



## Year 5 Swimming

Swimming lessons will be on a Tuesday morning and will take place between 28<sup>th</sup> February 2017 and 18<sup>th</sup> July 2017. The children will leave school at 10am promptly and return at 12pm. They will travel to Bingley pool on the school minibus in two groups and will be accompanied by Miss Hall and Mrs Ashington.

We must follow the rules set out by Bingley Pool and there I would like to draw your attention to the following:

- Your child will require appropriate swimming kit
- A one piece swimming costume for girls.
- Swimming trunks for boys. No long shorts.

Anyone not wearing the correct swim kit will not be allowed to take part in the lesson.

No jewellery is allowed. Girls or boys wearing ear rings will be asked to remove them. The pool cannot take responsibility for any valuables as the changing rooms are open to the public.

Pupils with long hair will be asked to tie it up for safety reasons. No gel must be applied to the hair on the morning of their swim.

School will be responsible for any medical conditions and any medication required. All children with asthma inhalers and epi pens will be recorded by Bingley Pool and the school will take the necessary medication with them. If the medication is not on the poolside the child will not be allowed to swim. Please ensure your child has an inhaler and/or medication in school.

The children will work towards a range of certificates including personal survival. At this time your child will be required to bring in further items of clothing. Details will be given at the time. Please note the pool can affect the colour of clothing.

Yours sincerely

Miss C Hall