



Stoke by Nayland Church of England Primary School and Early Years Setting



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Dear Parents/Carers

Swimming for Children in Year 3

Swimming will commence on Tuesday 5 December 2017 at the pool in Hadleigh.

During the first session the children's swimming ability will be assessed so that they can be grouped appropriately.

Children are sometimes a little nervous when they first go swimming with the school, but any fears are usually overcome quickly. Children are encouraged to develop their skills at a pace that they can cope with.

There will be three adults and a lifeguard on duty while the children are in the pool.

Here are a few reminders about the rules set by the pool and/or Suffolk County Council which must be adhered to:

- All children require a swimming hat. These can be purchased from school for £2.00.
- Swimwear must be one piece and close fitting-**no long baggy trunks**
- Ear rings must be removed
- Children may not go into the pool with stick on tattoos

These rules are in the interests of hygiene and safety. There are of course other general rules about behaviour, which the children will have explained to them.

Children with asthma should have any appropriate medication in school so that it can be taken down to the pool. If for a medical reason your child is not able to swim on a particular week, please send a letter to school with an explanation for our records. If you have any concerns please feel free to contact me or Mrs McGrath-Wells at school.

Yours sincerely

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