



# WHITMORE

PRIMARY SCHOOL AND NURSERY

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

6<sup>th</sup> September 2019

We are pleased to inform you that swimming lessons are due to start for Olive pupils at Wickford Swimming Pool. As swimming is an important part of the curriculum, children are expected to attend. Lessons will begin on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> September to Friday 18<sup>th</sup> October and they will continue after the half term break, Friday 8<sup>th</sup> November with the final session on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> December. So in total they will have a block of 12 swimming lessons.

As a school we will pay for the lessons and transport so there will be no charge to parents for swimming lessons.

Pupils cannot wear jewellery during this session and so if your child is unable to take jewellery off themselves (especially earrings), we ask that they take it off at home before coming to school.

If your child has long hair, they may want to bring something in order to tie it up, as all pupils will need to wear a swimming hat. You do not need to purchase a swimming hat, as the pool gives every child a free one.

Girls need to wear a one piece swimming costume (no bikinis or two piece costumes).

Boys need to wear shorter trunks that do not come past the knee.

If you have any questions or concerns about your child attending the swimming session, please don't hesitate to talk to your child's class teacher or contact me.

Many Thanks,

Mr A Smith  
PE Subject Leader

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### Olive Swimming (13.09.19-18.10.19 & 08.11.19-13.12.19)

I give permission for my child \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ class to go on the coach and take part in swimming sessions.

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

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