

**18<sup>th</sup> March 2026**

Dear Parents and Carers

RE: Year 4 Swimming Lessons

As part of the Year 4 National Curriculum, our Year 4 children will soon be starting swimming lessons at The Pods in Scunthorpe. Each session will last approximately one hour (1.30-2.30pm). They will be travelling to and from The Pods by coach, along with staff members. Pupils will return to school before the end of each school day and will be collected as normal.

The dates for the sessions are listed below:

**Week One**- Monday 27<sup>th</sup> April – Friday 1<sup>st</sup> May

**Week Two**- Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> May – Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> May

We ask that you provide your child with appropriate swimwear (no bikinis or extra-long swim shorts), a towel and a pair of goggles. Please ensure long hair is tied up on these dates and no jewellery is allowed in the pool, including earrings.

For safeguarding, children will be getting changed in communal changing rooms (separate boys and girls); their belongings will be locked in the communal changing rooms for the duration of their lesson.

Children are welcome to bring an extra drink and a small snack to eat during class reading time at the end of the school day, as they will no doubt have burnt off a lot of energy!

Attached to this letter, is a baseline form, please can this be completed and returned to school by Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> April. Children will bring home a paper copy of this today also.

If there are any special circumstances, which we should be aware of, please contact the school office or myself as soon as possible.

Kind regards,  
Miss Wilson  
Year 4 Class Teacher

## Swimming Lesson Questionnaire

Child Name	
Any medical conditions or special requirements	
Swimming level previously achieved (Example: Swordfish 1, 2, 3, 4, Water Safety, National Curriculum certificate)	
Non Swimmer (Yes/No)	
Can Swim 25m (Yes/No)	