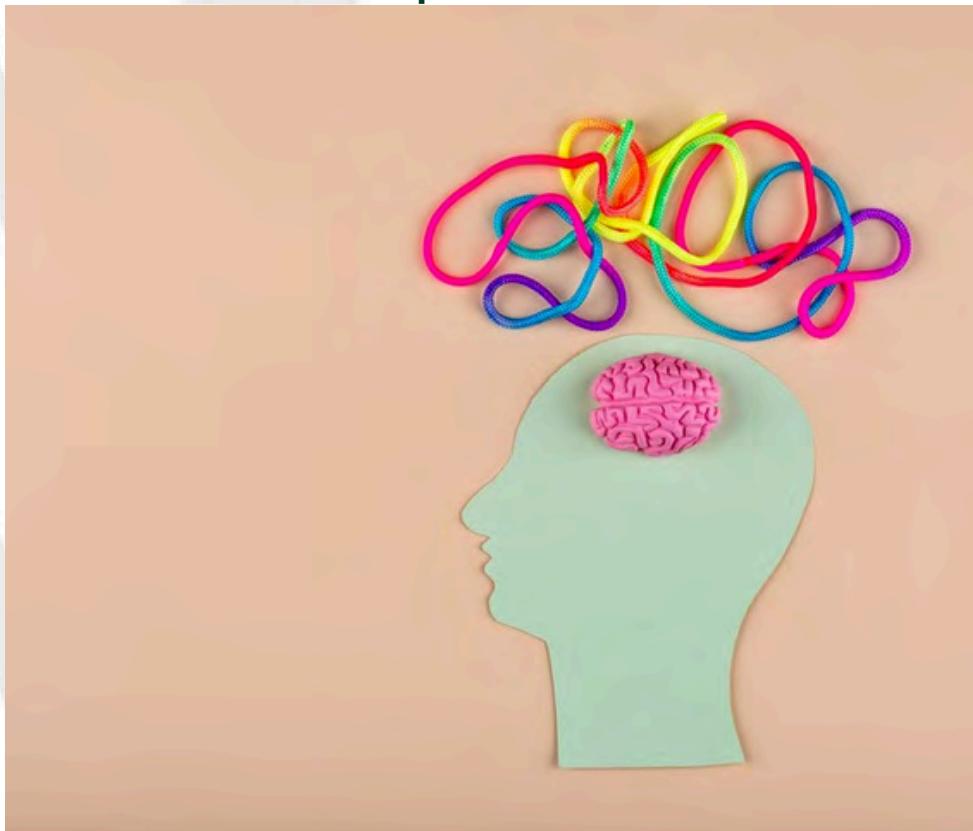


# MINDFULNESS CLUB

MONDAY YRS R - 2

This is for children to relax, unwind and take part in  
calming activities.

**Maximum spaces available: 10**



# MYTHS & LEGENDS

FRIDAY - YRS 3 - 6

**Discover great stories from the past that have been handed down through the ages – fabulous adventures from Ancient Greece, Norse tales and how ancient civilisations explained the unexplainable.**

**Maximum spaces available: 20**



# PERCUSSION GROUP

THURSDAY-1PM-YRS 3-6

**Come along to Percussion Group to learn and perform a variety of pieces, while having a go at playing different percussion instruments.**



# RECORDER GROUP

THURSDAY - 1PM - YRS 3 - 6

**Come along to Recorder Group to learn how to play this popular and fun instrument. We will be learning how to read and play music together as a group.**



# RUGBY CLUB

MONDAY - YRS 5 & 6

THURSDAY - YRS 2-4

**Pupils will get the opportunity to develop their Rugby skills by practising defending, attacking, passing skills and playing mixed games.**



# SINGING STARS

WEDNESDAY - 12.30PM - YRS R-3

**Here our younger children can experience the love of singing with lots of fun action songs.**



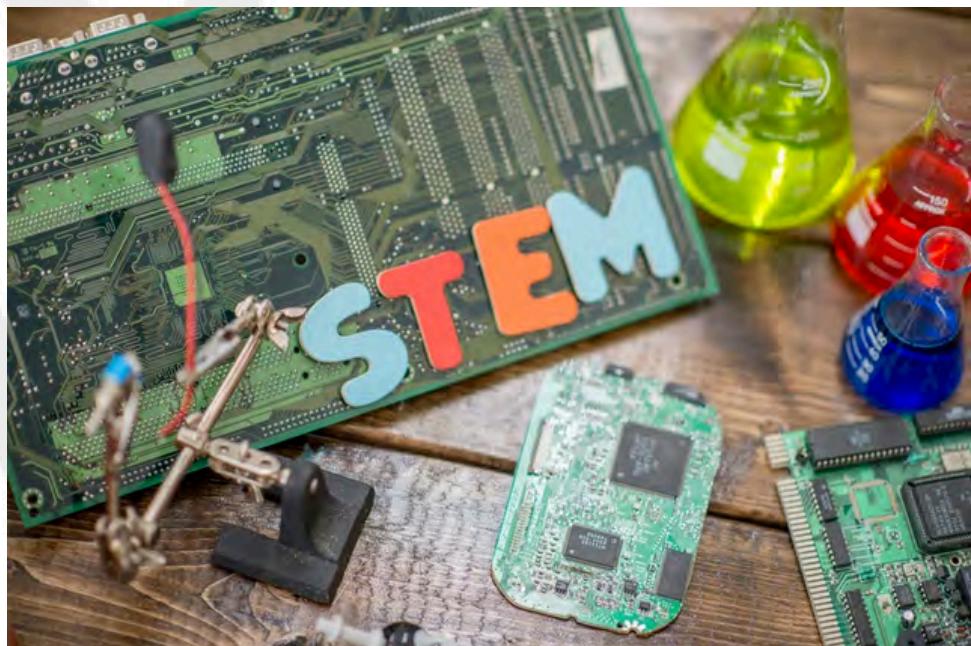
# STEAM CLUB

TUESDAY - YRS R-2

A fun and creative club where children explore

**Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Maths through hands-on projects and challenges. From building bridges and designing simple machines to experimenting with colours and patterns, children will develop problem-solving skills and curiosity in a playful way.**

**Maximum spaces available: 12**



# STEP-BY-STEP ART CLUB

FRIDAY - YRS 2 - 4

**We will use step-by-step art videos to support our drawings. In each session we will draw something different. It could be an animal, a cartoon character, a race car or a type of building. Draw and then colour each picture.**  
**Maximum spaces available: 20**



# STORYTELLING CLUB

**TUESDAY - YRS 1 - 2**

**Story Club is open to children in Years 1 & 2 who love to explore and imagine life through stories. We will be using a variety of creative skills to produce our own stories.**

**Maximum spaces available: 16**



# STREET DANCE

**MONDAY - YRS R - 6**

Join our popular Street Dance class run by Claydons Dance

**Academy. A charge is made for this club and booking is direct with the provider.**

**Contact: Claydons Dance Academy -**  
**[claydonsacademy@tiscali.co.uk](mailto:claydonsacademy@tiscali.co.uk)**

**Infants (Yrs R-2): 3.30-4.00PM | Juniors (Yrs 3-6): 4.10-4.40PM**



# YOUNG VOICES

MONDAY - 12.30PM -YRS 4 - 6

TUESDAY - 3.45PM -YRS 4 - 6

**Come and join our Young Voices Singers and  
have the chance to perform as part of the  
Young Voices Choir at BP Pulse Live in  
Birmingham, January 2026!**





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