

SST/ARA

Contact: Mrs Barber

29th September 2021

Dear Parents/Carers

Swimming

Your son/daughter has received this letter as they are in year 7 or 8 and will be taking part in swimming lessons as part of the Physical Education curriculum. During their swimming lessons they will develop each of the four strokes further whilst learning some basic lifesaving skills. All lessons will be taught by a qualified Level 2 swimming teacher. During all swimming lessons Corby International Pool provide a lifeguard to supervise the session at all times.

Your son/daughter will go swimming in their tutor groups or PE set. Each group will swim every week for an entire term on the specified day below for 8 weeks. Students need to be in PE by 8.25am so a register can be taken. If for any reason your son/daughter is unable to swim please send them with a note detailing why, but they will still be expected to travel to the pool and help as a non-doer. Below is a table that indicates when each tutor group is swimming.

Term	Day of the week	Tutor Group
2	Monday	7B
2	Tuesday	7S
2	Thursday	8.3
2	Friday	8.6

During their one swimming lesson they will travel by coach to and from Corby International Swimming Pool. Face coverings must be worn on the coach. They will return back to school in time for breakfast.

Your son/daughter will be required to bring the following with them

- A towel
- A swimming costume/swimming trunks
- Goggles
- Swimming hat – this are compulsory for students with hair longer than shoulder length

As this is part of the curriculum students will not incur any charges for the experience.

COVID-19 Measures

As part of the ongoing pandemic the following safety precautions have been introduced in order to maximise the safety of our students:

- On the coach to and from the pool a face covering must be worn
- There is to be no sharing of equipment including hats, goggles and buoyancy aids

- There is a one-way system in the Corby pool changing rooms which will mean there will be no contact with other schools or members of the public
- Lifeguards will deep clean the group changing before and after use of all schools
- Every other cubicle is closed to ensure social distancing measures if students are required to use the cubicles to change at any point
- Members of staff will remain 2m away from students at all times. If there is a first aid incident PPE will be worn

If you have any queries concerning the Swimming Lessons, please do not hesitate to contact Miss Barber or Mr Walsh on 01536 396366 or email jbarber@brookeweston.org or rwalsh@brookeweston.org

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Shaun Strydom', written in a cursive style.

Shaun Strydom
Principal