



30th August 2022

Dear Parents & Carers,

We are really pleased to inform you that Class 5 will be taking part in swimming sessions this half term at West Kirby Concourse. The Concourse is open for school swimming and we are looking forward to the children being able to go swimming as part of their PE curriculum.

Class 5 will swim for five afternoons; this will be for a 1-hour session each day.

They will swim **Monday 12th September to Friday 16th September 2022.**

Wirral Local Authority and Edsential (our Swimming Provider) have clear and rigid guidance in place to ensure the safety of the children and adults whilst swimming during these current times.

The kit they will need is as follows:

Boys: towel, swimming trunks (not baggy shorts)

Girls: towel, full swimming costume (no tankinis or bikinis)

Your child may also wear swimming goggles if they wish but please ensure that they do not bring either shampoo or spray deodorants with them.

We also request that your child does not wear earrings to school on the day. They will be asked to remove them and be responsible for keeping them safe. The Concourse has asked that plasters are not worn as they can come off in the water.

Please note: on [Tuesday 13th September](#), it is Roald Dahl day in school. Children will be dressing up as a Roald Dahl character, but we cannot allow children in Class 5 to wear face paint or have any tricky costumes that will delay them getting unchanged and changed for swimming. Please keep their costume as simple and easy as possible.

Class 5 will swim from 2:00 pm to 3:00 pm each day, beginning on Monday 12th September. This means that the swimming session will finish at 3:00 pm. **Please inform us by clicking the link below, how your child will be leaving the pool and going home.**

[Class 5 swimming September 2022](#)

In order to adhere to our Health and Safety ratios we will need volunteers to assist us walking the children to and from The Concourse, if you are available on any days we would appreciate your help. Please arrive at the School Office in time for the children to leave at 1:40 pm - we are always happy to have more walkers than we need.

Yours sincerely,
Mrs S Burrows
PE Lead

