



**Doncaster
Council**

EDUCATION SWIMMING – PARENT/CARER CONSENT FORM

Name..... School.....

Date of Birth Class

Address

..... Tel No

As part of your child’s education he/she will be undertaking swimming lessons this year. It is important that the swimming teacher has the following information concerning your child:

	Yes	No
Does your child suffer from any of the following:		
Anxiety from water		
ADHD		
Asthma (please bring inhaler to every swimming lesson)		
Autism		
Behaviour		
Cerebral Palsy		
Diabetes		
Down Syndrome		
Epilepsy		
Grommets (recommend wearing a swimming cap & ear plugs)		
Hearing impairment		
Visual impairment		
Does your child have any other medical conditions? Give details:		
Does your child take medication on a regular basis? Give details:		
Please give details of any past or present injuries e.g. fractures		

Swimming Ability:

Non-swimmer	5m	Width	Length	2 lengths	Any other Awards (please specify)

Earrings and any other form of jewellery or watches must be removed prior to the swimming lesson. Plasters covering newly pierced ears must be removed together with the earrings before a pupil will be allowed to swim.

Goggles are not necessary within short curriculum swimming lessons or for single, short races in school galas unless a pupil has particularly sensitive eyes. Goggles will only be allowed in exceptional circumstances in school swimming lessons, when chemicals in the water may adversely affect eyes. In these rare instances where the use of goggles may be allowed the adult responsible for the group will have the prerogative to require the pupil to remove them for reasons of safety if the pupil constantly adjusts or removes and replaces the goggles. If it is medically necessary for your child to wear goggles a letter must be written to school stating that your child has particular needs to warrant the use of goggles.

I have read and understood the information included on this form.

Signature of Parent/Carer Date

Please note your child will not be allowed to swim unless this form is completed. Please return to your child's school