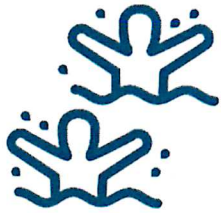


Funded Swimming Lessons for year 6 pupils



30 children who are non-swimmers



6 months of lessons



FREE of charge



Beeches

Pool and Fitness Centre



Interested in this offer? Contact school office

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are writing to inform you about an exciting opportunity for the children in year six who have not yet achieved the national curriculum outcomes for swimming and water safety. These outcomes include being able to swim 25 meters and perform safe self-rescue in different water-based situations.

As part of the Swim England, top up, swim initiative, we are offering swimming vouchers that will cover the cost of weekly swimming lessons for a six-month period starting from January 2024. Swimming lessons will take place at Beaches Leisure Centre in Perry Barr. All lessons will be carried out by qualified swimming instructors.

The aim of this initiative is to help more children become confident and competent swimmers, as well as to promote the health and well-being benefits of swimming. Swimming is a vital life skill that can also open up opportunities for participation in other aquatic sports and activities.

If you are interested in accessing the swimming vouchers for your child, please fill in the attached expression of interest form and return it to the school office by 10 am on Friday 12th January 2024. Please note that the vouchers are limited and will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis.

Once we have received your expression of interest, we will invite you to an open meeting at the school where we will provide further information about the swimming lessons, the venues, the timings, and the expectations. We will also answer any questions you may have about the initiative. This will be taking place after school week beginning the 15th of January 2024 (date to be confirmed).

We hope that you will take advantage of this opportunity and support your child in developing their swimming skills and confidence. Swimming is not only a fun and enjoyable activity, but also a potentially lifesaving one.

Yours sincerely

Mr L Lough

Trust Leader for Sport

Prince Albert Community Trust

Expression of Interest Slip – Swimming voucher top up initiative.

Name of the parent: _____

Name of the child: _____

Contact details: _____

Please briefly answer the following questions:

1. Why are you interested in this opportunity for your child?

2. Are you able to transport your child to and from beaches leisure centre?

3. How do you think this opportunity will benefit your child's Swimming development?

4. Has your child ever had swimming lessons outside of school previously?

Please return this slip by 10am on Friday 12th January to the school office via in person.

Thank you for your interest and participation.