

## ST ANDREW'S CHESS CLUB

Chess Club is run at St Andrew's on Friday Lunchtimes for Years 3-7. We play chess and checkers and have plenty of sets for everyone to use. Chess is a wonderful educational activity as it teaches skills of critical thinking, problem solving strategies, patience and focussing skills. It is part of the school curriculum in over 30 European countries! Most importantly we enjoy getting together as a group and having fun!

There are a variety of activities we do at Chess Club. We have games against each other, complete a course of lessons that go through stages online on Chess Kids. We also have a giant chess set and have a large computer game on the electronic whiteboard.

A set of chess or checkers will make a wonderful Christmas gift. Remember to play lots of games in the holidays! We look forward to seeing some new faces next year. Some good chess websites to look at are: <http://www.chesskids.com/>  
<http://www.chessguru.net/>    <http://chesskids.com.au/>

