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Dear Parents/Carers

As you may already be aware, Swimming forms a compulsory part of the National Curriculum. It states clearly that:-

Swimming and water safety

All schools must provide swimming instruction either in key stage 1 or key stage 2. In particular, pupils should be taught to:

- *Swim competently, confidently and proficiently over a distance of at least 25 metres*
- *Use a range of strokes effectively (for example, front crawl, backstroke and breaststroke)*
- *Perform safe self-rescue in different water-based situations*

With this in mind, from Monday 5th June until Monday 10th July we shall be taking the whole of class 3 swimming. This means that class 2 will **not** be swimming in term 6, however, they will resume swimming from September. The cost of swimming is £3.00 per week.

It would be helpful if you could return the form overleaf by Friday 26th May in order to give us an indication of the swimming ability of your child.

Kind regards

Mr A Raistrick

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Working collaboratively with Pinchbeck East CofE and Spalding Primary Schools

