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### Swimming Lessons - Y4R

Dear Parents and Carers,

In Y4, your child will be taking part in a programme of swimming lessons at Thorncliffe Leisure Centre. These lessons will take place on Wednesday afternoons, commencing on **Wednesday 11th September 2024** and lasting until **Wednesday 29th January 2025**. All lessons are free of charge and there is no charge for transport to and from the pool.

**PLEASE NOTE THAT DUE TO THE TIME SLOT WE HAVE BEEN GIVEN, THE CHILDREN WHO ARE IN Y4R WILL NOT BE LEAVING THORNCLIFFE UNTIL 3PM AND WILL THEREFORE NOT BE ARRIVING BACK AT SCHOOL UNTIL APPROXIMATELY 3.20-3.30PM. THEY WILL THEN NEED TO RETURN TO THEIR CLASSROOM TO COLLECT THEIR BELONGINGS. COULD ALL PARENTS PLEASE COLLECT THEIR CHILD FROM WELL LANE (MAIN ENTRANCE).**

The children will need to bring a towel and wear a swimming costume (no bikini/ tankinis) or swimming trunks (no shorts below the knee). All children who wear earrings must remove these prior to entering school each Wednesday. Staff are unable to assist with removing them and earrings cannot be worn during the swimming session.

Swimming is part of the National Curriculum and all children are required to take part. Children are expected to achieve the National Curriculum standard by the end of the sessions which is to swim at least 25 metres unaided. If for any reason your child is ill and cannot go swimming, we will need a note from you saying why she/he cannot go swimming. Attached below are the rules and regulations issued by Thorncliffe Leisure Centre which ALL children are expected to follow.

Please complete the £0.00 **ParentPay** offer entitled "**Y4 Swimming Lessons**" by 11.59pm on Friday 19th July 2024, to give permission for your child to attend and to confirm that both you and your child have read the rules of the pool.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely,  
Miss Latham and Miss Robinson

