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A place for learning, caring, sharing and growing together.

Friday 9th February 2018

Dear Parents,

Elm Class Swimming Lessons

Every child in Elm Class will attend swimming lessons at Cricklade Leisure Centre, starting on Monday 5th March. The National Curriculum states that pupils should be taught to:

- swim competently, confidently and proficiently over a distance of at least 25 metres
- use a range of strokes effectively [for example, front crawl, backstroke and breaststroke]
- perform safe self-rescue in different water-based situations

These lessons will be used to assess each child's swimming ability. If your child is unable to confidently swim 25 meters by the end of this 4 day programme, he/she will be invited to join another swimming course as they move into year 4.

Your child's lessons will take place on the following days:

Monday 5th March 1.30-2:00
 Tuesday 6^h March 9:30 - 10:00
 Wednesday 7th March 1:00 - 1:30
 Thursday 8th March 11.30-12.00

On Thursday 8th March, the class will not be back in time to receive a hot lunch. Therefore, the kitchen will provide children who have ordered a meal with a packed lunch to eat, on their return to school.

We are inviting a contribution of £4.20 per session, payable via parentpay, towards the cost of transport. Should you wish to pay for all the sessions together the cost is £16.80.

Please complete the permission slip below and return to school by **Monday 26th February**. All swimming kit should be in a waterproof bag and goggles may be included. If you have any questions or queries about these sessions please contact me at misshulse@bridlewood.swindon.sch.uk.

Yours sincerely

Miss Hulse

FAO Mr Baker

I give permission for my child.....to attend an intensive course of swimming lessons, at Cricklade Leisure Centre. I have made a contribution of £4.20/£16.80 via parentpay.

Signature.....Date.....



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