



BURLINGTON JUNIOR SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Carers,

RE: Swimming – Autumn term & Spring term

During the autumn and spring term, Year 4 will attend swimming lessons at The Malden Centre as part of our PE curriculum. These will take place **Thursday** mornings, beginning on the **14th September** for a total of 10 sessions:

Goodall Class (9.30am - 10.00am)

Carver Class (10am – 10.30am)

Turing Class (10.30am – 11am)

Tesla Class (11am – 11:30am)

The exact dates will be put up in classroom windows.

Once at the pool, the children will be divided into groups depending on their ability and confidence in the water. The Malden Centre's swimming coaches will teach each group.

Please provide your child with a swimming costume and a towel. They should come to school already wearing their costume to save time when changing (remember to send in underwear). Please note children **should have a one-piece costume** (not a bikini or tankini) OR **shorts** (not long board shorts). Goggles or swimming caps are optional, but children with long hair should tie it back. Earrings should also be removed before entering the water (children must be able to do this). There will be an opportunity for brief showers before and after swimming, but please do not send your child with any shampoo or shower gel, as time is limited.

Swimming is part of the National Curriculum and all children are legally required to attend. If there is a medical condition prohibiting your child from swimming, a doctor's letter of confirmation is required.

If you have any concerns or would like more information, please do not hesitate to contact your child's teacher or myself.

Please complete permission on the School Gateway App by Tuesday 12th September.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs Le Voir
Year 4 Leader

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