

St Paul's

C of E Primary School



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22nd November 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

SWIMMING LESSONS

As part of the National Curriculum, pupils in Years 5 and 6 will be required to attend swimming lessons during the Spring term. Lessons will take place on **Monday afternoons** between 1.30 – 2.30pm at The Mount School and each session will last for 30 minutes.

There will be 10 lessons:

Day	Date	Leaving At	Returning At
Monday	9th January 2023	1pm	3pm
Monday	16th January 2023	1pm	3pm
Monday	23rd January 2023	1pm	3pm
Monday	30th January 2023	1pm	3pm
Monday	6th February 2023	1pm	3pm
Monday	20th February 2023	1pm	3pm
Monday	27th February 2023	1pm	3pm
Monday	6th March 2023	1pm	3pm
Monday	13th March 2023	1pm	3pm
Monday	20th March 2023	1pm	3pm

The children will be supervised by teaching staff on the journey to and from The Mount School and during the lessons, but we would be very grateful for **parent volunteers** to help out with the walking and chaperoning whilst the children are changing. The arrangements are as follows:

- We will be walking to the pool so everyone will need to be wearing a waterproof coat.
- Class Teachers will lead the classes along with qualified swimming teachers and lifeguard.
- **Girls** must wear a plain 1 piece swimming costume and **boys** must wear trunks or shorts, but please avoid very baggy shorts.
- **All** pupils must wear a swimming cap to be allowed in the pool.
- Pupils will be back at school for home time as normal.
- **Non-swimmers** and those who cannot yet swim 25m will need to bring **armbands** already inflated ready to use.

Please complete and return the permission slip by **Friday 9th December 2022** at the latest.

We need to ask for a voluntary contribution of £22.00 (equivalent to £2.20 per child per lesson). This will help cover the cost of the hire of the pool and swimming teachers, who are also trained lifeguards. **The Payment will be set up shortly on ParentPay with a due date of Friday 6th January, before the tuition begins. If this presents anyone with financial difficulty please contact Mrs Methley.**

If your child is entitled to Pupil Premium funding, the school receives funding which can be used to subsidise certain activities. Mrs Methley has allocated this funding for Year 5 and 6 swimming lessons and this will cover the cost of your contribution.

Miss Purves



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SWIMMING LESSONS – Permission Slip - Years 5 and 6

PLEASE RETURN BY FRIDAY 9th DECEMBER 2022

I give permission for my child _____ Class _____

to attend swimming lessons at The Mount School during the Spring Term 2022.

I agree to a voluntary contribution of **£22.00**, which I will pay on Parent Pay. Not Applicable for children in receipt of additional funding.

Signed _____

Please print _____

I am available on the following dates to help with swimming. Please tick which dates:

Day	Date	Leaving At	Returning At	Available to Help
Monday	9th January 2023	1pm	3pm	
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