

# Circusful

## **Summer Programme 2023**

Check out the classes we're offering for our Itty Bitty and Youth Circus members this Summer!

#### **Summer Circus Classes: for 5 to 7 year-olds**

Our much loved Itty Bitty classes have been bringing a sense of joy and adventure to young children for years. Led by inspiring teachers each trained in how to bring the wonders of balance, acrobatics, juggling, aerial arts and artistic expression to our youngest Circusful members.

Dates	Time	Age group	Class description	Cost
AUGUST  Monday 7th to Friday 11th	10.30- 12pm Each day	5 to 7 year- olds	5 mornings of circus fun.  This week-long class is for current Itty Bitty members and for those who have never been but are keen to learn what circus is all about to come along, make new friends and have some fun,  The skills taught are age appropriate and include scarf juggling, plate spinning, hula hoop and more. All are welcome.	£60 for all 5 morning sessions

#### Circus Play Sessions for younger children, with a parent or carer.

These sessions will be led by our expert tutors, but a parent or carer is required to accompany their child, help them with the activities and experience the fun of circus together. Book in for 1 or 2 sessions

AUGUST  Saturday 5 <sup>th</sup> and Saturday 19 <sup>th</sup>	12pm – 1.30pm Each week	2 and 3 year- olds	Circus play for 2 and 3 year olds  A great opportunity to introduce your child to all the fun of the circus. Come along with your child and help them try some juggling, plate spinning, balancing and more.	£14 per session for 1 child + 1 adult
AUGUST  Saturday 12 <sup>th</sup> and Saturday 26 <sup>th</sup>	12pm – 1.30pm Each week	4 and 5 year- olds	Circus Play for 4 and 5 year-olds.  Do you have a budding star who wants to try circus skills for the first time? Does your child already attend our classes? Either way, bring them to our circus play sessions, where you can help them try something new and they can show you what they can do.	£14 per session for 1 child + 1 adult

### **Summer Circus Classes: for 8 to 18 year-olds**

Our Youth Circus classes cover a wide range of skills including: trapeze, acrobatics, juggling, diabolo, unicycle, tightwire and performance skills. They bring young people together to have fun, build trust and develop strong bonds.

Dates	Time	Age group	Class description	Cost
JULY  Monday 17th to Friday 21st	10am – 1pm Each day	8 to 11 year- olds	5 morning sessions for our current Youth Circus members to practise their circus skills, maybe try something new and have fun with friends.	£80  For all 5 morning sessions
JULY – AUGUST Monday 31st Jul to Friday 4th Aug	10am – 1pm Each day	12 to 15 year- olds	5 morning sessions for our current Youth Circus members to practise their circus skills, maybe try something new and have fun with friends.	£80  For all 5 morning sessions
JULY – AUGUST Monday 31st Jul to Friday 4th Aug	1.30pm - 5pm Each day	16 plus	5 afternoon sessions for our older Youth Circus members, with some focused circus training and a chance to reconnect with friends over the summer.	£90  For all 5 afternoon sessions
AUGUST  Monday 7th to Friday 11th	1pm – 4pm Each day	8 to 11 year- olds	5 afternoon sessions for current members and beginners. A fun filled summer circus week, suitable for those who are new to circus and regular attenders alike. A chance to learn something new, practice your skills with friends and have some fun.	£80 For all 5 afternoon sessions

This year we're also running some sessions for young people with no circus experience to come along and try something new, if you have family members or friends who would like to try some circus skills, please let them know.

Dates	Time	Age group	Circus Fun Taster Sessions	Cost
JULY Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> AUGUST Monday 14th	1pm – 2.30pm	8 to 12 year- olds	A chance for those who have never attended circus classes to come along and try some circus skills. All skills taught are age appropriate and include juggling, plate spinning, hula hoop and more.  Sign up for one or both sessions	£12 for each 90min session
JULY Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> AUGUST Monday 14th	3pm – 4.30pm	13 to 16 year- olds	You're never too old to learn something new, these sessions are for teens who would like to have a go at circus skills for the first time and maybe discover a hidden talent while having some fun.  Sign up for one or both sessions	£12 for each 90min session

We hope there's something to suit everyone, but places are limited and will be allocated on a first come first served basis.

To reserve a spot for your young person, send an email to classes@circusful.org with their name and age and let us know which class they'd like to attend.

If there's a place available, we'll email you with more information. If the class is already fully subscribed, we'll add their name to a reserve list and let you know if a place becomes available.

Please note: Fees are payable at least 14 days in advance to secure their place.

We hope to offer some specialised skill classes too! So, keep an eye on your inbox and social media.

