





5 October 2023

Extra-Curricular Swimming Clubs

Dear Parents/ Carers,

I am very excited to inform you of opportunities for children to access **Extra-Curricular Swimming Clubs**. These clubs will take place at Two Mile Ash School from the **week commencing Tuesday 31st October 2023**. Children have the chance to be booked onto clubs that will last for **seven weeks** (or <u>six weeks for Monday</u> clubs). Clubs will conclude on the week commencing Monday 11th December 2023.

As a school, we will be having a swimming pool set up on site to provide this opportunity to pupils. Sporty Scholars, in association with **Elite Swimming**, run a unique **Pools to Schools** programme, providing an experienced, qualified **Swimming Instructor**. In addition, a **Lifeguard** is on duty at all times to ensure the safety of children. The pool is set up in a covered, secured marquee and heated between 26-32 degrees Celsius.

Spaces for clubs are available to book via the link on a **'Swim Club Poster'.** This poster with booking link will be shared via ParentMail at **9am on Friday 6th October 2023.** The cost per session is £5, with bookings made directly to Sporty Scholars.

A timetable for extra-curricular swimming clubs for Two Mile Ash children has been scheduled as follows:

Day	Session 1 (3:40pm-4:10pm) 3:30pm arrival	Session 2 (4:10pm-4:40pm) 4pm arrival
Monday	Year 4 & 5	
Wednesday	Year 3	
Friday	Year 6	

For their **club session**, children must arrive at **Two Mile Ash School Reception with a parent/carer at 3:30pm** (session 1) or 4pm (session 2). They need to have with them their Swimming Kit (see details below) in a named bag. There is space to change using our <u>school changing rooms</u> before and after the session.

A visit to one of Elite Swimming's 'Pools to Schools' was completed by Mr Saville in the Summer Term 2023 and a risk assessment has been completed to ensure child safety and safeguarding.

To support any children unable to purchase a swimming costume (girls) or swimming shorts (boys), we are asking for any **donations** from families to be received via our school reception.

If you have any questions regarding the swimming lessons, please don't hesitate to contact Mr Saville at <u>reception@tma.bucks.sch.uk</u>

<u>Swimming Kit</u> (brought to school in a named bag for sessions):

- Appropriate swimwear (essential). This is a suitable swim costume for girls and swimming shorts for boys. Swimming T-Shirts can be worn.
- A towel (essential)
- Swimming Cap (essential)
- Goggles (non-essential)
- Strong Plastic Named Bag (essential)

Yours sincerely,

Mr. Saville Head of PE Two Mile Ash School

