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Year 6 Swimming

Dear Year 6 parents/carers,

In preparation for the children's transition to secondary school, we are excited to announce that Year 6 will be taking part in a swimming assessment day. The session will consist of a re-introduction into the pool and warm up, before children will be assessed on their current swimming ability. Swimming is an essential part of the curriculum and as such, this information is required by secondary schools.

The date of this will be Tuesday 7th July for both classes.

The lessons will take place at Eltham College's pool and will be led by the college's qualified swimming coaches. Blackfriars' session will run 1-2pm, and Westminster's at 2-3pm. Children will eat their lunch at school before their session.

Children will require:

- swimming costume or swim trunks/shorts (no bikinis)
- a towel
- swimming hat
- children can also bring a healthy snack for after their swimming lesson

It is essential that your child comes prepared with their swimming kit as we are unable to provide any spare.

Blackfriars will leave school at 12:20pm to make the walk to Eltham College, followed by Westminster at 1:20pm. If any parents/carers can help support on the day by walking with the children and staff to and from the centre, please email hornpark@compassps.uk to let us know.

Please note that Westminster class will arrive back at school around 3:40pm on this day.

Thank you for your support in advance.

Kind Regards

Miss Lazell & Miss Blogg