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Dear Parent/Carer

Re: Swimming Lessons

After the February half term, Year 4 will no longer receive swimming as part of their PE lessons.

This means that your child will now take part in normal PE lessons for the rest of the academic year. Please can you ensure that your child brings their full PE kit every Monday ready for the lesson.

We believe that it is important that all of our children are able to swim to a good standard.

All primary schools must provide swimming and water safety lessons in either Key Stage 1 or 2.

Each pupil is required to be able to do the following

- Perform safe self-rescue in different water-based situations
- Swim competently, confidently and proficiently over a distance of at least 25 metres
- Use a range of strokes effectively, for example, front crawl, backstroke and breaststroke.

If your child has not yet met this level of proficiency, they will receive further swimming lessons later in their primary school journey.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

Yours sincerely

Mr M Brown

Principal