



CHELTENHAM EAST PRIMARY SCHOOL

2019 Beach (Swim) Program

4 February 2019

Dear Parents

Once again this year, the Year 5 & 6 children will be participating in a Beach Program, in lieu of swimming lessons. The program will be held at Beaumaris Lifesaving Club, Beach Road, Beaumaris and is run in conjunction with Bayside Aquatics by highly qualified staff with low student numbers to teacher ratio. During the week, the children will rotate through both wet and dry activities including basic first aid, dangers at the beach, lifesaving games, relays, beach rescues, etc. All children will be travelling to and from the Beaumaris Lifesaving Club in **fully seat belted buses**.

The Department have provided the school with a subsidy towards the swimming program and with this taken into account, the cost of the Beach Swim Program for 2019 is \$145.00 per student

When: Monday 25 February to Friday 1 March

Times: All Year 5 students will leave school by bus at 11.05 am and return by 1.15 pm
All Year 6 students will leave school by bus at 12.05 pm and return by 2.15 pm

Cost: **\$145** - **Please note as the cost of the program is based on the number of instructors and buses required, Bayside Aquatics does not provide refunds for missed classes.*

What to bring:

Bathers	Towel
Hat & rash vest	Sunscreen
Drink and snack	Goggles
Jacket	
Long pants and long sleeved shirt or PJs (for survival swim)	

The permission note (attached) and payment of \$145.00 are required on or before **Monday 18 February**. We encourage all payments via the Qkr app.

Families who do not have an immediate capacity to pay are able to enter into alternative and confidential payment arrangements with the school. Should you require financial assistance, please contact the Business Manager, Sue Chase (chase.susan.s@edumail.vic.gov.au).

If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact me.

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