



Temporary Swimming Pool – Parent’s Frequently Asked Questions

Temporary Pools in your School can be a completely new concept for you and your children, or it may be that your children have had a similar experience before but delivered by a different organisation. With this in mind, we have created a Frequently Asked Questions document for you, to hopefully answer some initial overview questions you may have.

What is a Temporary Pool?

Our pool is a temporary pool structure (approximately 10 metres by 5 metres with a depth of 1.2 metres) which can be located on a school site for a short period of time to provide high quality, safe swimming provision for small groups. Each pool meets industry standards (HSG179 requirements) safety requirements as per any other public swimming pool or swimming facility. The below image provides an example of how the pool will look when on school site.

Who will be teaching the swimming lessons?

Kanga Swim provide fully qualified swimming teachers who will deliver all the lessons, supported by lifeguards.

What does my child need to bring with them and what is provided?

All information regarding kit and what is provided is outlined in the Parent letter, which will be shared with you in advance of the swimming provision taking place at your child’s school.

How often will my child be swimming?

Your child will swim for 30 minutes a day, daily for six weeks.

Where will my child be getting changed?

All children will be getting changed inside in a designated changing space, provided by and overseen by school staff.

Will the pool be open on the playground?

The pool is enclosed in an industrial marquee and not in view of anyone not taking part in the swimming session.

Won't the children get cold?

As the pool is within the marquee and the water is heated to a constant temperature, the children will be in a warm environment both in the water and within the marquee.

How big is the pool?

The pool is 5m by 10m and is 1.2m deep.

Do the children go outside to get to the pool?

There will be a very short distance between the school door and the marquee, for which the children will require suitable footwear (provided by parents) and a towel oodie (provided by school)

How Can You Support The Cause?



The Speedo Swim United initiative is committed to ensuring all children leave school able to swim and self-rescue. To continue effecting positive change the initiative welcomes support via the Swim United Change.org petition. Further information is available via the below QR code:



If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact us and we will be happy to help.

Yours sincerely,

The Kanga Team