



ST. JOSEPH'S SCHOOL
GEORGE ROW
SE16 4UP

Wednesday 13th September 2018

Dear Parents / Carers,

I am writing to inform you that Joseph class will be attending swimming lessons this term on the dates listed below:

Monday 17th September

Monday 24th September

Monday 1st October

Monday 8th October

Monday 15th October

Half Term

~~Monday 31st October~~ INSET Day

Monday 5th November

Monday 12th November

Monday 19th November

Monday 26th November

Monday 3rd December

Monday 10th December

Monday 17th December



The children will be using the pool at Downside and will walk there and back accompanied by vigilant members of St. Joseph's school staff.

Your child will need a one-piece swimming costume / or a pair of swimming trunks; a towel; a swimming hat (**boys and girls**) and a bag to keep their belongings in. **Please note: your child will not be permitted to take part in the swimming session unless s/he is wearing a swimming hat.**

We do ask that you contribute the sum of **£2.00** towards the cost of **each swimming lesson**, which should be given to the class teacher on the morning of each lesson, in a school money pocket. Alternatively, you can make the payment using Parent Pay.

Although the school absorbs the majority of the cost, we are very grateful for your contributions. They allow us to offer continued provision for the teaching of such an important life skill as swimming and they allow us to reward your child's efforts with certificates and swimming badges.

Please ensure your child has the correct swimming kit for the first lesson on **Monday 17th September 2018.**

If you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact your child's class teacher at the end of the day.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Hoyes
Deputy Headteacher