

About After School and Holiday Club at Brynford School

Cool Kidz Club offers both after school and holiday care for children, operating within Brynford School. The club is managed by a dedicated committee of parents who employ qualified and experienced staff to ensure a high standard of care.

Our management team includes a Manager with QCF Level 5, plus playworker qualification. A Senior Play Worker trained to NVQ Level 3 in Childcare plus playworker qualification. All Play Worker assistances hold NVQ or playwork qualification. All staff members have undergone enhanced DBS checks and hold current certifications in Food Hygiene and Paediatric First Aid.

Manager holds Safeguarding Level C and all other staff hold at least safeguarding Level B.

Many of our team members also work within Brynford School during regular school hours, fostering strong, trusting relationships with the children who attend the club.

Cool Kidz Club is committed to creating a safe, secure, and nurturing environment. We strive to offer a homely atmosphere where children can relax, play, and thrive after school and during school holidays.

After School Club
Half Session: £5.50
Full Session: £8.50

Holiday Club
Half Day: £16.00
Full Day: £26.00

Payment

Fees must still be paid in cases of holidays or sickness to secure your child's place and cover staffing costs.

Late payment and Late collection fees apply – please refer to policies

Policies and Procedures

All club policies, procedures, standards, and relevant certificates are:

Available for viewing at any time

Provided upon registration or upon request

Complaints Procedure

We aim to provide the highest standard of care. However, if you have any concerns or complaints, please follow our official Complaints Procedure.

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You may also contact:

CIW (Care Inspectorate Wales)
01352 707900



Find information, forms, policies and updates at

<https://ysgolbrynffordd.cymru/>



Opening Hours

Term Time:

Monday to Friday, 3:15 PM – 5.30PM

Holiday Club:

Daily from 8:30AM – 5.30 PM

(Following the Brynford School holiday rota, including training days)

Based at:
Brynford School
Brynford
CH8 8AD

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This leaflet outlines the services and values that children, parents/carers, and the wider community can expect from Cool Kidz Club.

Our Club Aims
At Cool Kidz Club, we are committed to:

Providing a happy, safe, warm, and stimulating environment where all children can play, learn, and develop freely.

Helping children develop responsibility for themselves and their actions, becoming competent, confident, independent, and cooperative individuals.

Encouraging a positive attitude and respect for both themselves and others.

Fostering strong partnerships with parents and carers, working together to deliver high-quality play and care for every child.

Offering inclusive services that welcome and support all children.

Regularly monitoring and evaluating our services to ensure we continue to meet the needs of children and families.

Employing a team of experienced, trained, and dedicated staff who are passionate about children's wellbeing and development.

Who Can Attend Cool Kidz Club?

- Children aged 3 to 11 years
- Children attending Brynford School or other local schools only for holiday club (subject to our Admissions Policy)
- A maximum of 24 children per session

We make every effort to accommodate children with special needs and offer a flexible care structure, guided by the interests and needs of the children.

Our staff-to-child ratio is 1:8, with at least two staff members present at all times. At least one staff member will hold Level 3 or above qualifications and will be trained in First Aid and Food Hygiene.

Club Facilities

The club operates within Brynford School, primarily using the school hall, with the option to access classrooms when needed.

Children also benefit from access to the outdoor field, playground, and all-weather court.

Collection and Snacks

Children attending the after-school club will be collected by staff and signed in until picked up by a parent or guardian.

Light, nutritious snacks are provided and drinks are available at all times.

During holiday club:

Breakfast and a light, nutritious snack are provided daily.

Children should bring a packed lunch, as we do not provide a main meal.

Club Activities

At Cool Kidz Club, we offer a programme of activities that is:

Fun, educational, stimulating, and engaging for all children.

Designed to support social, physical, moral, and intellectual development.

Activities include:

Creative crafts

Games and group play

A quiet corner for reading and rest

Computer access

Outdoor play, nature walks, and trips to the local park (under supervision and weather permitting)

Children are encouraged to:

Choose from structured activities or

Initiate their own play, fostering independence and creativity

All activities are delivered in a safe, supportive, and inclusive environment with full adult supervision.

Safety, Inclusion, and Legal Compliance

Children have safe access to a wide range of resources and equipment.

We strictly adhere to the Children Act 1989 and all relevant childcare legislation.

We maintain an environment where bullying and discrimination are not tolerated.