Swimming Provision Review 2017-18

Swimming and Water Safety (self-rescue) Evaluation

Swimming is an important skill and can encourage a healthy and active lifestyle. All Local Authority schools must provide swimming instruction either in key stage 1 or key stage 2. The programme of study for PE sets out the expectation that 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.

	2017-18
What percentage of your Year 6 pupils could swim competently, confidently and proficiently over a distance of at least 25 metres when they left your primary school at the end of last academic year?	76%
What percentage of your Year 6 pupils could use a range of strokes effectively [for example, front crawl, backstroke and breaststroke] when they left your primary school at the end of last academic year?	68%
What percentage of your Year 6 pupils could perform safe self-rescue in different water-based situations when they left your primary school at the end of last academic year?	68%

Future Areas for Development (2018-19)

- To increase the amount of children able to swim 25 metres by the time they leave Primary School.
- Ensure that an extra swimming teacher is funded to maximise progress for identified weak swimmers
- To increase the amount of opportunities for children to participate in competitive sports against other schools.