

Yew Tree Community School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

At Yew Tree the children in Year 4 have the opportunity to learn to swim at the local baths. There is no charge for this as this forms part of the PE curriculum and is therefore compulsory.

Swimming takes place in school time on a Thursday afternoon and will start this week, on Thursday 13th September.

We are bound by the rules that the Oldham swimming service put in place and have to adhere to these very strictly.

Children will require a towel and swimwear (trunks/shorts for boys that are above the knee, swimming costume for girls, no bikini style costumes are allowed).

Children with long hair have to wear a swim cap and no earrings or goggles are allowed unless accompanied by a medical letter from the doctor or optician.

The children are allowed to bring a biscuit or a piece of fruit to eat back at school after they return.

If you have any questions please feel free to speak to your child's teacher at the end of a school day.

The children usually really enjoy their swimming experience and it is something they look forward to in the week.

Thanks

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