



EVERY CHILD CAN ACHIEVE

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Dear Parents/Carers

Swimming Sessions – Term 1

Class 6 has been allocated swimming sessions at Faversham pool, on **Thursday** afternoons from, **Thursday 18th September – 16th October (5 weeks in total)**.

The children will be taken to the pool by our mini bus after afternoon registration and will return back to school by mini bus.

Please note that the class will be attending in two groups. Each group will have 30 minutes of swimming time in the water. The children will be able to change in the changing rooms at the pool and to aid this procedure please may all children come into school in their PE kit. On these days no earrings will be permissible. Children will need to bring a towel and a swimming costume, goggles are also permitted. These need to come in a separate bag from their school bag and please can we make sure that everything is named.

To help cover the cost of the entrance fee and provide qualified swimming instructors we ask parents for a voluntary contribution of **£18.00** Please pay your voluntary contribution through the Gateway App. *No child will be excluded from taking part in the swimming if parents are unable or unwilling to pay, but unfortunately if we do not receive enough contributions to cover the cost we will have to cancel this activity.*

If your child is not well enough to swim but is well enough to attend school, they will remain at school please provide a letter from home/medical note from the doctor explaining why they cannot participate.

If your child suffers from asthma, please ensure they have their asthma pump with them and children with long hair will need a bathing hat and those with a verruca should wear a verruca sock.

You may like to provide your child with a snack, i.e. a piece of fruit, a muesli bar or some raisins, which they will eat at school on their return. (NO CRISPS, CHOCOLATE, CHOCOLATE BARS OR YOGHURTS please).

If you have any questions regarding the swimming lessons, please contact us and we will do our best to answer them.

Yours sincerely

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