

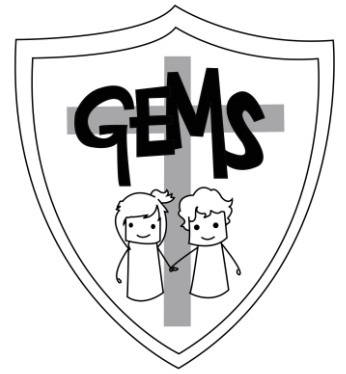
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3/9/21

Dear Parents/Carers,



Your child will be starting swimming lessons on Tuesday 14th September at Irlam Fit City. This will give your child the opportunity to gain the required Key Stage 2 curriculum standard before leaving our school. The lessons will continue every week until Tuesday 15th February. The lessons take place in the afternoon.

You must send your child to school each Tuesday morning with:

- ✓ Swimming costume/trunks **No long shorts**
- ✓ Towel
- ✓ Swimming Hat **Compulsory now for both boys and girls.**

We are asking for a contribution of £3 per half term towards transport costs which can be paid online via the school gateway. The contribution is to be paid in three instalments and is due by the following dates:

Autumn 1: 24.9.21

Autumn 2: 12.11.21

Spring 1: 17.01.22

Goggles are not allowed unless a permission form has been filled in and returned to a member of staff.

- ✗ Earrings (Must be removed before school)
- ✗ Deodorants/shampoos

It is now compulsory that both girls and boys wear swimming hats during school swimming lessons. Please ensure you purchase a swimming hat for your child before the lessons commence. If they have no hat they won't be able to take part in the lesson.

Hats are available from the baths; however they are much cheaper from ASDA or Home and Bargains.

Please complete the consent form below and return it to the class teacher.

Thank you for your continued support.
Godfrey Ermen

I give permission for my child _____ class.....
to take part in School Swimming Lessons.

Signed: _____ Date: _____



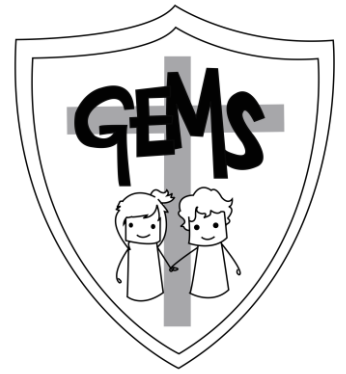
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Swimming Arrangements re: Covid 19

We understand that you may be concerned regarding our return to swimming lessons during the Pandemic. We want to reassure you that we have engaged in detailed discussions with the Salford Leisure Team, who deliver school lessons, and we are satisfied that the lessons and transport to the pool will be conducted in a Covid Secure Way.

The following measures will take place:

Hand Sanitising:

The children will sanitise their hands at the following points:

- As they leave school
- Prior to getting in the pool
- Before they get on the coach
- When they arrive back at school.

Coach Arrangements:

- There are no pupils using the coach immediately before or after our allotted slot and the surfaces on the coach will be sanitised prior to the children getting on.
- All staff including the driver will wear masks on the coach.

Pool Arrangements:

- All school staff will wear masks.
- The pool will be closed to all members of the public.
- The changing rooms will be cleaned prior to arrival.
- The children will leave their clothes in their cubicle whilst in the pool , returning to the same changing cubicle once their lesson has finished.
- Children will continue to wear swim hats- if assistance is needed to put them on, school staff will do this whilst the child faces away from them.

If you have any further concerns or Questions, please do not hesitate to contact myself via the school office/ responding to this email.

Mrs Dearing

