

Learn-to-Swim Guidelines for Participants and Parents

- ✓ All participants should enter and exit through the main doors of the Aquatics facility. Please check in at the Aquatics front desk on arrival.
 - ✓ It is recommended that all participants come dressed in their bathing suits and bring towels. Proper swim attire is required.
 - ✓ If it is necessary to change, please arrive several minutes early for the scheduled class, but no more than a half an hour.
 - ✓ Changing off garments or diapers on deck is not permitted. There are locker rooms available. If children of the opposite sex over the age of 5 need assistance in the locker rooms please let your instructor know.
 - ✓ Children who are not toilet trained must wear swim diapers or plastic pants with elastic around the leg.
 - ✓ Any bodily fluids dispersed into the swimming pool will require the pool to be closed for a minimum 30 minutes.
 - ✓ Children with long hair must tie their hair back or wear a swim cap.
 - ✓ Children must be the appropriate age and skill level for the level they are enrolled in. Please refer to the "Youth Learn-to-Swim Level Descriptions" or ask if you have any questions about what level your child should be placed in.
 - ✓ The instructional staff will evaluate the skills of the children during the first class and reclassify them if necessary.
 - ✓ Please be aware that although your child's swimming ability and comfort in the water will improve, they may not pass a level on the first attempt. Participants must meet all criteria of level they are attending before being moved forward. Each child will receive a report card at the end of lessons detailing their progress and any areas they make need to work on.
 - ✓ To promote a consistent and better learning environment, parents should limit contact with their children and the instructors during classes. We ask that you watch your child from the pool deck area.
 - ✓ Due to health and safety procedures no food, drink, or outside footwear are permitted on the pool deck.
 - ✓ Please properly label all toys, goggles, towels, and other items brought onto the deck, as we cannot be responsible for lost or stolen items.
 - ✓ Be prepared to swim on the first day of class.
 - ✓ There are no make-up classes. We will have class on "bad weather" days.
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