



# Whitstable Junior School

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Dear Parent/Carer

Year 5 start swimming on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> Jan, for 10 weeks, (22<sup>nd</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> Jan, 5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> Feb, 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> March). The children will swim at the Oyster Bay Community Swimming Pool at Joy Lane Primary School. Where possible the children will walk to Joy Lane but there may be times when we are able to use the school mini buses. The year group will swim as 3 groups with one group being a mixture from each class. Please be aware that swimming is part of the PE Curriculum and we would need a letter from you explaining why your child is unable to take part in the swimming lesson. Please ensure that your child brings their swimming costume, goggles and towel in on the correct day. Children must wear one piece swimming costumes or above the knee swimming shorts. Any pupil with hair that is shoulder length or longer needs to wear a swimming hat.

### Provisions from Oyster Bay Swim School

- \* Exclusive hire of our swimming pool with no public access
- \* Delivery of swimming lessons from our ASA Level 2 Full Teachers with DBS disclosures
- \* National curriculum swimmer assessments including personal survival element
- \* Talent identification with established aquatic pathway opportunities
- \* National Teaching Plan for aquatic levelling assessments
- \* Effort / application / personal achievement recognition through weekly star swimmer awards.
- \* End of year reports.
- \* Lessons within the ASA safety ratios guidelines.

We are asking for a contribution of £3.50 per lesson towards the costs (total of £35.00). Payments can be made online or by cash into the school office and can be paid in one payment, or 2 equal payments of £17.50 or weekly at £3.50 per week.

Your chosen payment needs to be handed to the office along with the permission slip below by Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> December 2019.

Regards,

Mr R George  
P E Co-Ordinator

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**Please return to the school office by Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> December**  
**Swimming – Year 5 – Terms 3 & 4**

I agree for my child to swim at Oyster Bay Community Swimming Pool and I enclose my contribution of £3.50 per lesson towards the costs (total of £35.00)/1<sup>st</sup> payment of £17.50/I will pay weekly (£3.50).

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

