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Headteacher Mr S Myers

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Dear Parent/Carer

Re: Class 3 Swimming lessons

I am writing to confirm that the Year 4 & 5 children in Class 3 will commence their swimming lessons on Monday 23rd April 2018 which is the second Monday back after the Easter holidays. The first Monday back the pool is closed for training, so our Year 4 & 5 children will begin the following Monday (23rd).

While the Year 4 & 5 children are swimming, the Year 6 children will remain in school with myself to do SATs preparation and booster lessons. They will begin their swimming lessons after SATs week and a letter will be sent nearer the time.

Swimming for all Key Stage 2 children is a government initiative and a legal requirement so attendance registers will be taken before each session by the swimming instructor.

Please ensure your child is at school by 8.40am for registration as we leave school at 8.45am to catch the bus to Wolsingham Comprehensive. Your child should bring their swimming costume or trunks. Please note, the swimming instructors will not allow long style Hawaiian shorts to be worn. Your child should also bring their own towel and swimming hat. Hats can be purchased from the pool at a cost of £2.00 if required. Your child can bring goggles but the use of goggles will depend upon the lesson content and will be decided by the swimming instructor at each session.

If you have any queries or concerns please let me know.

Yours sincerely

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