



## Beaconside Primary & Nursery School

Monday 9<sup>th</sup> March 2026

Dear Year 3 Parents/Carers

Year 3 is the year where we introduce swimming into the PE curriculum.

This year we are trialling something different and we are bringing the swimming pool to Beaconside.

From Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April – Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May, a pop-up heated swimming pool along with changing pods and a fully qualified swimming instructor, will be here at Beaconside.

Pupils will have a **daily** lesson, in small groups of 10, **every day for 4 weeks**. The benefits are no travel costs, small group tuition, exclusive use of the pool and increased impact due to the frequency of lessons. Click on the link to see what the pool will look like. <https://www.mavericksport.co.uk/pop-up-pools>.

All children must wear a swimming costume (not a two piece) or swimming trunks (not shorts) and bring a towel in a labelled waterproof bag. Children are required to have long hair tied up and/or covered with a swimming hat.

We ask that children wear their PE kits on swimming days and as the lessons are first thing, that swimming costumes/trunks are worn underneath for ease of change. Just remember to pack the underwear for afterwards!

As the lessons are part of the National Curriculum offer and there are no transport charges, there is no cost to parents.

We do ask that you click on the following link to confirm receipt of this letter and provide information about your child's swimming ability to help organise groups. <https://forms.gle/FCibKFmaKQ37Kkuu9>

If you have any further queries, contact the school office in the first instance:  
[office@beaconside.worcs.sch.uk](mailto:office@beaconside.worcs.sch.uk) with your query and they will direct it to the appropriate person.

Regards

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