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## YEAR 5 SWIMMING SESSIONS 2025-26

Dear Parents of Y5 pupils,

This year's swimming sessions for Y5 pupils will take place on Tuesday mornings, children will be accompanied by a class teacher and school support staff. We will be taking the children in their class groups – session details below.

**Swimming and water safety are compulsory parts of the national Curriculum at primary school to make sure that children are well equipped to enjoy swimming and know how to keep safe in and around water.**

By the time a child is ready to leave primary school at the end of Year 6 they should be able to swim, know how to get out of trouble if they fall into water, know the dangers of water and understand how to stay safe when playing in and around it.

### Block 1: Class 5CT

9<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup> September

7<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> October

4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup> November

2<sup>nd</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> December

### Block 2: Class 5CC

6<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup> January

3<sup>rd</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> February

3<sup>rd</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup> March

14<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup> April

**No swimming 24<sup>th</sup> February**

### Block 3: Class 5MS

27<sup>th</sup> April,

5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup> May

2<sup>nd</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup> June

7<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup> July

Children will need to bring a swimming costume, (**no two-piece costumes – no long baggy shorts or shorts with pockets**), and towel. If you wish your child to wear swimming goggles then a Notts County Council permission/disclaimer form is required. These are available from the school office or via this link <https://the-lanes-primary-school.secure-p30rimarysite.net/swimming-information-1/>

*Please note: Your child **will not be allowed** to wear goggles without the form being completed and returned to school prior to the swimming session.*

Children depart school at 9:50 and return by 11:15. On occasions the bus might be slightly late back due to traffic.

Please take the time to read the parents guidance available here <https://the-lanes-primary-school.secure-p30rimarysite.net/swimming-information-1/> This document contains information regarding appropriate swimwear along with medical information relevant to the sessions.

If you have any questions/concerns regarding these sessions please speak to your child's class teacher.

Kind regards,

School Office