

# Whitecote Primary School

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Dear Parents/carers,

As part of the PE curriculum in year 4, the children will be having swimming lessons at Bramley Baths on a Friday afternoon every week (starting in the first week).

For these lessons, your child will need swimming trunks or shorts (not below the knee) for boys or a one-piece swimming costume for girls (with swimming shorts on top if they wish), and a towel. Children may also have goggles (this often helps with confidence) and a hair brush or comb. They MUST NOT bring any items of shampoo/conditioner or deodorant/body spray.

**Earrings** cannot be worn for swimming, and **long hair** must be tied up. If they have eczema and use cream prescribed by a doctor, they may have that to put on after their swim, but they will need to be able to apply it themselves and the class teacher must be informed.

We will be walking to Bramley Baths for the swimming lessons each Friday afternoon, during the normal school day. Please ensure your child has suitable outdoor shoes and a coat for the expected weather. The weather will not stop us going except in exceptional snow or icy conditions. In these circumstances, the decision will be made by school staff at lunchtime on the day of the lesson.

**Please ensure that you have given permission for short walks on Arbor so your child will be able to walk there each week.**

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Frances Stead'.

Mrs Stead

Year 4 Staff

