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Dear Year 5,

I hope this finds you all well and not too upset that swimming has finished!

I want to express my congratulations to you all for being such fantastic role models and ambassadors for our school family during your swimming lessons as well as when you travelled there and back each day for the 8 days you went.

Mr LeLuan has told me how some of you were really quite anxious and worried about swimming, some of you had not been before, some of you thought you couldn't swim. However, last Friday, Mr LeLuan was beaming! As were Mrs Talati, Mrs Vickers and Miss Gillett. Children, you really made them proud, and you also have me very, very proud!

Mr LeLuan has told me how you were jumping in the deep end, putting your heads under water, swimming! Well done every single one of you!

You have gained a lifelong skill over the 8 days you had lessons, something that could in fact one day save your life, this is excellent.

Well done children for your resilience, good manners, determination and all round greatness, you really are fantastic.

20 dojos for each one of you and thank you!

Keep up the brilliance all of you and don't forget to thank all the staff who took you, encouraged you and cheered you on, who all believed in you and continue to do so, just like me!

With kind and proud regards,

Annalisa Howarth
Headteacher