

After-school Care

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(14e) After-school care – details of any before- or after school care (including names of staff, their qualifications and details of child/adult ratios)

The core day at St Margaret's is typically 0815 - 1600.

Before School Care is currently 0730 - 0800. Early Arrival supervision 0800 - 0815. The day formally starts with registration at 0825 until 1550/1600 - please see below, with clubs, supervised study and After-school Care running 1600 - 1800 (Monday to Thursday) and 1700 on Friday.

Time	Reception & Year 1	Time	Year 2 - Year 6	
07:30 - 08:00 Breakfast Club (Bookable)				
08:00 - 08:15 School open for early arrivals				
08:15 - 08:25	Form Rooms Open	08:15-08:25	Form Rooms Open	
08:25-08:55	Form Time/Phonics	08:25 - 08:55	Form Time/Phonics	
08:55 - 09:55	Period 1	08:55 - 09:55	Period 1	
09:55 - 10:50	Period 2	09:55 - 10:50	Period 2	
10:50 - 11:10	Break	10:50 - 11:10	Break	
11:10 - 12:05	Period 3	11:10 - 12:05	Period 3	
12:05 - 13:05	Lunch Break	12:10 - 13:05	Lunch Break	
13:05 - 14:00	Period 4 (COP/Outdoor Play)	13:05 - 14:00	Period 4 (COP/Outdoor Play)	
14:00 - 14:15	Registration	14:00 - 14:15	Registration	
14:15 - 15:15	Period 5	14:15 - 15:15	Period 5	
15:15 - 15:20	Form Time	15:15 - 15:45	Period 6	
15:20 - 15:35	Dismissal	15:45	Staggered Dismissal	
16:00 - 17:00 After School Care/Supervised Study				
17:00 - 18:00 Mon-Thurs After School Care/Supervised Study				

School Day | Timetable Updated September 2023

Lunches:		
1145 Nursery	1230 Years 4-6	*Years 12-13 and staff
1205 Reception	1305 Years 7-8	can go to early lunch @
1210 Years 1-3	1320 Years 9-10	1250 if no lesson
	1335 Years 11-13*	

Breakfast Club

This runs daily and currently runs from 7.30am-8.00. It is pre-booked and can also be used ad-hoc.

Breakfast club is run by two members from the Teaching Team with support from two Teaching and Learning Assistants.

The breakfast club is in the main school dining room. SMT are on hand if needed.

The children are cared for and taken to an early room at 0800.

After-school Care & Supervised Study 1600 - 1700 and 1700 - 1800 (Monday - Thursday)

After school for Seniors takes place in Supervised Study. This is from Monday - Thursday, 1600 - 1800 and Friday, 1600-1700. Pupils are supervised by a member of teaching staff on a rota.

After school care for Upper Juniors is also known as Supervised Study. This is from 1600 - 1700 and children are supervised by a member of Junior School teaching staff on a rota

After-school Care for Nursery to Y2 is known as After-school Care. The provision is run Monday - Thursday by a team of staff.

Nadia Maronva who is a Teaching Assistant & AfterSchool Care Coordinator - Level 2 and Pediatric First Aider Mon-Thursday

Vanessa Coleman - is a Teaching Assistant & Afterschool Care coordinator - Level 3 and ELSA trained.

Teresa Evans level 3 also supports the supervision of ASC and works Monday to Friday.

Priti Saxena Level 2 also supports the ASC once a week on Friday.

Prefects Level 1 trained also support the After school club.

If ratios require this provision will be split by age until numbers/ratios allow. The ratios we are follow are:

Ratios in Pre and After-school Care		
Nursery (2 years- 2.9 months)	Pre Reception and Reception Reception once (reception for Autumn term) majority have turned 5 and above	
1 adult to 4, 2 year	1 Teaching Assistant to 8 children	
old children	1 Teaching Assistant to 13	
	1 Teacher to 13 children children	
	1 Teacher to 30 children	

At 1700 - ASC starts for Upper Junior Pupils; if ratios allow, they combine at this stage or when appropriate.

Further guidance:

• Staff make sure all children are signed in when they arrive at after school care and

supervised study, and signed out when they leave.

- As good practice we regularly count the number of children.
- All children in ASC are given the opportunity for some fresh air and physical exercise once

they have been signed in.

- The exit door is only opened by staff members to welcome parents. Children are not
- allowed to push the button.
- During quieter times, and when staff numbers allow, the time is used to listen to children

read or help them with homework or learning.

• Staff are aware that there is always a named SMT member of staff on site each day until

the end of After-school Care/supervised Study. SMT will have a walkie talkie.

• The school nurse is on site until 17.00 each day.

SMT & DSL named duty day 1600 - 1800 SMT 1600 - 1700		
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday Thursday Friday
Julie C	Lara P	Julie C Julie C Emma G

When the school nurse finishes the First Aid list for alternative first aiders is used, with boarding staff with First Aid aware they could be called upon.

Food - After-school Care and supervised Study:

For pupils in Supervised Study a light snack of fruit is offered.

For children in After-school care a light sandwich tea is provided at approximately

17:00 to 17:30.

5.15. Expectations

For the older children attending Supervised Study homework is completed quietly and staff are on hand to assist if needed.

Discipline

The same school discipline and rules apply. Pupils must not leave the site between the end of school and the start of supervised study. If problems arise then support is given by a member of the SMT. If there is a persistent discipline problem by a child then parents will be informed and they may not be able to attend After School Club/ supervised Study. This will be dealt with by the Head of Junior or Vice Principal.

Emergencies

In case of emergencies, a phone is available in the Library Junior School office. Staff should have a walkie talkie with them.

The emergency telephone number for Junior School ASC between 1700- 1800, Monday to Thursday, is 07380977582.

Fire procedures that happen in the school day, are followed pre or after school.

Lateness

In the event of parents being late to pick up their child due to circumstances beyond their control, we ask that you inform the office as soon as possible.

In the event of parents being persistently late collecting their child, a telephone call will be made or letter will be sent to the parent. If there is no improvement then parents will be informed that the facility will be withdrawn for that term.

Staff Names and Qualifications that work directly with Pre or post school care:

Breakfast Club (Pre School Care)

Nursery Manager Lynsey Pickles Cache Level 3

Teresa Evans NVQ Level 3 Certificate in Nursery Nursing Julie Newall Teaching Assistant

After School Care

Nadia Maronova - Cache Level 2 Supporting Teaching & Learning in school Vanessa Coleman - Level 3 Certificate and ELSA training. Teresa Evans NVQ Level 3 Certificate in Nursery Nursing Priti Saxena | Level 2 Certificate

Occasional Staff |Teaching Assistants that may support ASC.

Sue Cooper Certificate in Supporting Learning Level 3 Julie Newall No formal qualifications Anna Johns PGCE Level 6

Physical locations:

The youngest children will be kept in the Nursery or play barn area which is a suitable EYFS space, they may also use a Reception classroom. Once the older children merge at 5pm ASC will be in a suitable location where parents can approach, but younger children are also cared for and safe. In the Summer months, ASC may be outside.