



**DOWNSEND
SCHOOL**

Inspiring Young Minds

DOWNSEND PLUS

Possibly the best holiday club in Surrey!

OCTOBER & CHRISTMAS 2024

MON 21ST OCTOBER - FRI 1ST NOVEMBER

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MON 16TH DECEMBER-FRI 20TH DECEMBER

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WELCOME TO DOWNSENDPLUS



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We have been running Downsend Plus for 19 years, and we never fail to enjoy every single bit of it. We plan our days and courses to appeal to a wide range of pupils, and we aim to offer fun experiences to make sure everyone has the best with us during the school holidays!

The D+ Team

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HOW DOES IT WORK?

Downsend +

What will my child do:

A DownsendPlus day includes non-stop activities including:

- Games in the sports hall, on the astroturf and playing fields
- Swimming in the 25m pool
- Cooking in the Food Tech suite
- Arts and Crafts
- Board games, Xbox, and Wii challenges
- Table tennis, trampolining, and go-karts

Or, we have the option for DownsendPlus courses such as Go-Ape, Scuba Diving, Golf and many more. These courses are individually priced and can be joined together with a DownsendPlus half day if required.

Timings and costs:

- Early: 8am-9am: £7.50
- Day: 9am-4pm: £60 (includes lunch) or £50 if booked 10 working days in advance
- Late: 4pm-5.30pm: £12.50 (includes tea)

Or:

- Morning only: 9am-1pm: £41 (includes lunch) or £31 if booked 10 working days in advance
- Morning course AND regular DownsendPlus afternoon: Cost of your chosen course + £29 (includes lunch) or £19 if booked 10 working days in advance
- Regular DownsendPlus morning AND afternoon course: £29 + cost of your chosen course (includes lunch) or £19 if booked 10 working days in advance
- Morning course only: 9am-1pm: cost of course only (includes lunch)
- Afternoon course only: 12pm-4pm: cost of course only (includes lunch)

Please note the £10 late booking fee for all regular Downsend Plus days, mornings only, and half days with a course.

How to book:

Go to this [Microsoft Form](#) to complete your booking.

D+ COURSES IN DETAIL



Halloween and Christmas Pottery Painting | All ages | Monday 21 October AM | Monday 16th December AM | £38

Eva Marie will be back with us to guide the children through designing and decorating their own Halloween and Christmas pottery. Using specialist glazes, all the items will be taken back to Painty Pots Studio for firing and will be ready for collection from Downsends School in time for Halloween and Christmas.

Christmas Pudding | All ages | Monday 21 October AM | Monday 28 October AM | £48

Join us for a festive morning of making a Christmas classic. The pudding will be steamed and wrapped all in time for Christmas Day!

Horse Riding | Age 6+ | Monday 21 October PM | Tuesday 29 October PM | Monday 16 December PM | £58

We are delighted to reintroduce Horse Riding at our new venue. Join us at Lower Morden Equestrian Centre for a complete pony experience. You will have the opportunity to take part in a group ride, learning how to groom and care for the horse and finally the all important skill of mucking out a stable.

Make Your Own Bug Houses | All ages | Monday 21 October PM | £36

Come and make a sustainable home for the creatures in your garden, using recycled cans, leaves twigs and other woodland materials.

Yoga | All ages | Monday 21 October PM | Monday 28 October PM | Monday 16 December PM | £36

Yoga for children uses traditional poses alongside games and music to create a fun class. We will be twisting, balancing, forward and backward bending and lots more to support growing bodies, increasing co - ordination, concentration and relaxation skills.



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Skateboarding | Age 5-7 | Tuesday 22 October AM | Thursday 31 October PM | Thursday 19 December AM | £48

Skateboarding | Age 8+ | Tuesday 22 October PM | Thursday 31 October AM | Thursday 19 December PM | £48

Learn to skateboard with Usk8's skateboarding workshops!

Our highly trained instructor will run you through all you need to know to get you rolling on your own! We will guide you through how to get onto a skateboard safely, push independently and get you turning. As we progress through our course we will work towards kickturns, flat ground drop-ins, pancake flips and much more, we will even give you the understanding of how to ollie! Our flat-ground workshops are a great and fun way to get into skateboarding, our instructors will make sure everyone will be able to skate within their ability while building their confidence to try more.

