QUEENSWAY SCHOOL



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Wednesday 5th February 2025

Dear Parents/Carers

<u>Swimming Lessons – 5LR</u>

Your child's class will be swimming at Spiceball Leisure Centre every Wednesday afternoon for the period.

Wednesday 26th February 2025 - Wednesday 9th July 2025

The National Curriculum expects all children to go swimming regularly unless there is a medical reason for not going. Children will need to bring a named costume, towel, and swimming hat. County swimming regulations require all children to wear hats in the pool and jewellery is not allowed, this includes earrings and friendship bracelets. Swimming costumes must be one piece (no bikinis) and swimming trunks, not long or baggy shorts. We suggest that children do not wear earrings to school on swimming days. Swimming caps are available from the school office at a cost of £2.00. If your child needs to wear swimming goggles for medical purposes, please contact the school office in the first instance.

If your child has never been swimming before, the half-term would be the perfect opportunity to take them to Spiceball to experience a swim before the lessons start.

Please complete the consent tick box via Parent Pay by Wednesday, February 19th, 2025. If you require any assistance with Parent Pay, please contact the school office as soon as possible.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Sarah Horbury-Jakeman Head Teacher