

Safe Supervision of Swimming - a course for Teaching Assistants

Date	Time	Venue	Reference
10/10/2006	9.00 - 4.00	Downham Market High School	6UN023
20/10/2006	9.00 - 4.00	South Site, Thorpe St Andrew High School, Norwich	6UN022

This course has been specifically designed for Norfolk Schools and seeks to provide a clear structure for the safe supervision of swimming in light of the workforce remodelling agenda.

Headteachers, in ensuring effective discharge of the school's duty of care, may send Teaching Assistants (Level 2 or above) on this course with a view to allowing them to be responsible for a school's class swimming session.

It should be noted that Norfolk County Council requires that schools must send a teacher (QTS) to supervise swimming unless they have attended this course and are registered with our database of candidates.

Objectives:

- staff to be conversant with the issues of Duty of Care and their responsibilities to pupils
- to understand the purpose of Risk Assessment and Normal Pool Operating Procedures
- to understand the need for safe supervision during the transport, changing and poolside phases of school swimming.
- to be competent to operate as a staff member responsible for pupils throughout the swimming visit.

Headteachers must also note that they will be required to monitor the TA after training.

This course does not involve active water participation.

Who should attend

Headteacher	<input type="radio"/>	Head of Dept.	<input type="radio"/>
Deputy Head	<input type="radio"/>	Classroom teacher	<input type="radio"/>
SENCO	<input type="radio"/>	Returner	<input type="radio"/>
Subject Leader	<input type="radio"/>	NQT	<input type="radio"/>
Classroom Assistant	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	Nursery Nurse	<input type="radio"/>
Supply Teacher	<input type="radio"/>	Pre-school Practitioner	<input type="radio"/>
Governors	<input type="radio"/>		

Other:

Phase

First
Infant Junior
Primary
Middle
Special

Cost:

£125.00

How to book

To apply for a place at this activity please visit our INSET Opportunities website at <http://advisoryservice.norfolk.gov.uk/inset> or complete a booking form and return it to:

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