

22nd January 2024

Dear parents, carers

Change in JASPA provision

Providing after school provision is an important part of a school's remit in today's current working world. We recognise the importance of this and the support that it gives working parents/carers.

Our commitment to providing after school provision for families will continue going forwards, however we do need to ensure that any provision remains financially viable. Since September 2023 we have been reviewing the allocation of places and the expenditure to keep it viable.

Monday to Thursday the provision is well used and numbers on average are between 10 and 20 children attending per night, however a Friday evening shows that the average is 3 children. We suspect that this is due to families taking advantage of flexible working weeks. With such low numbers we have consulted with Governors and have made the decision to **run JASPA from Monday to Thursdays only.**

This change will come into place straight after February half term. To help families with this change we will be able to offer a homework/computer club on a Friday to 4.20pm from Friday 23rd February 2024 through to Easter.

I thank you for your understanding and ongoing support.

Yours sincerely



Mrs J Randall

Headteacher

