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Dear Parent/Carer,

We are pleased to say that thanks to all your donations, the year 2 swimming will go ahead again this year. Please find the information regarding these lessons below. Thank you for all your support in helping to make this available to the year 2 children.

We will be taking our Year 2 children for swimming lessons on Thursday afternoons at the Lime Kiln Leisure Centre in Royal Wootton Bassett during term 6 starting Thursday 4th June. This will be consecutive weeks for 6 weeks finishing on Thursday 9th July. We will schedule text reminders for you. Please complete the **form** to consent and provide information on their current ability. During the first lesson the swimming teachers will assess them and split them into 3 groups.

We will be leaving school at 12.45pm to walk to the Lime Kiln and return to school around 3pm. **We will need some volunteers!** If you are able to help walk the children to and from swimming, please email the school office asap. Thank you.

- Children can wear;
 - One piece Swimsuit (no bikinis)
 - Trunks/shorts
 - Rash vest (no wetsuits)
- Children will need a swimming hat and a towel
- Long hair must be tied back
- No jewellery (including earrings) or watches to be worn
- All float aids will be provided
- Goggles can be worn only if the child can put them on and off themselves. The swimming teachers may ask them to remove them if they prove a distraction.

Please email affordability@woottonbassett-inf.wilts.sch.uk if you need assistance in purchasing your child a swimming kit.



On swimming days, please send your child to school wearing either their PE kit or sportswear including appropriate footwear. As the children will be walking to the pool, we suggest that they have a small backpack to carry their towel and swimwear. They will also need either a hat or coat dependent on the weather.

Please ensure **everything** your child wears and brings with them is clearly named (a sharpie will do the job).

If you have any additional questions or concerns, please speak to your class teacher or the school office.

Thank you again for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Alison Pass

Headteacher

