Laira Green
Primary School

Be Kind, Be Determined, Be Proud

Extra-curricular

Clubs 2026-2027

Extra-curricular Clubs at Laira Green Primary

At Laira Green Primary School, we offer children the opportunity to join a club that lasts throughout the school year. This is to enable children to commit to something and develop the enjoyment and resilience to see something through. We believe that when a child joins a club, it can ignite a passion in them for something that they never knew they had. It can develop focus and determination as well as a sense of pride and confidence. Joining a club can make a huge difference to the physical and mental wellbeing of children because they get a chance to play, make friends, and learn something new. Extra-curricular clubs are free and run from **3:20-4:15 pm;** children will be expected to behave appropriately at all times. Below is a table of the extra-curricular clubs that we offer.

Club	Synopsis
Street Dance	We're excited to welcome The Groovment Project, a dynamic dance school from Plymouth, for high-energy dance sessions like no other! Known for their passion, creativity, and seriously impressive moves, The Groovment team will be teaching students the foundations of street dance, building confidence, rhythm, and teamwork along the way. Whether you're a complete beginner or already love to dance, this is your chance to learn from the best and bring the groove to life.
First Aid	In the First Aid club children are taught the fundamentals of First Aid. They are also taught how to use an EpiPen, they receive asthma training, they are taught how to give CPR & how to use a defibrillator. At the end of the year, children will be awarded with a mini first aid kit, first aider badge and an endorsed certificate by St John's Ambulance Service.
Girls' Football	Girls' football is a fun and inclusive club where players develop their football skills through training sessions, small-sided games and friendly matches with other schools. The children will improve their passing, dribbling, shooting and teamwork while building confidence, resilience and fitness. Every player is encouraged to develop their abilities, build confidence and enjoy playing as part of a positive and supportive team.

Mindfulness	Over the year, children will experience a range of activities designed to encourage children to be more mindful. Children will think about having their mind on what they are doing, in that moment, in a calm way, rather than rushing or doing too many things at once. We will explore our feelings and ways we can help regulate our emotions. Activities will include spending time outside in nature, arts and crafts, Lego, yoga, using mindful breathing, colouring, construction and puzzles.
Country Dancing	A chance to explore and enjoy the wonderful world of English Country Dance! At first, we will have fun learning and performing traditional country dances, with opportunities to share them with friends and family. Later in the year we will have the opportunity to try out other traditions such as morris dancing and maypole dancing, finding out all about our folk heritage. Come along and get involved in 5, 6, 7, 8!
Make it	If you love getting creative, Make It Club is the place to be! Each week, children will explore exciting hands-on projects like model making, junk art, simple crafts, and DIY inventions. Perfect for curious minds and busy hands, this club helps children develop problem-solving skills and express their creativity in fun, messy, and imaginative ways. Let's get making!
Taekwondo	Led by Discovery Martial Arts, children will be introduced to the dynamic martial art of Taekwondo, focusing on discipline, respect and physical fitness. Children will learn fundamental techniques including kicks, punches and basic forms of self-defence. A confidence boosting club, which helps to build character and team work skills.
Playground Games	Love being active and having fun with your friends? Come and join our Playground Games Club! Each week you'll enjoy exciting playground favourites, team games and fun challenges that keep you moving and smiling. Learn new games, work together, build confidence and make new friends in a safe, welcoming environment. Whether you love running around or just want to try something new, there's something for everyone. Come along, get active and have fun!

Tennis Skills	Tennis skills club will focus on developing fundamental racket skills, athletic agility and basic match play. Children will learn proper grips, forehands, backhands and serves. They will improve hand-eye coordination, footwork, speed and balance. Children will become aware of court positioning, keeping score and basic rules. Through games and drills, they will develop a sense of fair play, team work, communication and resilience.
Arts and Crafts	A chance to be creative, learn new skills and use your imagination! Art and Craft club is an opportunity to relax at the end of the week with fun activities. We'll make the most of recycling, use lots of different materials and complete a variety of projects lasting between 1 and 3 weeks each. Everything you make, you'll even get to take home!

Gymnastics	In Gymnastics club, the children will learn fundamental skills such as creating basic shapes, performing simple balances, and stretching exercises. The sessions aim to enhance coordination, flexibility, and body awareness while encouraging confidence and a positive attitude toward physical activity. This class provides a strong foundation for future movement-based learning in a safe and supportive setting.
Lego Club	In Lego club the children will learn how to be creative whilst using Lego. They will use instructions and create models using their own imagination. The children will also have the opportunity to learn how to use an autonomous Lego robot then they program it to complete missions.
Screen Free Fun	Roll the dice and join the fun at our Board Games Club - specially for KS1! Each week, children will explore classic and new games that build important skills like turn-taking, counting, strategy, and teamwork - all while having a great time with friends. From matching games to memory challenges, it's all about learning through play. Come along and get your game face on!
Netball	In this Netball Club, the children will have the opportunity to develop their skills in both attacking and defending play. They will learn the official rules of Netball, they will gain an understanding of each playing position and over time, they will explore team tactics to improve their overall performance. The club also focuses on building confidence and teamwork, all while having fun!
Performing Arts	In the Performing Arts club, children will be involved in all things theatre! We will sing, act and dance as well as look at costume design, set design, programme and ticketing design, props, lighting and sound. Throughout the year, we will be rehearsing for a show that we will perform to wide audiences in the summer term. This club is for children who want a taste of being on the stage. Give it a go!
Computing and Coding	Get ready to unlock your digital superpowers! The Computing and Coding Club is coming to school, offering an exciting, hands-on experience where students can explore the world of technology. From building games and apps to learning the basics of programming and problem-solving, this club is perfect for curious minds who love to create and tinker.
Field Gun Club	Ready for a challenge? Field Gun is an exciting team event that comes from a Royal Navy tradition, where teamwork, determination and resilience are the keys to success. You'll work together to carry a replica cannon and tackle obstacles all against the clock, with the chance to earn a place representing our school on Armed Forces Day against other local schools. Along the way, you'll build confidence, develop teamwork skills and forge friendships. We're looking for enthusiastic pupils in Years 4, 5 and 6 to represent our school. If you enjoy a challenge and love being part of a team, we'd love you to get involved!

Chess Club	In chess club, the children can learn to improve their concentration. Chess requires sustained attention, helping children practise observing carefully and ignoring distractions. Players must anticipate their opponents next move. It directly sharpens their focus, memory and problem-solving skills. Come along if you want to be a Laira Green Primary chess champion!

Pupils develop new talents and interests through the range of extra-curricular opportunities on offer.
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