

Oakmeadow Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

After Christmas, we are pleased to offer swimming sessions to Year 3 which will be taking place at Shrewsbury School. We are pleased to promote our children meeting the end of key stage swimming attainment targets of:

- Swimming competently, confidently and proficiently over a distance of at least 25 metres
- Using a range of strokes effectively, for example, front crawl, backstroke and breaststroke.
- Performing safe self-rescue in different water based situations

Year 3 as a cohort will attend in two different blocks of 4 weeks starting on Monday 24th January. **Rabbits** will attend for the first 4 weeks **beginning Monday 10th January** followed by **Foxes** beginning after half term on **Monday 7th March.**

- On the day of their swimming session, children will be required to come to school with their swimming shorts/costumes underneath their school uniform.
- Following the end of swimming sessions, children will change into their uniform in the changing rooms, overseen by 2 members of staff, and will then sanitise their hands upon leaving Shrewsbury School before getting back onto the coach.
- Wet towels and swimwear will be stored in lockers and will need to be taken home with the children on the same day.

As this is part of the curriculum expectations and during a school day, attendance is an expected requirement of all children, However, if you do have any concerns or you envisage your child having a problem please contact myself on 01743 875020 or email admin@oak.mmat.co.uk marking it for the attention of **Mr Ostermeyer Y3** swimming.

Yours sincerely

Sam Ostermeyer PE Coordinator

