



Head Teacher: Lucy Rodgers

Deputy Head: Wendy Wayland

21<sup>st</sup> May 2019

Dear Parent/Carer,

From Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> June we will run an after-school debating club for pupils in years 4 to 6. Learning how to debate has many benefits for primary school children. It helps them develop their speaking skills and the ability to express themselves verbally in front of a group, which builds confidence. It builds their critical listening skills and their ability to respond to what other people are saying, and can have a knock-on effect on children's written work, as it helps them understand how to structure their work and make their points clearly.

We have places for 14 pupils and they will be allocated on a 'first come, first served' basis. The club will take place on Tuesdays, from 3.15 until 4.00pm. There is no charge.

Please complete the Parent Pay form on the school website if you would like your child to attend. We expect children to be collected at 4.00pm by a responsible adult. If your child is an independent traveller, please state whether you will allow them to travel home alone.

Yours sincerely,

Wendy Wayland  
Deputy Headteacher



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