Go-Ape | Age 6+ - Minimum Height 1M | Tuesday 22 October AM | Thursday 31 October AM | 20 December AM | £50

Chessington's Tree Top Junior is aimed at adventurers aged 6+ years. The safety systems are designed so that participants stay attached the whole time they are in the trees and there is no need for them to move any safety lines. A fun filled time of canopy exploring, trail blazing and obstacles for all to enjoy. You'll negotiate crossings and finish on a high (literally) with an awesome zip wire!

Autumn Wall Hanging | All ages | Tuesday 22 October PM | £36

Come and enjoy a creative and cosy afternoon where the children will have the opportunity to create an autumn wall hanging to adorn your home.

Make Your Own Clay Pumpkins| All ages | Wednesday 23 October AM | £36

Join Eva Marie in designing, sculpting and moulding your very own clay pumpkin. Whether you decide to make a scary or happy pumpkin it will make a great addition to your Halloween decorations.

Mini Ringo's & Sledging | Age 6+ | Wednesday 23 October AM | Thursday 19 December PM | £55

Excitement of the downhill variety at Sandown. Sliding downhill in mini-inflatable doughnuts and sledges.



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Scuba Diving Seal Team | Age 8+ | 2 Full Day Course | Wednesday 23 October + Thursday 24 October | £160

The Seal Team course is the next step on from Scuba Diving DSD1 and DSD 11. Children will learn new scuba diving skills and learn about the aquatic realm while completing 5 fun aqua missions. Each aqua mission starts with a DVD presented by a cartoon cast of aqua mission heroes. Children complete the challenges in a real diving log book and then dive. During the dives, children learn real scuba skills and play fun underwater games.

Escape Room – End of the Line | Age 9+ | Wednesday 23 October PM | £48

Danny Badd is up to his old tricks and has hijacked several trains on the Picodedilly line to cause a distraction while he carries out a heist job in another part of town. You are one of the unlucky commuters who find themselves trapped on a runaway train with only enough track ahead of you to last the next 60 minutes. Will you be able to work out the manual override and apply the brakes in time? Or will this be the End of the Line?

Make Your Own Blrd Feeders | All ages | Wednesday 23 October PM | £36

In this workshop, children will learn how to create their own bird feeders using different materials. This activity is perfect for young nature enthusiasts and budding crafters who want to help our feathered friends.

Bocketts Farm | All ages | Thursday 24 October All Day | Tuesday 17 December All Day | £70

Head out for a fun-filled day at Bocketts Farm where you will see lots of different animals at the small animal encounter session, a tour of the farm and an exciting tractor ride around the farm. The highlight of the day is watching the Pig Racing which is not to be missed.

Sock Pumpkins | Ages 8+ | Thursday 24 October AM | £36

Get in the spooky spirit with this creative course of turning unwanted socks into pumpkins that you can decorate your home with for years to come.

Hedgehog Bread Rolls | All Ages | Thursday 24 October PM | £38

Introduce kids to the art of breadmaking with this fun and easy recipe. These mini hedgehog rolls are the cutest bake you'll ever make.



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Pirate Island Crazy Golf | Age 6+ | Friday 25 October AM | £39

Pirate Island Adventure Golf is unlike any other crazy golf or mini golf course you have ever played. Spectacularly themed and festooned with obstacles including a huge pirate ship, streams, rafts, snakes and crocodiles, this 18 hole putting adventure offers a proper challenge.

Spooky Pizza Making | All ages | Friday 25 October AM | £38

Make a spooktacular family-sized pizza from scratch with spiders and ghosts made out of your choice of toppings! No need for a takeaway tonight!

Haunted Halloween Hair | All ages | Friday 25 October PM | Friday 1 November PM | £36

From hair wrap braids to French plaits. Come and join us for a fun afternoon full of creativity, colour, beads and glitter!

Halloween Foam Clay | All ages | Monday 28 October AM | £36

Get creative and model and sculpt foam Halloween creations. A fun and tactile clay that can be rolled, sculpted & blended with clay tools to add texture and a pop of bold colour! Dries at room temperature within 48 hours.

