***Chess at St Paul’s C Of E Primary School***

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Dear Families,

Chess Club commences

**Monday 9 January to Monday 20 March**

The cost is £65.

Each child will receive a chess trophy at the end of term☺

There is no session during half-term (Monday 13 February).

**Children must be in years 3 – 6 to apply.**

*Chess has been described as a wonderful educational tool which can strengthen a child’s mind. Chess can enhance concentration as well as develop creativity, intuition, memory, and the ability to analyse, learning to make complex decisions and solve problems flexibly. Chess is exciting and fun to play.*

*It is worth noting that most leading mathematicians started to play chess from an early age.*

We aim to help children improve their chess as well as have fun. Beginners are welcome. All children take part in a chess tournament. Trophies are awarded at the end of term.

**To join Chess Club this term**

1. Email to register your child. See below.
2. Pay online: £65

SORT code: **82 11 07** Account No: **80346100** (Virgin Money Business Account)

Account name: **AJA Chess Academy**

**Important**: Put your child’s name *and* school as a payment reference (so we can link payment to your child and school). We work at numerous schools so require this key information.

 ***Please note that only paid registrations will guarantee your child a place.***

**Please email the following details to Suzanne Aslett** sjaslett@yahoo.co.uk

1. Your child’s name
2. Your child’s year group and school
3. Who will be collecting your child at the end of club
4. Any medical information or learning needs we should be aware of
5. What your child knows about chess (total beginners are welcome!)