

## St Catherine's Catholic Primary School

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Dear Parent/Carer,

It is a requirement of the National Curriculum for children to be able to swim 25 metres. To meet this requirement, the children in Year 6 will be swimming at the Littlehampton Swimming Centre on Thursday mornings, commencing Thursday 9 June 2022 for five weeks. As this is a requirement of the National Curriculum we expect all pupils to attend.

The total cost for each child is  $\pounds$ 22.50. This covers all transport to and from the pool and the hire of the instructors for the whole five weeks. The school is required to pay the total cost, regardless of how many pupils actually swim, so we ask that all parents contribute the full amount. If any parent has any difficulty in making this payment, please contact Mrs Ward via the School Office.

To enable the children to start their swimming lessons promptly, the class teacher has requested that on Thursday mornings the children wear their swimming costumes to school under their school uniform, with their underwear in their swimming bags. We would appreciate your co-operation in this matter.

Swimming will be on the following dates:

9 June 2022	23 June 2022	30 June 2022
7 July 2022	14 July 2022	

Please note there will be no swimming on Thursday 16 June 2022.

Please sign the form below and return it no later than Wednesday 18 May 2022.

Yours sincerely

Mr Croghan Headteacher

I would like my child ..... to be included in the swimming.

Whilst realising that the teacher in charge will take every reasonable precaution on the journey to and from the swimming centre, and during instruction at the pool, I agree that he/she will not be held responsible for any loss, damage or injury involving my child, unless due to direct professional negligence.

○ I enclose £22.50

(Please note we do not accept cheques and do have the facility to take card payments)



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