



Swimming 2018-19

End of year summary:

Swimming was successful in the summer 2019, over the whole school especially for in year 6 who began to take some of their swimming lesson at the local secondary school to ensure the end of Key Stage requirements were met.

48/60 (80%) Year 6 children reached the government requirement of 25m or more using a range of strokes effectively, this did not however meet the 90% target we had set. The progress from year 5 to year 6 is good from previous years where 41/60 (68%) were on track.

Regrettably, 0/60 children were recorded to have performed safe self-rescue in different water based situations due to the restrictions of our own school pool size and the main focus of working towards gaining their 25m at the larger pool. Whilst our year 6 children had the opportunity to performing some safe self-rescue in different water based situations, this is a focus for our year 6 children moving forwards into 2019-20.

Next year targets:

90% + to achieve the 25 metres or above, use a range of different strokes **and** perform safe self-rescue in different water based situations.

To achieve this we will have a focus group so selected children will swim twice a week. Swimming pool will be opened up in the Autumn 1 Term for assessment purposes in preparation for Summer 1. We will be using Sport Premium Funding to transport the year 6 children to a deeper pool in order to provide the opportunity for them to perform safe self-rescue in different water based situations. We will liase with the secondary school to ensure that the children are recorded when they perform safe self-rescue activities and are given more opportunities to perform these in different water based situations.

