

26th June 2017

Dear Parent/Carer,

September 2017 – Year 3

Reminder: Swimming Lessons on Tuesdays & Thursdays

Your child will be swimming on a Tuesday or Thursday afternoon from September 2017. I would like to remind you that, in line with the swimming pool regulations, your child must bring their swimming cap with them each week, together with their swimming costume/trunks and towel. **A cap will be provided** at the beginning of the school year, but if lost, a replacement will need to be privately purchased by you.

Swimming is a key part of the PE curriculum and as such children must attend each session unless they are unwell and have a letter from your GP.

THERE IS A POLICY OF **NO JEWELLERY** TO BE WORN BY GOSFORTH POOL. PLEASE ENSURE IF YOUR CHILD HAS PIERCED EARS THAT THEIR EARRINGS ARE TAKEN OUT PRIOR TO COMING TO SCHOOL ON THAT DAY, TOGETHER WITH ANY OTHER JEWELLERY.

Please also note that as the children have to walk to the pool, **rain or shine**, they should bring a **suitable coat** with them **every swim day**.

Request: Helpers for Swimming

We will be collecting a list of class 7 & 8 parents, from September 2017 who would like to help walk the children along to the pool on Tuesdays and Thursdays. The helpers may then wait upstairs whilst the children get changed and have their lesson. Outside the class there will be a rota should you wish to sign up. We shall need a maximum of two helpers per week.

Thank you.

Mrs. V. Watson