

Year 5 Swimming 2026/2027

Dear Parent/Guardian,

As part of the National Curriculum, your child will participate in swimming lessons whilst in Year 5. We are due to start these lessons at Swimstars in Bawtry from the second week of the school term.

Swimming lessons for each class will be on Wednesday Mornings.

Please ensure your child is on time for registers at 8:45 as the first class will set off shortly after. Your child should come to school in PE Kit with their swimming costume/trunks on underneath. **They will need to bring clean underwear to change into after their lesson.**

Please make sure that you complete the form on this link to give us consent.

<https://forms.gle/ygFC8VB9SsFEYPab9>

Please ensure your child brings the following items for their swimming lesson:

- Towel
- For boys: Plain navy blue or black swimming trunks (no beach shorts or swimming trunks with pockets).
- For girls: Plain navy blue or black swimming costume (no bikinis, etc.)
- Long hair must be tied back with a bobble
- Students are also welcome to wear a swimming cap & goggles
- A comb or brush if needed
- Inhalers
- Plastic bag for wet clothing

Students are not allowed to bring the following:

- Food
- Hair products such as gel or wax
- Hair dryer
- No jewellery to be worn
- No shower gel or shampoo
- Deodorants must not be a spray

Please note, if your child has their **ears pierced** they will be required to remove their earrings, or fully cover them **with a swim cap** in order to swim. If they are unable to remove earrings or cover them, they will **NOT** be allowed to swim, in accordance with pool rules.

If you have any further questions, please contact Miss Morris or Miss Pownall.

Yours sincerely,

Year 5 Class Teachers



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