Escape Room- The Betrayal of Cluetankhamun | Age 9+ | Monday 28 October AM | £48

Just over a month ago, the long-lost tomb of Cluetankhamun was unearthed for the first time in over 3 millennia. A team of explorers were sent in to recover the Cluetan Crystal, a jewel believed to possess the power of the Nile. It has been several days since last contact with the exploring party so it's time to send a new expedition down into the tomb to retrieve the crystal. But watch your step – Who knows what happened to the last exploring party.

Scuba Diving DSD 1 | Age 8+ | Monday 28 October PM | £40

Scuba Diving DSD 11 | Age 8+ | 2-afternoon course – Thursday 31 October PM- Friday 1 November PM | £80

The DSD 1 course is designed to introduce the children to scuba diving safety, this session is relaxed, and an ideal introduction to scuba diving. DSD 11 programme will expand upon the knowledge gained in the first course, children will cover diving theory refresher - setting up equipment, and basic dive skills including regulator clearing, regulator recovery, mask clearing and octopus breathing, together with an introduction to buoyancy control, fin pivots, hovering and buoyancy games. Finishing with underwater photography; setting up the underwater camera, how it operates and taking photos.



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Haunted Halloween Pastry Tree | All ages | Monday 28 October PM | £38

In this cooking course, you'll create a hauntingly delicious pastry tree perfect for your Halloween festivities.

Go-Karting Cadet Track | Age 8+ - Minimum Height 1.3M | Tuesday 29 October AM | Monday 16 December AM | £65

Go-Karting Main Track | Age 12+ - Minimum Height 1.5M | Tuesday 29 October AM | Monday 16 December AM | £75

Off to Surbiton Raceway for an adrenaline-packed session, racing your friends round the Cadet Track in 140CC 48HP petrol Go-Karts. Or for the older children, the chance to try out the longer and faster main track.

Giant Spooky Cookie Creation | All ages | Tuesday 29 October AM | £38

Dive into the world of spooky baking with our exciting course, where you'll learn to create a giant, deliciously eerie cookie that's perfect for Halloween.

Dance Club | All ages | Tuesday 29 October AM | £38

Dance Club from JH Ballet! Come along for an exciting summer of dance fun! We will spend the morning choreographing dance routines covering all different styles of dance-pop, contemporary, tap, ballet, and musical theatre.

Ghost Garlands | Age 7+ | Tuesday 29 October PM | £36

Add a spooky touch to your Halloween decorations with our fun and creative ghost garlands. You'll learn how to craft ghost garlands that will bring a festive and eerie atmosphere to any space.

Spooky Spectacular Halloween Crafts | All ages | Thursday 31 October AM | £36

Get ready to unleash your creativity. This course is designed for all ages offering a variety of spine-chilling projects that will make your Halloween truly unforgettable.

Cheesy Pumpkin Puffs | All Ages | Thursday 31 October PM | £38

Get in the Halloween Spirit by joining us to make these delicious creations with a twist.



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Halloween Bark | All Ages | Friday 1 November AM | £38

Enjoy a sweet treat at Halloween with our Halloween bark where the children can create their own unique chocolate bark masterpieces using a variety of decorations.

Lego Challenge | Age 8+ | Friday 1 November AM | £34

A must for all Lego fans, an interactive course using imagination, creativity and team work.

Make Your Own Candles & Holders | Age 8+ | 2 morning course | Monday 16 December- Tuesday 17 December AM | £72

Get in the holiday spirit with our Create & Celebrate workshop, where you can craft your very own candles and Christmas Holders!

Chocolate Puff Pastry Christmas Tree | All Ages | Monday 16 December PM | £38

Create a delicious chocolate puff pastry Christmas tree, perfect for sharing with your family at holiday gatherings, this impressive treat will be the star of your festive celebrations.

Escape Room- Bunker 38 | Age 9+ | Tuesday 17 December AM | £48

You've been living in an underground bunker for years due to a radiation leak. Now you've been given the all clear, but you're locked in and oxygen levels are running low! With clues, riddles, locks and puzzles to solve and only 60 minutes of breathable air left, will you be able to escape in time? Come and try Bunker 38 for yourself! An ideal introduction to an escape room. Adult supervision is provided at all times.

