



# NINE ACRES COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Friday 28<sup>th</sup> February 2020

Dear Parents/ Carers,

## Year 3 Swimming Lessons

Every Year 3 child, as part of their PE curriculum, will be having swimming lessons. We believe swimming to be a vitally important skills for every child to learn but even more so for our children due to living on an island. These lessons will take place at West Wight Swimming Pool on Tuesday mornings during the summer term, starting on Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> April and finishing on Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> July.

The dates are as follows:

Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> April

Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> April

Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> May

No swimming 12<sup>th</sup> May

No swimming 19<sup>th</sup> May

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> June

Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> June

Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> June

Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> June

Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> June

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> July

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> July



The children will be travelling by coach, leaving promptly at 9:30am and setting out from West Wight at 11:45am.

The children will need to wear their swimming costume to school under their uniform in order for them to be ready for their lesson. The children will need to bring a towel (named), underwear and if they have long hair they will either need to wear a swimming cap or have their hair tied up. If they have verruca's, they will need to wear the appropriate sock or they will not be able to take part. They will also need a small rucksack or bag to hold their clothes and a carrier bag for wet items is also recommended. Please ensure your child has had a good breakfast on the day before swimming and any inhalers should be up to date and with your child on the day. If your child does not have their inhaler they will not be able to participate.

In order for us to maximise the use of instructors and give your child the best possible swimming experience we would like to gain an understanding of every child's current level of swimming ability. Please complete the slip below as honestly and as accurately as you can and return it to the school office by Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March.

Thank you for your help and support.

Yours sincerely,

Miss Hancox and Miss Boxell  
Year 3 Teachers







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Child's name .....

Class .....

Please tick the appropriate boxes:

My child is confident in water

☐

My child is not confident in the water.

☐

My child cannot swim at all.

☐

My child can swim with armbands.

☐

My child can swim without armbands.

☐

My child attends swimming lessons.

☐

My child has gained these awards without armbands

5m

☐

10m

☐

25m

☐

Signed .....Parent/Guardian



