



Chess at St. Philip Neri

Dates: Thursdays, September 14 to December 14, 2017

No class on October 12, November 23

Time: 3:15-4:15

Grades: 1-8

Fee: \$168 for the 12-week session

Chess is fun and can be learned quickly and easily. Studies have found that chess improves test results in reading, science, and math, and encourages growth in critical cognitive skills. Beyond academia, chess influences social behavior, including self esteem, respect for others, patience, and good sportsmanship. Students at all levels of skill are welcome!

Boards and sets are provided for our classes. Reduced fees are available to low-income families upon request. The first child in a family is full price; additional siblings are half price. The class minimum is 10 and the maximum is 20. Enrollments are accepted in the order received.

*Note: The first parent to volunteer to assist the chess class will receive **free chess for your child this session and hours counted towards your SPN volunteer hours**. The volunteer will escort the children from the yard to the Science Lab, wait for chess class to begin, and, when class concludes, escort the children who have not been picked up to Share & Care. Contact the Berkeley Chess School at **510-843-0150** or email programs@berkeleychessschool.org.*

The Berkeley Chess School is a nonprofit organization offering chess instruction from elementary through high school since 1982. We are an affiliate of the US Chess Federation. Over the years our students have won numerous state championships, with some going on to become Masters, FIDE Masters, and International Masters.

Enroll online at www.berkeleychessschool.org

--- Or tear off and mail with payment to: The Berkeley Chess School 1845 Berkeley Way, Berkeley, CA 94703 ---

Please **DO NOT** give to the classroom teacher, school office, or chess instructor

I give permission for my child: _____ Grade _____ Boy _____ Girl _____

to attend chess class on **Thursdays at St. Philip Neri beginning September 14** Fee: **\$168 fall 2017**

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip code: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work: _____ Cell: _____

Email _____

After Chess my child: Will attend afterschool YES NO
Will be picked up by parents promptly at **4:15** YES NO
OTHER _____

I would like to become a BCS supporter \$ _____. Your tax-deductible donation supports the BCS scholarship program. 1 BCS student in 6 receives some form of financial aid. Tax ID#94-3225242

Parent's Name: _____ Signature: _____

Emergency Contact Info: _____

Medical Conditions: Please attach a separate piece of paper describing any conditions the instructor should be aware of