Christmas Decorations | All Ages | Tuesday 17 December PM | £36

Embrace the festive spirit by making your own Christmas decorations to either adorn your home or give as gifts. This course is a wonderful way to celebrate the Christmas season with creativity and fun.

Christmas Wreath Workshop | Age 8+ | Thursday 19 December AM | £40

Enjoy a festive and creative experience at our Christmas Wreath Workshop. This course is a wonderful way to spark creativity and get into the Christmas Spirit.



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Mince Pies | All Ages | Thursday 19 December PM | £ 38

Join us for a delightful and festive Mince Pie cooking course, perfect for embracing the holiday spirit and sharing with the family.

Sausage Roll Wreath | All ages | Friday 20 December AM | £40

This popular course will see the children making the humble sausage roll into a spectacular christmas wreath with dipping sauce for the whole family to enjoy.

Christmas Hair & Nails | All ages | Friday 20 December PM | £40

Get in the festive spirit by sparkling your nails or choosing a Christmas hairstyle. From ribbon to glitter, we have it all!

D+ SPECIAL DAYS

Halloween Special Day- Wednesday 30 October

Join us for a spine-chilling celebration at our Spooktacular Halloween Special Day! This day promises frightful fun and eerie excitement for all ages.



Christmas Special Day- Wednesday 18 December

Join us for a day filled with festive fun and holiday cheer at our Magical Christmas Special Day! The day will bring joy and excitement to children of all ages.

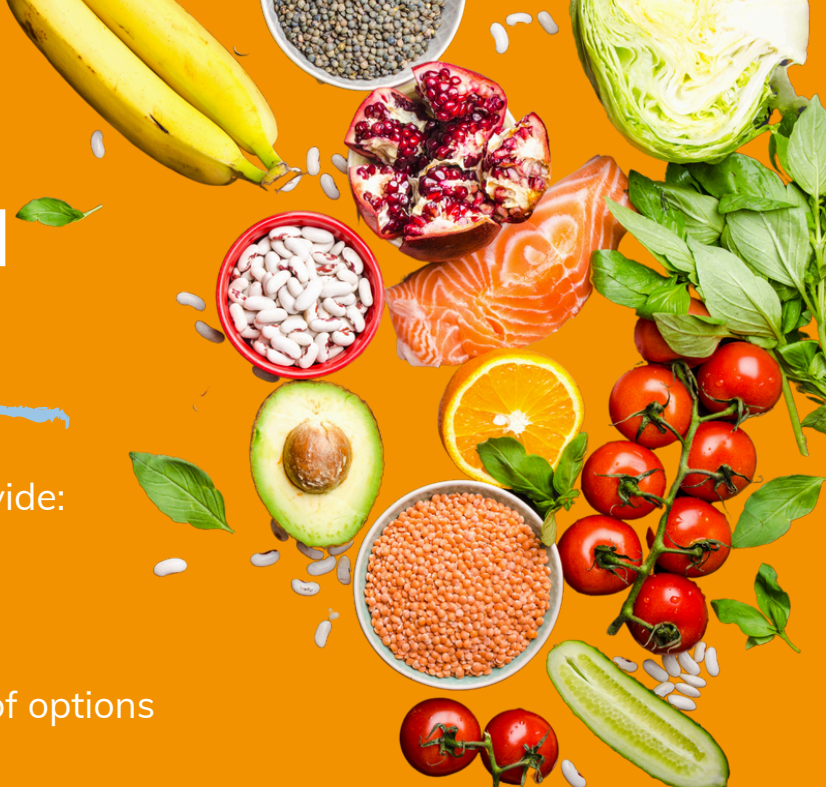


SNACKS, LUNCH AND TEA

Included within your fees, we will provide:

- A morning and afternoon snack
- A healthy hot lunch with a range of options

If you choose 'Late finish', tea will also be provided (excluding Fridays)



A FEW THINGS TO NOTE:

- Children are welcome to bring bikes or scooters, but must have a helmet.
- Please no hee-lies.
- We recommend old clothing, as it may get dirty.
- Please no mobile phones or electronic devices.



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