



Hilltop After School Chess Club



Beachwood Recreation and Progress With Chess are 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!

FALL SESSION I: Aug 31 - Oct 12, 2023 (7 weeks)
FALL SESSION II: Oct 26 - Dec 14, 2023 (7 weeks) **no class 11/23*
WHO: Students in Grades 3-5
WHEN: Thursdays 2:50-3:50 PM (14 weeks)
WHERE: Hilltop Elementary School



REGISTER: progresswithchess.org/hilltop
FEE: \$99 per session, or \$169 for both!



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Access convenient online registration (preferred) at progresswithchess.org/hilltop OR, please complete and return the attached form to Beachwood Recreation Center 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 **Hilltop After School Chess Club**. I understand that my child is expected to behave appropriately in chess club at all times.

Circle Dismissal: Pick-Up Extended care

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 WEDNESDAY, AUG 30TH OR OCT 25TH