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Dear Parents/carers

Year 5 Swimming Lessons

We have been offered a wonderful opportunity for our current year five pupils to commence weekly swimming lessons. These will start this week on Friday 8th September and will run every week.

Splish Splash Swimming School will be teaching the lessons and they will take place at Belgrave TEC pool, (Tamworth Enterprise College).

The sessions are every Friday afternoon. Pupils will walk the short distance to TEC. In the event of bad weather, please ensure your child is sent to school with a waterproof coat/jacket.

Children will bring their swimming kits with them in a bag to change into once at the baths.

All children are expected to wear swimming caps, both boys and girls. This will also reduce the amount of water in their hair for the return journey to school.

Goggles will <u>not</u> be allowed unless there is a specific medical reason. If you feel your child should be wearing goggles, you will need to complete a consent form, this is available upon request from the school office and must be returned to school prior to the swimming session.

We have been very lucky to be offered these swimming sessions. Swimming is part of the National Curriculum and should be treated just as importantly as any other lesson – this is not optional.

As always thank you for your continuing support.

Yours Faithfully

Miss Coates
Year 5 class teacher