

Dear Parents & Carers,

3<sup>rd</sup> December 2024

## Croydon Primary Schools' Swimming Gala

The annual Croydon Schools' Swimming Gala preliminary heats are taking place in January 2025, and we would like to enter a team for the heat which is taking place on Friday the 31<sup>st</sup> January at Trinity School between 1:30pm and 4pm.

If your child is in Year 4, 5 or 6 and would like to enter, please click on the link to complete the Google form. Croydon Schools' Swimming Association advise that competitors should be able to swim at least 100m confidently in deep water to participate in the gala. We are unable to hold trials prior to the heat, therefore we ask that you do not put your child forward unless they are a strong and competent swimmer.

You will need to collect your child from school at 12:30pm and transport them to and from Trinity School, Shirley Park, Croydon, CR9 7AT. Mr Johnson will meet them outside the school at 1pm. They will need to bring with them: swimming trunks for boys (not surf type shorts), one-piece costumes for girls (not bikinis), 2 towels (including one to sit on whilst poolside) and goggles. The children will be given the school swimming hat to wear on the day. Parents are able to stay and spectate. For any children qualifying for the final, this will be held on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> February at Trinity Pool at 6pm.

If you would like your child to take part, please complete the Google form by Friday 13<sup>th</sup> December 2024.

Please come and speak to me if you have any questions.

Yours faithfully,

Mr S Johnson Year 5 Class Teacher









