



Blean Primary School

'Learning together to enjoy and achieve'



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Dear Parents/Carers,

YEAR 3 SWIMMING LESSONS

The National Curriculum for Physical Education requires us to provide swimming for all pupils before they leave Primary School. Children should be able to swim at least 25m in a range of different strokes and have water safety skills. Arrangements have been made for children in Year 3 to be taken by coach, to Kingsmead Leisure Centre on Friday mornings departing from school at 10.20am and returning in time for lunch, this will be for 11 weekly sessions excluding half terms and inset days, Mali Class commencing 5th January 2018 and Kenya Class commencing 23rd February 2018.

Pupils should have appropriate swimwear and for hygiene reasons a swimming hat should be worn over long hair.

The breakdown of the costs are as follows:

Hire of Kingsmead pool is £1.15 and the cost of transport is £4.85 return which equals to £6 per session per child.

An instructor is £14.50 per session with the understanding that we will require a minimum of two instructors per session, this cost will be **covered by the school**.

The School will require a contribution towards costs of transport and pool hire of £66.00 for the 11 sessions.

Please be aware that the 11 sessions will be split into 1 block of 6 sessions and 1 block of 5 sessions, the sessions are as follows:

Mali Class:

5th January, 12th January, 19th January, 26th January, 2nd February and 9th February 2018

27th April, 4th May, 11th May, 18th May and 25th May 2018

Kenya Class:

23rd February, 2nd March, 9th March, 16th March, 23rd March, 20th April 2018

8th June, 15th June, 22nd June, 29th June and 6th July 2018

Please make cheques payable to Blean Primary School or alternatively you can pay through your parentmail account. Please send in money for swimming and completed slip by **Monday 11th December** in a clearly named envelope.

Yours sincerely,

Miss D Irons
PE Co-ordinator

Please return to the Class Teacher as soon as possible.

Year 3 Swimming

I understand that my child.....inClass will attend 11 swimming sessions at Kingsmead Leisure Centre, travelling by coach.

I enclose cheque/cash for £66.00 for 11 sessions

Signed..... Person with Parental Responsibility

Date.....

