



# Driffield Junior School



Dear parents/carers

All year 3 children will be starting their swimming programme on **Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June**. Swimming lessons will be given by fully qualified swimming coaches every Monday and Wednesday (there will be no swimming lessons on Tuesdays, Thursdays or Fridays). Children will participate in a total of 10 sessions with the final session being on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July.

Children will walk from school to Driffield Leisure Centre and class teachers will remain with the children. There will be no admission charge. Please see letter overleaf from East Riding Leisure for more information.

Children in **3H** will need to be in school for **8.40am** every swimming day. All other classes will leave at different times during the morning. Each lesson lasts 45 minutes. If your child receives music tuition on any of the swimming days, we have done our best to ensure that there are no timetable clashes. However, if there are any problems, please contact either myself or your child's class teacher.

Some children may already have had lessons at the swimming pool or currently be having lessons. If this is the case, please inform your child's class teacher of the Grades your child has reached as this will help speed up the grouping of the classes on the first session.

Swimming is an important part of the school curriculum and all children are expected to take part. It also turns out to be one of their favourite activities of the year and it is amazing to see the progress they make. I am sure you will agree that it is a very important and worthwhile skill that will benefit your child in the future.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours faithfully

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Deputy Headteacher



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**Darren Stevens:** Head of Culture & Information

Dear Parent/Guardian

After the Easter holidays your child/children will be starting their swimming lessons with us.

Each child will be given 10 lessons over a number of weeks. These lessons last 45 minutes and are instructed by fully qualified swimming teachers.

There will be a number of pool rules that all children must adhere to and it is important that children understand to get the most out of the lessons they must listen to the teachers.

Suitable swimming attire must be worn and we ask that all children with long hair wear swimming hats or have their hair tied back.

Verrucae socks should be worn if your child has a verrucae, this helps to reduce the spread of them.

Swimming hats and verrucae socks may be purchased at reception, £5.50 for a swimming hat and £7 for verrucae socks.

Some children may already have been in our lessons or may be currently with us. Please can you inform the school teachers of the Grade/Class your children have reached, as this will help us to speed up the grouping of the classes.

Swimming is a great life skill and we hope your child/children enjoy their time with us.

Yours sincerely

Pippa Hart  
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