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Dear Parents and Carers,

We'd like to take this opportunity tell you about our popular childcare that's available for **The Gattons Infant School pupils**.

About Us

Founded in 2006, Pioneer Childcare provides high quality, fun-filled childcare within Primary Schools across Sussex. Our friendly staff team include sports coaches, art leaders, teachers and childcare professionals. We've been looking after children from The Gattons since 2015. We operate a daily 'walking bus' between school and our club at Burgess Hill Rugby Club.

We're Ofsted registered which means you're able to use Government's Tax-Free Childcare to contribute towards your childcare costs, saving you up to 20%.

Our Adventure Programme

We offer daily sessions brimming with exciting activities and adventure. In our **Rise Then Shine Breakfast Club** and **Stay & Play After School Club**, children can dive into a variety of activities including:

- 🏃 Super Sports: Get active with fun sports sessions
- 🤝 Power Teams: Enjoy thrilling games and group challenges
- 🌐 Global Kids: Explore the world and develop essential life skills
- 🧘 Wellbeing Warriors: Enhance mindfulness and overall wellbeing
- 🎨 Creative Inventors: Unleash creativity through arts and crafts
- 🧠 Brain Boosters: Engage in science experiments and STEM activities
- 🍇 Flavour Fest: Discover healthy eating with interactive food activities

Each activity is designed to spark curiosity, build friendships, and develop essential life skills while ensuring lots of fun!

Our **Rise then Shine** Breakfast Club sessions open from 7am each morning. We ensure the children have a healthy nutritious breakfast, boosting their energy for the school day ahead.

Our After School **Stay & Play** sessions provide the children with stimulating, engaging activities, with a filling and healthy High Tea snack to keep them going until home time at 6.30pm.

Plus - We also run popular **Holiday Camps** locally at St Wilfrid's Catholic School and Oak Tree Primary in every school holiday, for children aged 4-11 years old. September 2025 reception children are welcome to join us throughout the Summer Holiday.

Next Steps

More information about what to expect can be found overleaf. If you would like to use our childcare provision in September 2025, please complete our online form here <https://www.pioneerchildcare.co.uk/our-service/> with your requirements so that we can confirm availability and let you know the next steps.

Call us on **01444 411388** or email enquiries@pioneerchildcare.co.uk with any other questions, we'll be happy to help.

I wish you and your families a safe and happy summer term.

Kind regards,

The Pioneer Childcare Team



What to Expect at Breakfast and After School Club

We recognise that starting school is a huge change for children. Our friendly team are experienced at helping new families settle in quickly to ensure that coming to Pioneer Club becomes a normal and exciting part of the day.

If you haven't used breakfast or after school childcare before, please find a brief description of a typical morning and afternoon at our club below, and we have a detailed list of FAQs on our website www.pioneerchildcare.co.uk.

Breakfast Club – Benefits

Children are offered a choice of healthy breakfasts followed by a variety of activities aimed to engage the children's minds and bodies for the busy school day ahead. Led by our expert teams, we promise a positive, fun-filled start to the children's day.

Breakfast Club current price is £9.85 per child, per session.

Breakfast Club – A Typical Morning

- Drop off anytime from 7am at Burgess Hill Rugby Club, Povey Close.
- Breakfast is served between 7am – 8am. A selection of cereals, crumpets, toast and fresh fruit is available.
- Engaging activities ready for the school day ahead, whether that's burning off some energy or joining in some mindful activities – it's all part of the fun!
- We operate a 'walking bus' to take the children to The Gattons Infant School in time for the start of school. Children walk in pairs and wear florescent jackets. The staff ratio is 1 adult to every 6 children, to ensure their safety on the short walk.

After School Club – Benefits

We offer fun, happy, safe places for children to play together after a busy school day. Led by our experienced staff, the children can choose from fun games, planned activities, sports and free play sessions throughout the afternoon.

After School Club current price is £18.40 per child, per session (sibling and multi-day discounts available)

After School Club – A Typical Afternoon

- Our friendly team collect the children at the end of the school day and travel to Burgess Hill Rugby Club via 'walking bus'. Children walk in pairs and wear florescent jackets. The staff ratio is 1 adult to every 6 children, to ensure their safety on the short walk.
- Children participate in a variety of staff led sessions inside the club and on the fields.
- Within the session a High Tea of sandwiches, bagels or wraps with a choice of fillings, plus vegetable crudités and fresh fruit are served.
- You can collect your happy child any time up to 6.30pm.

Club Reviews

"Excellent friendly and supportive staff. Variety of activities. Happy children!" *Parent Survey 2024*
9/10 of our parents and carers would recommend our clubs to others. *Parent Survey 2024*

Our latest Ofsted Inspection found:

"Children thoroughly enjoy their time at the exciting out-of-school provision. They are safely collected from school and walk back to the setting. On arrival, children sit together with their friends and look at books while they wait for everyone to get settled."