

6th July 2020

Dear Parents and Carers

Some key worker families have asked about summer holiday clubs, so that they can continue to work through the summer break. We have now had the information below from South Glos Council. The summer holiday provision for South Glos Parents/Carers working **for Frontline NHS or Care staff only** is below.

As a Local Authority we have teamed up with Progressive Sports and Olympus Trust to provide **frontline NHS and care staff** with an offer throughout the summer holidays; where local alternatives may be limited. The offer will be based at **Bradley Stoke Community School** and is for pupils aged between 5-13 only, so also includes secondary age pupils that may be siblings of those that attend Primary. We ask that if you know you have pupils of **frontline NHS or Care staff only**– that they are given the details of the offer below as soon as possible. Places will be **limited** and will be prioritised to those that wish to book in blocks of days per week or week blocks. Parents/carers will also need to pay the provider directly, this is not a free offer; details of the costs will be available on the provider website.

For parents to book on to the holiday clubs they will need to create an account with Progressive Sports. They can do this by clicking on this link: <https://progressive-sports.co.uk/bristol-south-glos/my-account/>

The account is very straightforward to create, please ask parents to fill in as much detail as possible about their child when registering (School name, Class Name etc). If parents already have an account with Progressive Sports please can you ask that they ensure their child's details are up to date.

The holiday clubs from 8.30-3.30, although alternative drop off/pickup time can be arranged to suit shift work. **Children would be required to bring suitable clothing, their own packed lunch and water bottle.**

Below is a direct link to the Holiday Club Provision - the courses are broken down into weeks.:

<https://progressive-sports.co.uk/bristol-south-glos/book-a-course/holiday-courses/>

We will be providing some training to the provider on the latest Public Health guidance and the process that needs to be undertaken, if they are to have a suspected or confirmed case of COVID.

If there are spare places, we will open the offer up to all key worker pupils; this initial offer has a deadline of **Friday 10th July for parents/carers to sign up.**