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Dear Year 3 families,

**re: Year 3 Intensive Swimming**

We are very excited that Year 3 pupils will have two weeks of intensive swimming lessons during the autumn term. These lessons are a compulsory part of the KS2 PE curriculum.

The lessons will take place daily, for 1 hour, and will be held at Britannia Leisure Centre, Pitfield St, London N1 5FT. The lessons begin at 9.00am so the children will need to arrive promptly at school for 8:00am. Pupils will travel by bus to and from the venue. You can also drop your child at the leisure centre for 8.45am if this is easier for you.

<p><b>3S</b> pupils will participate in the first two weeks of lessons: <b>Monday 3rd November until Friday 14th November</b>. Please note these are the first two weeks after half term.</p>	<p><b>3W</b> pupils will participate in their two weeks of lessons: <b>Monday 17th November until Friday 28th November</b>.</p>
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These lessons are a brilliant opportunity for children to develop confidence in the water and extend their swimming skills. Ahead of the lessons we will send further details of the kit required and give you the option to confirm whether you will be dropping your child at Britannia or at school to travel with the class.

Kind regards,

Cassey Williams  
Deputy Headteacher