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Dear Families

### **Year 7 Free Kayaking Session**

I am delighted to inform you that the Royal Canoe Club, based on Trowlock Island and adjacent to the school site have agreed to give every Year 7 student a free kayaking session in one of their PE lessons this term.

Students in the A population will have their session on one of the following four dates: Tuesday 24 September, Monday 30 September, Tuesday 8 October or Monday 14 October.

Students in the B population will have their session on one of the following four dates: Thursday 26 September, Thursday 3 October, Thursday 10 October or Thursday 17 October.

Students will be informed which date their session is on nearer the time.

For the session students should wear their Teddington School PE kit and a pair of trainers. A waterproof layer is recommended as they may well get wet; a change of underwear and a towel might be a good idea too. The instructors will need to know if your child is unable to swim. They will then assess whether they can take that student on the water therefore it is essential that you inform us on the attached slip if your child is unable to swim.

**No student will be able to participate if they fail to return the attached slip to myself in the PE office by Thursday 19 September.**

Yours faithfully

Mr Salter

School Sports Coordinator

PE Department



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**Please return this section to Mr Salter in the PE office by Thursday 19 September.  
Failure to do so will mean that your child will be unable to participate.**

You should complete **either** Part A or Part B (not both) depending on whether your child can swim or not.

#### Part A:

Student Name ..... Form 7.....

I give my consent for the above student to have a free kayaking session this term.

I can confirm that the above student can swim at least 25m unaided.

Signed ..... (parent/carer)

#### Part B:

Student Name ..... Form 7.....

I give my consent for the above student to have a free kayaking session this term.

I can confirm that the above student **cannot** swim at least 25m unaided.

Signed ..... (parent/carer)

**Please return this form directly to the PE office for the attention of Mr G Salter**