

Introduction to School Swimming Course

As part of South Gloucestershire's Swimming Development work it is expected that this short 2 hour introductory course is the minimum requirement for any school staff (teachers, teaching assistants, parents etc), who teach / coach / support on poolside. It is not aimed at staff who undertake supervision or changing roles.

The course will cover:

- The basic knowledge about safety
- Guidance on teaching beginners
- Guidance on teaching recognised strokes

The course will involve a theory section but mostly practical work on poolside (you will not be required to go in the pool). Therefore please bring appropriate clean footwear to wear on poolside. This course is non-assessed and is not accredited to the Amateur Swimming Association (ASA), although a certificate of attendance will be issued.

Where possible please attend the course wherever your school swims.

Tues 21st Oct 9:00 -11:00am @ Kingswood Leisure centre
Or

Frid 23rd Jan @ Yate 10 - 12am Yate Leisure Centre
Or

Weds 11th March 9:00 -11:00 @ Thornbury Leisure centre
Or

Frid 27th March 9:00 - 11:00 Kingswood Leisure Centre

Cost: Free

Tutors: Gill Johnson & Tracey Mallett (Swimming Co-ordinator's Leisure Trust), Debbie Leonard, Laura Hudson, Stephanie Hall, & Joe Beaumont

Booking a Place:

Complete the attached reply sheet and return to Community Sport & Active Lifestyles.

The cancellation procedure is that of South Gloucestershire Council's Professional Learning Community.

Please note your place on this course is only secure on receipt of a confirmation email to your school. Please do not attend the course without having received this e-mail! If this course is over-subscribed allocation of places may be restricted per organisation / school.

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I wish to attend the following session:

Please tick

Tuesday 21 st Oct 9 -11 Kingswood Leisure centre	<input type="checkbox"/>
Friday 23 rd Jan 10 -12 Yate Stoke Leisure Centre	<input type="checkbox"/>
Wednesday 11 th March 9 -11 Thornbury Leisure centre	<input type="checkbox"/>
Friday 27 th March 9 -11 Kingswood Leisure Centre	<input type="checkbox"/>

School _____

Role In school ie Teacher /NQT/ TA / Parent/Other

Working with KS - KS1 / KS2 / Other

School swims at _____

Tel _____

Signed: _____

Date: _____

**Please return the form ASAP to Jeanette Quinn Teaching & Learning Adviser (PE), Community Sport, The Ridgewood Centre
244 Station Road, Yate, South Gloucestershire, BS37 4AF**

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