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Dear Parents/Carers,

We are very pleased and excited to confirm the 'pop up' swimming pool will be returning this term, we are thrilled once again to be giving every child this opportunity to learn this life skill. We believe that swimming lessons should not only teach children the key skills they need to stay safe in the water but should also inspire children to swim more often to help them stay fit and healthy.

In collaboration with the Infant School, the pool will be located on the playground after the half term break. The Infant School will be using this for 2 weeks then we will have access to this for **4 weeks, starting Monday 15th June** up until Friday 10th July. We will contact you again nearer the time with details of which day your child will be having their lesson.

Each lesson will be 30 minutes long with a fully trained swimming teacher and lifeguard. Please also note the children will be getting changed and dressed in separate boys and girls areas.

We are asking for a swimming contribution of **£10** per child which will help towards the running costs, swimming teacher and lifeguard. We kindly ask that contributions are made via School Money, before **21st May**.

Your child should bring in, each day they are due to swim, the following items in a waterproof bag:

- swimming costume (no bikinis or bermuda shorts)
- towel/towelling robe
- swimming hat (compulsory)
- goggles (recommended)
- hairbrush/comb
- flip-flops/sliders (recommended)
- verruca socks (if necessary)

Children should not wear earrings during their lessons and long hair must be tied up.

Please be aware that if your child forgets their swimming kit they will not be able to take part in their lesson.

If your child is unable to swim due to illness/injury they must have a letter from home.

Kind regards,

Andy Newnham
Headteacher

