



Hughenden Primary School

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2 April 2019

Dear Parents,

Year 3/4/5/6 Swimming Lessons – Summer Term 2019

The National Curriculum outlines that primary schools should provide swimming instruction so that children can swim confidently over a distance of at least 25 metres in a stroke of their choice.

As we do not have a record of your child being able to swim 25 metres, we will be providing swimming lessons for them in the Summer Term. If your child can swim 25 metres and you have a certificate to show this please let us have a copy and then they won't need to take part in school swimming lessons. Or if you think they can swim 25 metres but are unsure, we can take them and test them during the first few weeks. Please note, if after a further 12 weeks of swimming lessons they are still unable to swim we will need to continue taking them next year.

Swimming lessons take place at Wycombe Leisure Centre on Wednesday afternoons and will start on Wednesday 24 April. Please note this is the first day back after the Easter break. The last session will be on Wednesday 17 July, twelve sessions altogether. Tuition will be provided by the Centre's swimming instructors and Mrs Wainwright.

Children will need to bring:

- Towels and swim suits (one piece costume for the girls and close fitting trunks for the boys – no Bermudas!)
- Goggles may be worn but will need to be removed for specific activities.
- All pupils **must** wear a swimming hat.
- No jewellery – earrings must be removed or if this is not possible, covered with Elastoplast.

We are travelling to Wycombe Leisure Centre by coach fitted with 3 point seat belts. The use of the pool and tuition costs will be covered by the school but we would like to request a voluntary contribution of £35.00 towards the cost of the transport for the twelve sessions during the Summer term.

Please return the slip below along with the Parental Consent Form and payment to Hughenden Primary School. If you have any questions, please contact the school office where someone will be happy to help.

Yours sincerely

Sarah Leighton
Head teacher

Swimming lessons, Summer Term 2019

I give permission for my child in Year to attend swimming lessons at Wycombe Leisure Centre and to wear goggles during the lessons. I understand that my child will need to wear a swimming hat in all lessons.

I enclose a voluntary contribution of £35.00 towards the cost of transport. Cheques should be made payable to Hughenden Primary School

Signed: Date:

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