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Year 6 Swimming Lessons

Dear Parents,

We are pleased to confirm that Year 6 will start swimming lessons this term.

Please note it is a statutory requirement that pupils take part in swimming lessons and they are taught the following:

- To swim competently, confidently and proficiently over a distance of at least 25 metres
- To use a range of strokes effectively [for example, front crawl, backstroke and breaststroke]
- To perform safe self-rescue in different water-based situations

Swimming lessons will take place in the school swimming pool and will be led by Mrs Piner who is a qualified swimming instructor. Children will be put into small groups, and all individual needs will be dealt with sensitively and discreetly. Pupils will use the changing rooms to get changed, split by gender. Again, individual needs will be dealt with sensitively.

Sessions will take place on the following dates.

W/B 15th June		Wednesday 17th June
W/B 22nd June	Monday 22nd June (Non PGL Children)	Wednesday 24th June (Non PGL Children)
W/B 29th June	Monday 29th June	Wednesday 1st July
W/B 6th July	Monday 6th July	Wednesday 8th July
W/B 13th July	Monday 13th July	Wednesday 15th July

Pupils should bring their kit into school in a named, separate bag. There is no charge for these lessons.

Kit List:

- Appropriate swimwear (no bikinis/tankinis)
- Towel
- Goggles and swimming hat if needed
- Flip flops/sandals for the changing rooms
- Long hair needs to be tied back and all jewellery removed

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to come and speak to us.

Yours Faithfully,

Miss Waters
 Year 6 Class Teacher