



Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Primary School

At Our Lady of Lourdes, children have the opportunity to take part in swimming lessons for 10 weeks in year 4.

They are assessed in a range of areas including the distance they are able to swim unaided, their awareness of safety within the pool, self-rescue, their ability to push and glide to start swimming and the range of strokes they are able to carry out.

At the end of year Six, the ability of the children is reviewed.

The table below shows the ability of the current year six cohort who leave the school at the end of the academic year 2017-18

Number of children in year six: 28

National curriculum requirements for swimming and water safety	Percentage of children meeting requirements
Children can swim competently, confidently and proficiently over a distance of at least 25m	86% (24/28)
Children can use a range of strokes effectively	86% (24/28)
Children can perform self-rescue in different water-based situations	86% (24/28)