

AFTERSCHOOL CHESS CLUB

Enrollment Form

Please sign up my child for the Fall 2023 session

Cost: \$35/Student (per month)
\$20/additional family member

Parent's Name: _____

Cash / Check / Zelle / PayPal / EDP

Child's Name: _____

Make **checks** to: JWG Memorial Chess Fund

Grade: _____

Zelle/Paypal use jwgchessfund@gmail.com

Birthdate: _____

Exp Level _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

I have read, understand, and agree to the following:

Club Information:

- Chess Club is held on selected Fridays from 3:30 to 4:30pm
- Please reference the attached schedule for the exact schedule
- Club is held in the School Library of MIS
- Chess Club is for kids of all ages from 1st grade thru 8th grade, exceptions can be made for advanced Kinder
- The club will be capped at 24 members
- Children engaged in chess related activities are allowed in the chess room
- Children consistently engaged in non-chess related activities will be first warned and then ultimately asked to leave
- Parents/Guardians are allowed to transition in and out of the chess room for the first 15 mins and the last 15 mins
- You may bring your own chess set if you'd like, however all related materials are provided
- This club is affiliated with the Dallas Chess Club. Students will be provided with a USCF member number (at their 2nd month)
- National chess rankings are done by the student entering tournaments. Simply being in the club will not give points towards a rating

Club Mission Statement:

- Provide an environment where children of similar age may learn/play chess
- Provide basic instruction of how the pieces move and simple strategy
- Give opportunity for more advanced children to play those at or above their level
- Promote chess as an activity in the local area
- Identify children to participate in youth tournaments sanctioned by the United States Chess Federation (USCF)

Club Expenses:

- The club is primarily a volunteer organization
- The club will engage paid teacher/instructors as needed
- The club provides all equipment, though you are free to bring your own
- The club will provide a USCF member number after the 2nd month of continuous membership
- The club will provide a ChessKid.com login upon enrollment so they can play online
- The club will provide entrance to a local USCF rated tournament at a minimum of once per semester
- The club will provide financial assistance to those who cannot pay the monthly due(s)
- Any excess funds not used for the above are held in the John W Griffin Memorial Chess Scholarship Foundation to be used for scholarship prizes at the Texas State Scholastic Chess competitions or similar

Parent / Guardian Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____