



14th October 2019

Dear Parents/Carers

YEAR 3 SWIMMING LESSONS

Year 3 have managed to secure an extra swimming session each week until Christmas. This is great news as it means classes can swim sooner than expected. 3GR will continue to swim for another week after half term. The extra session will mean that 3GI will swim on Wednesdays until Christmas. Please see timetable below:

3GI - Wednesday 16th October – Friday 10th January inc. (last session is a Friday due to Wednesday availability finishing)

3GR – Friday 22nd November will be their last session

3P – Friday 29th November – Friday 20th December inc. and Friday 17th January – Friday 28th February inc.

If there are any questions regarding dates and classes please see Miss Griffiths in 3GR.

Children will need to wear a **named one-piece swimsuit/swim trunks (no bikinis or swimming shorts please as the pool does not allow these)** and a swimming hat – (these can be bought from the school office at 80p each). They will need a towel and waterproof, named bag to bring all their kit to school in. Again, the bags may be purchased from the school office at £1.00 each.

If your child uses an inhaler, please ensure it is in school and within its “use by” date. We do not allow children to bring in talcum powder as this can aggravate those suffering from asthma.

In addition, please make sure children do not wear earrings on their swimming days. **Please avoid having your child's ears pierced during this time, as they will be prone to infection. Children with verrucas will need to use waterproof cream available from the chemist.**

Swimming goggles are not permitted in the pool unless your child has a medical condition. In this case, we will need a signed consent form, outlining the medical condition which your child has, and confirming that you have explained the correct method to your child for taking them off safely. Please talk to your child's Class Teacher if this applies to your child.

The children will travel to and from Towcester Leisure Centre by coach, so please emphasise the need for your child to wear their seatbelt.

Thank you for your support in this matter.

Yours faithfully

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