



Morisset Public School

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2/3 School Swimming Scheme

Wednesday January 30, 2018

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Morisset Public School has been allocated national funding for the School Swimming Scheme in 2019 and as a result you will only need to pay \$32 instead of \$60.

The School Swimming Scheme will take place at Morisset pool under the instruction of qualified teachers. The scheme will run daily for one week from Monday February 25 until Friday March 1. Sessions will start at approximately 11:30am and finish at 1:30pm. We have elected to conduct five, 2 hour sessions over the course of only ONE week to minimise disruption to your child's learning.

Children who are eligible to take part are those who have difficulty swimming 25m in deep water using correct technique. **If students have previously been involved in the scheme last year, they can still take part again this year.** The total cost for the 5 lessons and pool entry will be \$32.

Children will walk to and from the pool with supervision of teachers. We will leave school at 11:15am and return around 2pm. During wet weather we may need to catch a bus to/ from Morisset pool.

Students should bring a swimming costume, towel, shirt, hat and warm clothing on a cool day. Students must have a pair of goggles and girls will need to have their hair tied back or wear a swimming cap. As the children will be swimming in an outdoor pool, we ask that students use adequate sun protection, eg an SPF 30+ broad spectrum, water resistant sun screen that is applied regularly. A T-Shirt or rash shirt is also recommended. For the Friday only safety component, students will need to have old clothes on that they can wear into the water.

If you would like your child to be involved in this program, please complete and return the section below to the school office along with \$32 by Wednesday February 13, 2019. Alternatively payment can be made online via the school website and record the receipt number on the permission note. Places are limited, so those first to pay in full will receive priority.

Kind Regards,
Helga Knight

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School Swimming Scheme

I hereby consent to the attendance of my son/daughter _____ at the School Swimming Scheme classes to be held at Morisset Pool daily during Week 5 of Term 1, 2019.

I understand that my child will be walking to and from Morisset pool under the supervision of teachers. I also understand that my child may travel by bus during wet weather conditions.

I have included \$32 to cover the cost of my child's participation in the scheme OR

My online receipt number is _____

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Important Information – Parents, please note that there is no personal insurance cover provided by the NSW Dept. of Education for students in relation to school sporting activities, physical education lessons or any other school activity. Parents and Caregivers are advised to assess the level and extent of their child's involvement in the sport program offered by the school when deciding whether additional insurance cover, above that provided by Medicare, is required. The NSW Supplementary Sporting Injuries Benefits Scheme, funded by the NSW Government covers any injury resulting in the permanent loss of a prescribed faculty or the use of some prescribed part of the body.