



Federation of Pinvin C of E First School and St Nicholas C of E Middle School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Swimming Lessons for Year 5 Hawk Class – Autumn/Spring Term

We feel that one of the most fundamental life skills children should possess at the end of their primary education is the ability to feel confident in and around water. We acknowledge that some pupils will arrive at middle school with sound swimming technique and confident in basic lifesaving skills, whereas others will not.

Normally, children would have been offered swimming lessons in Year 4, however this did not happen due to COVID restrictions last year. To make up for this, all Year 5 children will be offered swimming lessons one class at a time. **Hawk Class will have 7 swimming sessions on a Friday afternoon at Pershore Leisure Centre (in school time) starting from Friday 26 November.** Please note there will be no sessions on Friday 17 December, 7 January or 14 January. **The last session for Hawk Class will be Friday 11 February.**

School is partly funding the cost of swimming however we are asking parents for a contribution of £25 to cover the remaining cost of the pool, swimming teachers and bus. Please make payment online via ParentPay.

Please ensure you give your consent (using the reply slip below) for your child to attend these swimming sessions. Please return this consent slip to the school office, or scan your signed consent slip and email it to finance@pinvinfed.co.uk or simply send an email with a sentence that gives your consent (**by Friday 12 November**).

Please assist us in ensuring your child brings a swimming costume and towel on swimming days. Please make sure boys wear trunks and not swimming shorts. Unfortunately, if your child forgets their kit they will be unable to attend that session. Swimming is an exciting, fun and important skill to learn.

Yours sincerely,
Miss Lucy Smith
Head of Year 5

REPLY SLIP: CONSENT FOR SWIMMING LESSONS – YEAR 5 HAWK CLASS (PLEASE RETURN BY 12 NOV)

I give permission for my child to attend the 7 swimming lessons at Pershore Leisure Centre on a Friday afternoon from 26 November 2021 to 11 February 2022.

Signed (Parent/Carer):

Date:

Print name:

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