

Swimming Requirements

It is a National Curriculum requirement that at the end of Year 6 pupils should be taught to:

- swim competently, confidently and proficiently over a distance of at least 25 metres
- use a range of strokes effectively [for example, front crawl, backstroke and breaststroke]
- perform safe self-rescue in different water-based situations

St Paul's Peel C.E. Primary School attends Worsley Leisure Centre for weekly swimming lessons led by fully qualified ASA instructors.

All year 3 and year 4 pupils attend weekly sessions over the course of the academic year in 10 week blocks of an hour lesson.

Year 6 Cohort Data		
Date	Number of Pupils	Percentage of Pupils That Met the Requirement
July 2022	41	65%
July 2021	40	No data due to Coronavirus **
July 2020	40	No data due to Coronavirus **
July 2019	54	96% *
July 2018	40	88%
July 2017	37	73%

* Catch-up swimming sessions funded by Salford Youth Alliance

** Due to the success July 2019, catch-up swimming sessions were due to go ahead July 2020; but due to Coronavirus it was not possible. We did not attend swimming lessons after 13th March 2020.