

'Respectful and resilient; being the best that we can be.'

Timothy Hackworth Primary School



Wednesday 19th January, 2022

Year 4 Swimming Lessons

Woodhouse Swimming Complex – Bishop Auckland

CRC Article 28 – All children have the right to a good quality education.

Dear Parents and Carers,

I am delighted to inform you that we are now able to resume our swimming lessons as part of the Year 4 PE curriculum.

Durham County Council have updated their Risk Assessment to incorporate Covid-19 swimming safety guidelines for schools.

Due to the current CV19 circumstances, changes have been made to the procedures that we would normally follow, to ensure that we keep children and staff as safe as possible.

This will mean that Mrs. Lockey's Year 4 class will start their swimming lessons first. Following this, Mrs. Hill's Year 4 class will then begin their swimming lessons after Easter.

Mrs. Lockey's Year 4 class will have their first swimming lesson on Friday 28th January 2022, then every Friday after, with the last swimming lesson taking place on Friday 8th April.

Mrs. Hill's Year 4 class will start their swimming lessons, after the Easter Holidays, on Friday 29th April, until the end of the Summer Term.

Children will be collected by bus, promptly, from school, each Friday at 9.15 a.m., returning in time for Year 4 lunchtime at 11.30 a.m.

The children will be accompanied by their class teacher and teaching assistant, and the swimming pool staff.

Your child will need a towel, swimming costume (no two-piece costumes please)/trunks (proper swimming trunks rather than loose shorts), and a swimming hat. Jewellery is not allowed. Children must not bring talcum powder, deodorant or shampoo with them. This is for health and safety reasons.

Should you have any questions, please contact the School Office.

Yours sincerely,

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