

Ravenscote Junior School

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Ravenscote Year 4 School Swimming Programme 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are very pleased to confirm that during the summer term, Year 4 will be taking part in a school swimming programme comprised of 11x 30-minute long lessons which follow the Swim England Schools Swimming Charter.

We are excited to have secured our sessions at Places for Leisure in Camberley. The sessions will be either on a Monday or a Thursday, depending on your child's class.

The lessons are intended to develop swimming ability as well as providing a better understanding of water safety and promoting physical activity. It is a requirement of the primary school's national curriculum that all pupils should be able to swim 25m unaided by the end of year 6.

Please complete this short form about your child's swimming ability:

https://forms.gle/PxN6vDDnNUGnqvxs7

Classes will be swimming on the following dates:

	April	May	June	July
Monday 4A / 4C	15 th , 22 nd and 29 th	13 th and 20 th	10 th , 17 th and 24 th	1 st , 8 th , 15 th .
Thursdays 4E / 4D / 4B	18 th and 25 th	2 nd , 9 th , 16 th and 23 rd	6 th , 20 th and 27 th	4 th and 11 th

The lesson will be differentiated to your child's swimming progression needs. Places for Leisure swim coaches will use the information provided by yourselves, alongside their own assessments of the children to group them.

Each class will be taken to and from Places for Leisure by coach. Please note the following:

- Swim Kit required (long swimming shorts below the knee will not be permitted. Girls need to wear a one-piece swim costume)
- Towel and Swim Bag
- All children are required to wear a swimming hat.
- Any foot infections must be covered using a verruca sock please, not a plaster.
- Goggles are optional

From previous experience with our swimming sessions, we cannot stress enough the importance of ensuring all of your <u>child's belongings are named.</u>

We know that swimming lessons can be costly, therefore we are happy to confirm that we have managed to secure the lessons and transport at a cost of £45.35 to parents. This payment is to be made on your ScoPay account. If you prefer there is the option to pay in instalments, you just need to make sure that the first instalment is paid by **Wednesday 20th March 2024** and the final instalment is paid by **Wednesday 12th June 2024**.

In order for your child to take part, please complete the online Google Form (link above) and pay an initial payment by <u>Wednesday 20th March.</u> If your child has any health problems which may prevent them from participating please inform Mr Sage via <u>info@ravenscote.surrey.sch.uk</u>

Kind Regards, Year 4 team

