



HOLY CROSS

School Swimming Policy

To safeguard the health and safety of all please follow the procedures below.

Children who are physically unwell or show any symptoms of the following conditions will not be able to enter the water (with most of these conditions children shouldn't be at school until the symptoms have improved).

- conjunctivitis
- diarrhoea-should not enter the pool until 14 days after the symptoms have ceased.
- infected open sores and cuts
- cold sores
- school sores
- influenza
- ringworm
- whooping cough

Despite good chlorine levels, germs from sores and infections can be passed on to other swimmers causing further health problems. For further advice and information on any of these conditions, please feel free to contact your nearest public health unit.