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Dear Parent/Carer

7th January 2020

Year 5 Swimming

We are writing to outline the details for swimming for your child this term. As with the previous term, he/she will be expected to take part in every session, bringing a towel and swimming trunks for boys and a one-piece costume for girls. Please help your child remember to bring their swimming kit to school each week. As with other PE lessons, any medical problems which preclude a child taking part will require a note to the teacher on that day. Your child should bring some goggles if you wish them to wear them (adjusted to fit in advance please!)

Swimming for all children is a life skill that we at Ghyllside feel is exceptionally important. However, you will be aware that schools are under increasing financial pressure, and Ghyllside is not exempt from this. As a result, next term, as we did this term, we will be asking for a £1.00 contribution towards the swimming bus cost each week, this can be paid in whatever form best suits you – weekly or in one go.

The dates this term are:

Every Friday we are in school from this Friday 10th January, until Friday 7th February.

This term Mr Duxbury's class will have the second session, which starts at 2.15pm and finishes at 3.15pm; they will return to school at approximately 3.45 pm and then be dismissed. **If your child is in Mr Duxbury's class, please return the completed permission slip below.** No permission slip is required from parents of children in Mrs Abel's class.

WE NEED PARENT HELP!

We really need help for an hour to help supervise the coach journeys from and back to Ghyllside. A helper would be needed at school at 1.45pm and would travel there with one class and return with the other for 2.45pm. Let us know in school if you can help please.

Many thanks, The Year 5 Team

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*****FOR MR DUXBURY'S CLASS ONLY*****

Permission to return to school late after Swimming Lessons

We require this slip in order for your child to take part in the 'late' session on Friday afternoons in the Spring Term 2020. **Please do not return this slip if your child is in Mrs Abel's class.**

I give permission for my child _____ to return late to school on Fridays after swimming.

*Please indicate as appropriate:

*I will collect my child from school at 3.45pm

*I give permission for my child to walk home from school on their own at 3.45pm

*My child will go straight to After School Club

Signed _____ Please Print name _____

