

Dear Parent/Carer,

Play At Maple are very pleased to inform you that we have secured funding from Hampshire County Council's Short Breaks programme to run a holiday playscheme in the summer for two weeks.

Due to conditions of the funding the schemes are open to anyone in the Basingstoke area who has - or is applying for - a Gateway Card. This means availability at the sessions is expected to be extremely limited. All sessions will be allocated on a first-come-first-served basis so it is extremely important to reply quickly for the best chance of getting the sessions you want.

The cost for a summer session is £15 per day.

The available dates for these sessions are as follows:-

- -Monday 25th July to Friday 29th July
- -Monday 1st August to Friday 5th August

Each session will have a 'theme' for the day with related activities. We offer art, crafts, sport and cooking activities as well as swimming daily.

A healthy snack is offered but children can bring their own snacks if they wish and a **lunch will need** to be provided. All medicines must be provided by parent/carers - we <u>do not</u> access any medicine or records kept in the school. This also applies for any personal care products or spare clothing your child needs.

If you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact myself or a member of the team.

Natalie Birkin - Leader - n.birkin@mapelridge.hants.sch.uk

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Dedicated phone - 07775297962 (Messages can be left on the school phone but our dedicated phone is preferred.)

Yours Sincerely,

Natalie Birkin

Play At Maple Leader