



Sts. Joseph and John School Chess Club



Sts. Joseph and John School is pleased to offer students in grades 3-5 the exciting opportunity to learn and play the game of chess!

No previous experience necessary – students start at their own level. Instruction will be provided by **Progress with Chess**, a local nonprofit organization with chess programs in over 50 area schools and recreation centers. Chess improves higher level thinking skills such as memory, concentration and pattern recognition, and provides many opportunities for positive social interaction. Sessions will include interactive lessons and structured open play a supportive environment. Come join the fun!

SESSION: Jan 12th - Feb 23rd
WHO: Students in Grades 3-5
WHEN: Wednesdays 2:00-3:00 PM (8 weeks)
WHERE: Sts. Joseph and John School
FEE: \$96 per student by Jan 10th, after \$101
Register online at progresswithchess.org/sjj
CONTACT: Stacia Melinda Pugh, 216-346-9643, stacia@progresswithchess.org
WEBSITE: progresswithchess.org

Access convenient online registration (preferred) at progresswithchess.org/sjj OR, please complete and return the attached form to the school office with cash or check made out to Progress with Chess.

I give my permission for (please write child's full name) _____
to participate in the **Sts. Joseph and John School Chess Club**. I understand that my child is expected to behave appropriately in chess club at all times.

For safety purposes, please indicate how your child will be arriving home:

Circle One: PICK-UP or AFTERCARE

Parent Name: _____

Phone #: _____ Teacher: _____ Grade: _____

Email address (please PRINT CLEARLY): _____

Please select level..

- ☐ **Beginner:** Has never played chess before or has limited experience.
- ☐ **Novice:** Knows the moves of the pieces, needs to learn the rules and simple checkmates.
- ☐ **Intermediate:** Understands the rules, how the pieces move and simple checkmates.
- ☐ **Advanced:** Excellent chess player, understands basic strategy and tactics.

REGISTER BY MONDAY, JAN 10TH FOR EARLYBIRD RATE