South Suburban Montessori Chess Club

South Suburban Montessori and **Progress With Chess** are pleased to offer students in grades 1-8 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 in a supportive environment. Come join the fun!

FALL SESSION I:	**Sept 17 - Oct 5 (5 weeks)**
WHO:	Students in **Grades 1-8**
WHEN:	**Tuesdays 3:30-4:30 PM**
WHERE:	South Suburban Montessori
FEE:	$75 per student
	Register online at **progresswithchess.org/ssms**
CONTACT:	**Stacia Pugh**, stacia@progresswithchess.org
WEBSITE:	**progresswithchess.org**

FALL *SESSION II* *will be* ***Oct 22nd - Dec 3rd (6 weeks)*** **no class 11/5*

Access convenient online registration (preferred) at progresswithchess.org/ssms 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)

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to participate in the **SSMS After 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: **Walking** **Pick-Up** **Extended care** **Late Bus**

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, SEPT 16TH