

The Federations of Beckwithshaw, Kettleasing Felliscliffe and Ripley Endowed CE Primary Schools

6th May 2026

Dear Parents and Carers

KS2 Swimming Gala – Friday 22nd May 2026

We are delighted that your child..... has been selected to represent the Federation at this year's Swimming Gala, held at Ripon Leisure and Wellbeing Hub.

The gala will be held on Friday 22nd May 2026, from 1-3pm, and provides swimmers an opportunity to experience a taste of competitive swimming in a fun and exciting environment.

Competing against other local school teams, there will be events for years 3/4 combined and years 5/6 combined, swimming 25 metres including individual and team races. Your child is one of 12 pupils selected across the federation, to make up the RBK Team, due to the excellence they have shown during lessons this year.

Children will be transported to and from Ripon leisure and Wellbeing Hub via coach, and we estimate that they will arrive back at school, at the slightly later time of **4:05pm**.

What your child will need to bring.

Swimmers will need to bring a swimming kit, goggles if needed, a swim hat if they have long hair, a towel and a water bottle. Please ensure the water bottle is plastic and not glass.

Please ensure that pupils bring a £1 coin with them as due to various schools participating in the gala, all belongings will need to be stored in the (refundable) lockers provided.

Due to the start time of the gala and transportation time, children participating will require a packed lunch from home that day. Please also provide a healthy snack for the afternoon.

Please complete the permissions overleaf and return to the school office no later than Monday 11th May 2026.

Very Best Wishes,

Mrs MaryBeth Russell
Federation Admin Team



BECKWITHSHAW
PRIMARY SCHOOL



KETTLESING FELLISCLIFFE
COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL



RIPLEY ENDOWED
CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Permissions - KS2 Swimming Gala – Friday 22nd May 2026

Name of child:

Year Group:

I give permission for my child to attend the swimming gala at Ripon Leisure and Wellness Hub, travelling to and from the event by coach.

Signed: _____ Date: _____