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Dear Parents

Firstly, I would like to take the opportunity to thank you all for completing the online swimming form. The information has allowed us to plan our response according to the pupils needs.

It is a requirement for all primary schools to ensure they have made sufficient provision for all pupils to acquire the skills to swim 25m before they leave KS2.

After reviewing the information received on the form, I can confirm your child will attend swimming lessons for 4 weeks at Allestree Woodlands on the following dates:-

- Tuesday 24th September
- Tuesday 1st October
- Tuesday 15th October
- Tuesday 22nd October

Your child will need to bring their swimming kit to school for a session at Woodlands School on **Tuesday 24th September**. **Swimming costume, cap and towel are required for lessons at Woodlands School. PLEASE NOTE** Bikinis or long voluminous shorts are **not** acceptable. Only swimming costumes, trunks or lycra shorts. Swimming caps must be worn and earrings removed. Swimming caps can be purchased at Woodlands, please send **£3.00 CASH** in a named envelope should your child need to purchase a swimming cap on Tuesday.

The cost of swimming lessons is covered by the school, however, we would like to ask parents to make a voluntary contribution of £2.50 per week towards the cost of the coach hire. This will be added to your child's Scopay online account – www.scopay.com/williamgilbertendowedprimary. Please log onto your account to make the payment of £10.00.

With reference to the Education Reform Act (1988) the school is obliged by law to point out that payment is made entirely on a voluntary basis and you are under no obligation to make a contribution.

Yours sincerely

E H Britten

Headteacher

