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*But as for you, be strong and do not give up, for your work will be rewarded ~ 2 Chronicles 15:7*

7<sup>th</sup> September 2021

Dear Parents and Carers

### **SWIMMING LESSONS**

We can confirm that all children will be commencing swimming lessons on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> September 2021 at Whaplode Church of England Primary School. The final lesson will be held on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> October 2021.

Pupils will sit within their bubbles on the transport and may wear face coverings if you wish them to do so. The swimming pool is fully Covid compliant and has strict social distancing measures and cleaning regimes in place.

The cost per child will be £3.65 per lesson which should be paid in advance. Payments can be made weekly or you may pay the total cost of £18.25 in one go covering all 5 lessons. We are no longer able to accept cash payments in school therefore, please can all payments be made via ParentMail. You will be able to start making payments on ParentMail from Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> September.

Please ensure your child brings into school the appropriate swim wear and towel for each session as per the attached swimming pool guidance sheet.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Mrs R Walker".

Mrs R Walker  
Head of School

*I can do all things through him who strengthens me ~ Philipians 4:13*

## **SWIMMING GUIDANCE**

Children will be allowed to wear goggles if they so wish during swimming lessons, providing that they are able to put on and adjust the goggle strap on their own. The use of goggles will depend on the swimming activity that has been arranged and this will vary throughout the time that lessons take place.

Please ensure your child wears the appropriate swim wear, according to the below swimming guidance:

Swim shorts or trunks, the leg length of these should be no longer than thigh or an appropriate one-piece swimming costume no bikinis.

The rash vest swim wear which consists of shorts and a top is allowed as they are designed especially for water-based sports such as swimming and surfing.

Long hair must be tied back while swimming at all times or the other option would be for the child to wear a swim hat.

All nail varnish (on fingers and toes) and any temporary tattoos will need to be removed prior to swimming.

Jewellery must also be removed before entering the swimming pool, please note that teachers are unable to help with the removal of earrings.