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Dear Parent,

SWIMMING LESSONS- YEAR 6- Autumn term 1

Children in year 6 will be going swimming at Thirsk Swimming Pool on Friday mornings starting on Friday 13th September to 25th October. The pupils will be leaving school promptly at **8.55** and will be in the pool for 30 mins hour (9.15 to 9.45).

It is important that your child arrives at school promptly at 8.40am so they are ready and prepared to leave straight after registration. If they are late they will have to stay at school

As swimming forms part of the National Curriculum, we are required to ensure that all children participate in swimming lessons if they are fit to take part. I hope, therefore, that we can rely on your support in reminding your son/daughter to bring:

- **Swim suit – no bikini**
- **Swim trunk or shorts please avoid long shorts as they hinder swimming**
- **Towel**
- **Goggles**
- **Swim cap (optional) long hair must be suitably tied back**
- **Water bottle**
- **Snack of fruit to have after (optional)**
- **A coat and suitable footwear for walking to the pool**
- **Earrings must be taken out for swimming**

If there is any reason why your child cannot take part, e.g. illness or injury, please let us know in writing.

We need some parent helpers to assist with the walk to and from the swimming baths (8.55 leave and 10.00 return from baths), you will not be required to stay at the pool. If you are able to help with this please advise us on the form below.

Yours sincerely,

Mr J Harrison

Please complete below form and return to school

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Swimming Year 6- Autumn term 1

Name of child

I give permission for my child to take part in the swimming lessons. YES NO

I can help walk with the class

I confirm I will ensure my child has the correct kit/items as listed.

Signed.....(Parent/Carer) Date.....

