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Dear Reception Parents,

After the half-term holiday, Reception children will be starting swimming lessons. The children in Reception swim on a Wednesday and their first session will be on Wednesday 1st November. On swimming days children should wear their white P.E. kit, full tracksuit and trainers to school. Swimming kit and a towel should be brought to school in the draw-string kit bag. Girls will need a swimming hat in their house colour. School staff will help your child to change before and after their swimming lesson but it will be helpful if they can become more independent with dressing and undressing themselves.

These swimming lessons take place at the end of the day at the Hereford Leisure Pool. After their swimming lesson, children are walked back to school ready for collection for just after 3.30pm. For those parents who live on the southern side of the city, and who are not collecting other children from school, arrangements can be made to collect directly from the pool. For this to run smoothly, it is important to stress that such an arrangement would be for the whole term and if children are not collected by the specified time then they will be escorted back to school for collection.

Parents who would like to collect their child directly from the pool will need to fill in a 'Picking up from the Pool' form. The form can be found amongst the Forms for Parents on the Nursery and Junior Parents page of the school website (Junior / Junior Parents or <http://www.herefordcs.com/Junior-Parents>) or collected from the School Office. Please return the completed form to the School Office.

If you have any queries regarding these arrangements please do raise these with myself or Mrs Goode.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Liz Lord'.

Liz Lord
Head of Pre-Prep