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Dear Parents/Carers,

Swimming Lessons & Fun Splash Sessions

We are absolutely delighted to let you know that our swimming pool will be arriving this weekend and will be set and is being set up, filled with water and heated, ready for the sessions to start from **Monday 2nd October**. The pool has a trained lifeguard and experienced swimming coach and instructor. Those of you who took part last year will know how it all works and how much our children benefitted from the sessions.

All Key Stage Two children will have swimming lessons in both weeks as it is part of their PE Curriculum. We also want all of our younger children to have the opportunity to have a fun session and develop their water confidence.

We are working with the company to deliver some after school private additional sessions for those families who would like them. You will be able to book lessons or splash fun sessions via ParentPay from Monday 23rd September.

Your child's swimming day/s are:

	Mon 2 nd	Tues 3 rd	Wed 4 th	Thur 5 th	Fri 6 th	Mon 9 th	Tues 10 th	Wed 11 th	Thur 12 th	Fri 13 th
AM	Y 5 & 6	Y 5 & 6	Y 5 & 6	Y 5 & 6	Y 5 & 6	Y 3 & 4	Y 3 & 4	Y 3 & 4	Y 3 & 4	Y 3 & 4
PM	Y6	Year 1	Year 2	Y 5	Base Classes	Reception & SCDEY	Explorers & SCD1 & 2	Nursery	Y 3	Y 4

If your child's lesson is in the morning, they should come to school with their costume under their uniform if possible.

As a reminder, please refer to the guidance shown below for appropriate swimwear. Oversized Bermuda shorts, bikinis and tankinis are not acceptable for swimming lessons. If you have any swimwear that your child has grown out of or you need swimwear, please pop into the Family Centre. **All jewellery this includes earrings, must be removed.** If your child has a verruca, then a verruca sock can be worn. Goggles are permitted but for testing, the instructors normally ask for them to be removed. The children must bring a towel, sliders/flip-flops and a robe- if they have one and would prefer to. They are not required to bring anything else and arm bands, floats and safety aids are all provided.

You do not need to complete a consent form for the swimming lessons as you have already completed the consent on the Data Collection Sheet. **However, it is very important that if your child's medical information has changed or you do not want your child participating, you must inform school immediately. Thank you.**

Yours sincerely,

Mrs E Morris
 Headteacher

