



BEARWOOD Primary and Nursery School

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

Year 4 Swimming Lessons

Children in Year 4 are taught swimming at Rossmore Leisure Centre as part of the P.E. curriculum. There is no cost to parents. They will travel to Rossmore Leisure Centre by coach fitted with individual seat belts.

Their first lesson will take place on **Thursday 7th September** and will continue on Thursdays until **Thursday 14th December**. The dates are as follows:

7th September
14th September
21st September
28th September
5th October
12th October
19th October
2nd November
16th November
23rd November
30th November
7th December
14th December

Swimming costumes/trunks must be worn (no bikinis or tankinis) and children need to bring a towel. All clothing must be named, including underwear. All earrings are to be removed for lessons. This is not a rule of the swimming pool, but of the Borough of Poole who provide the teachers. Children are allowed to bring goggles if they wish but they are not essential.



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The children will be accompanied by Bearwood School Staff and taught by qualified swimming teachers. Please note, we expect the children to behave as they do in school. If they are not listening and behaving as we expect, they may be asked to sit out or miss the following lesson.

Teaching swimming and water safety is a part of the Key Stage 2 National Curriculum. Therefore, should your children be unable to take part in any lesson, they will still go to the pool to observe the lesson and listen to the teaching points.

Yours sincerely



Mr D Longland
PE Lead



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