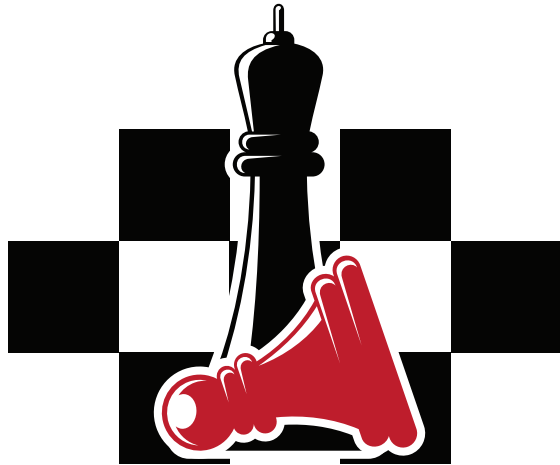


# LEARN TO PLAY CHESS



**METCALF**  
**CHESSCATS**

**Parent Informational Meeting**  
**Wednesday, October 19th at 7pm**  
**via ZOOM** (link on Metcalf Calendar Event)

We are very excited to begin another great season of chess. Chess has been called “the perfect teaching and learning tool”. It promotes focus, visualization and strategic thinking.

Our goal is to provide a fun and positive educational experience for our students. In addition, we participate in local, state and national chess tournaments, consistently placing among the top schools in the state. Chess is a parent organized activity that relies on volunteer help to operate.

## **Who can join Metcalf Chesscats?**

Any Metcalf Student K-8th grade  
(ALL levels welcome, including those with no prior chess experience)

## **When do we meet?**

Tuesdays starting November 1 - March 7  
BEGINNERS: 3:00- 4:00 pm  
INTERMEDIATE/ADVANCED: 3:00-4:30 pm  
**FIRST MEETING: November 1st**

## **Cost?**

\$35 per student (Activity Fee paid online)  
The cost covers payment for coaches, an administrator, snacks, and supplies.

## **This fee needs to be paid BEFORE the first meeting.**

If the student decides they are no longer interested after 2 weeks, from the first meeting, the office will refund the activity fee.

## **How do I sign my child up?**

Through the Metcalf Website, there is a link to activities.  
Please make sure you “Register”, pay the activity fee online, AND complete the covid release form.

## **Questions?**

Please email Melissa Ash at [lissash@gmail.com](mailto:lissash@gmail.com) with any questions.