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Dear Parent/Carer,

Year 4 Swimming Lessons

We are delighted to confirm that swimming lessons will be taking part for our Year 4 children. Swimming is during school time, on Friday mornings from 11:00pm until 11:45pm and takes place at the Friary Leisure Centre, in Lichfield. Swimming sessions for Year 4 will be during the Autumn term from Friday 9<sup>th</sup> September 2022 (first week back). The swimming kit should consist of:

- Swimwear: Rules stipulate that boys should wear traditional trunks or cycle short type swim bottoms, **not the long, baggy Bermuda shorts type**. Girls must wear full swimming costumes (one piece), **not bikinis**.
- **All children need swimming hats.**
- Towel.

The wearing of goggles is discouraged for reasons of Safe Practice in School Sport as stated in the 'Guidance notes for the use of swimming goggles in schools (December 2008)'. If you wish your child to wear goggles please click on the link or alternatively copy and paste the link into your browser and complete the Google form: <https://forms.gle/28WQdCzkPs2AEPAC7>

- Jewellery is not permitted including earrings. Earrings **must be removed** - **taping over is not acceptable**. **If your child cannot remove their earrings, regrettably they will not be allowed to swim.**

Children with a verruca should be receiving treatment e.g. Bazuka. The swimming instructors carry out foot inspections, anyone with an untreated verruca, is not allowed to swim. To prevent the spread of infection to others verruca socks can be worn.

That is all the rules and regulations dealt with! If anyone has any concerns or queries, then please contact the office.

Yours sincerely,

**Ms E Bowring (Headteacher)**



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