



Emersons Green Primary School
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Dear Parents,

Below is the timetable for swimming lessons for Yr 3, Yr 4 and Yr 5 for the 2017/18 school year.

Swimming lessons will commence on Wednesday 6th September – 10am & 10.30am

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 6
WED	6, 13, 20, 27 Sept 4, 11, 18 Oct	1, 8, 15, 22, 29 Nov 6, 13 Dec	6, 13, 20, 27 June 4, 11 July
Yr.3		Yr 3	
Yr.4	Yr 4		
Yr.5			Yr 5

We are required to teach the National Curriculum and the expectation is that all children should be able to swim 25 metres by the end of Key Stage 2, so it is important that all children participate in swimming lessons. Please do not worry if your child is nervous about the water - they won't be thrown in at the deep end! We will work with them, encouraging them to get into the pool at the shallow end and gradually getting used to the water. Please get in touch if you would like to discuss this further.

The girls will need to wear swimming costumes and the boys must wear trunks. As advised by the swimming pool, they are not allowed to wear swimming shorts. Long hair should be tied back. Stud earrings should be removed, if this isn't possible they will need to be covered with tape. No hoop earrings.

The children will travel to and from Longwell Green Leisure Centre by coach with their teacher and other school staff. We sometimes need parent helpers to travel in the coach with classes to and from the pool - if you can help, please indicate this on the slip below or phone the school office.

Karl Hemmings
Headteacher

REPLY SLIP – SWIMMING LESSONS

I give permission for my child to attend swimming lessons.

Child _____ Class: _____

SIGNED: _____

Date: _____

I can help supervise children on the coach YES / NO (please delete as appropriate)