



Swallowfield Lower School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Jewellery and Earrings in PE Guidance

As part of the risk assessments associated with the Covid-19 situation, we have taken the opportunity to review many of our school policies associated with children's health, safety and well-being. One of these is the wearing of jewellery during school PE lessons. In the past we have always requested that children do not wear jewellery and earrings for PE at school but have given families the option to sign a disclaimer when children have newly pierced ears that have not healed. This will no longer be the case.

Wearing jewellery or earrings for physical activities poses a serious risk of injury to both the wearer and other children and therefore as the children are having PE on specified days, jewellery and earrings must be removed before school on the designated days. We will not be able to assist children with jewellery removal due to social distancing requirements.

Please ensure that you consider this guidance when choosing an appropriate time for piercings.

Thank you for your support in this matter.

Yours sincerely,

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