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Dear Parents / carers

**Re: Chestnuts After School Club**

I am writing to inform you that I have just purchased a Nintendo Wii console for the exclusive use of the After School Club. I know we have had many debates in the past about children excessively playing computer games at home and we have offered reassurances about the amount of time we will allow children to play games in our ICT suite. I wanted to write to reassure you from the outset that I have imposed strict time limits on the use the new console.

The staff have agreed that no child will be allowed to play or watch for longer than 30 minutes. The Wii will only be used after 5pm to ensure that children eat their snacks and have some time to run around outside. Clearly there may be exceptions to this strict rule if the weather is particularly poor and children are unable to get outside.

The wii console is only to be used in the Winter months and I anticipate will only be used now until the Easter break.

The majority of the games I have purchased can be used by both infants and juniors. We will of course continue to source additional games.

Please do speak to Kyle if you have any specific concerns or worries about this new activity.

Regards

Cal Shaw  
Head Teacher

*Founder Member of the Green Lanes Co-Operative Trust*



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