## **Giffards Primary School**

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## **'Valuing Everyone As Learners'**



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Dear Parent/Carer,

## Year 6 Swimming

The National Curriculum states that by the end of KS2 children should be able to swim 25 metres in freestyle, backstroke and breaststroke. In order for us to assess this, Year 6 will have a one-off swimming session at the end of this term for us to ascertain which children currently meet this standard.

On <u>Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> December, 6ER</u> will have a one-hour swimming session at Corringham Leisure Centre in the afternoon.

On <u>Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December, 6RW</u> will have a one-hour swimming session at Corringham Leisure Centre in the afternoon.

On this occasion, this session will be fully funded by the school. Your child will need a one-piece swimming costume (no bikinis or tankinis), a towel and a swimming hat in a bag. Impulse Leisure stipulates that boys' trunks or shorts MUST finish ABOVE the knee. They will get changed at the swimming pool, so will need to attend school in their school uniform.

After these sessions have taken place, we will look to provide catch-up swimming sessions later on this academic year for any child who cannot currently swim 25 metres in all 3 strokes.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Robbins and Miss Wallace Year 6 Class Teacher

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