



Newton British School

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Extra-Curricular Activities Policy

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After School Programme

We have developed our after school clubs and activities programme to meet our Vision, Mission & Values by providing the highest quality of education beyond the school day for students of all ages and abilities. We positively encourage students to participate to further strengthen their academic, physical, social and emotional development. We expect everyone to try their best, demonstrate self-discipline and respect towards others and to enjoy their time together.

1. To offer extra curricular classes in order to support the children's learning in both English & Arabic
2. To offer greater depth of challenge for our more able and talented children
3. To offer artistic & cultural enrichment
4. To offer opportunities for service & care for our environment
5. To offer opportunities for physical & sporting development
6. To offer opportunities to develop social interaction & interests

Please note that generally teachers run their own club but with higher numbers (above 20) or with hands on activities like cooking, 2 teachers can work together to host a club.

Extra-curricular activities run on two separate days Tuesday and Wednesday from 1.40-2.30pm.

Since 2018-19, children have been allowed to attend 2 separate clubs on both days so enhancing our program.

Each term, extra-curricular activities run for a minimum of six weeks. They stop before revision and exam week.

The choice of most clubs is flexible so that teachers can teach to both their strengths and interests. When a teacher has an interest in something they are more likely to teach it well.

A swimming ECA will run in Term 1 and 3

There are also a number of fixed activities and paid activities from outside agencies which will run for a minimum of six weeks and often up to 10 weeks. Parents can enroll their children in these and also attend the school ECA program and days are always separate.

The fixed/paid ECA program is as follows

Club	Day
	Sunday
Karate	Tuesday
Chess	Tuesday
Taekwondo	Thursday
NBS Football Academy	Sunday, Monday, Tuesday and Thursday
NBS Dance Academy	Tuesday & Wednesday

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