CAMP SETTOGA - SWIM SKILLS/LEVELS

BEGINNER - DOLPHINS - YELLOW BAND

Enter water safely using ramp, steps or side

Exit water safely using ladder, steps or side

Enter water by jumping from side

Blow bubbles, 3 seconds

Front Float, 3 seconds

Back float, 3 seconds

Submerge mouth, nose and eyes

Open eyes underwater and retrieve submerged objects (in

shallow water)

Front glide, 2 body lengths

Recover from a front glide to a vertical position

Back glide, 2 body lengths

Recover from a back float to a vertical position

Roll from front to back

Roll from back to front

Tread water using arm and hand action

Alternating leg action on front, 2 body lengths

Alternating arm action on front, 2 body lengths

Combined arm and leg actions on front, 2 body lengths

Alternating leg action on back, 2 body lengths

Alternating arm action on back, 2 body lengths

Combined arm and leg actions on back, 2 body lengths

Bobbing, 5 times

Front float, 5 seconds

Back float, 5 seconds

Tread water using arm and leg actions, 15 seconds (in shoulder-deep water)

INTERMEDIATE - FLYING FISH - GREEN BAND

Enter water by jumping in (in shoulder-deep water)

Fully submerging and holding breath, 10 seconds

Bobbing, 10 times (in chest-deep water)

Bobbing while moving toward safety, 15 times (in chestdeep water)

Float in a face-down position, 10 seconds

Float in a face-down position - jellyfish float

Float in a face-down position - tuck float

Combined arm and leg actions on front, 5 body lengths

Combined arm and leg actions on back, 5 body lengths Change direction of travel while swimming on front or

Change direction of travel while swimming on front or back

Tread water, 30 seconds (in shoulder-deep water)
Push off in a streamlined position on front, then

begin flutter kicking, 3 to 5 body lengths

Push off in a streamlined position on front, then

begin dolphin kicking, 3 to 5 body lengths

Push off in a streamlined position on back, then

begin flutter kicking, 3 to 5 body lengths

Side breathing, 5 times

Side breathing, 10 times

Side breathing, 15 times

Front crawl, 15 yards (arms/pull/flutter kick with Side

Breathing)

Backstroke kick, 15 yards

Introduction of Backstroke arms - back kicking with proper

arm technique

Elementary backstroke - kicks, 15 yards

Elementary backstroke - arms, 15 yards

Elementary backstroke, 15 yards

Breaststroke kick, 15 yards

Introduction of Breaststroke arms, 15 yards

Scissors kick, 15 yards

Safety Topics:

ADVANCE - SHARKS - PURPLE BAND

1 lap/width = 18 meters

Enter water by jumping from the side (into deep

water), fully submerge, then recover to the

surface and return to the side

Headfirst entry from the side in a sitting position (deep

water)

Headfirst entry from the side in a kneeling position (deep

water)

Tread water, 1 minute (in deep water)

Headfirst entry from the side in a stride position

Swim underwater, 3 to 5 body lengths (without hyperventilating)

Feet First surface dive, submerging completely

Front crawl open turn

Back crawl open turn

Tread water using 2 different kicks - 2 minutes

Front crawl, 25 yards (2 laps/width our pool = 36 meters)

Breaststroke, 15 yards (1 lap/width our pool = 18m)

Dolphins kicks, 15 yards (1 lap/width our pool = 18m)

Butterfly, 15 yards (1 lap/width our pool = 18m)

Push off in a streamlined position on back and begin

flutter kicking, 3 to 5 body lengths

Push off in a streamlined position on back and begin

dolphin kicking, 3 to 5 body lengths

Elementary backstroke, 25 yards

Back crawl, 15 yards (1 lap/width our pool = 18m)

Sidestroke, 15 yards (1 lap/width our pool = 18m)

Shallow-angle dive from the side

Shallow-angle dive, glide 2 to 3 body lengths

and begin any front stroke

Tuck surface dive, submerging completely

Front flip turn while swimming

Backstroke flip turn while swimming

Tread water. 5 minutes

Front crawl, 50 yards (3 laps/width our pool = 54 meters)

Safety Topics:

Staying safe around water Recognizing the lifeguards Don't Just Pack It, Wear Your Jacket Recognizing an emergency How to call for help Too Much Sun Is No Fun Look before you Leap

EXIT SKILLS:

- 1. Enter independently, using either the ramp, steps or side, travel at least 5 yards, submerge to mouth and blow bubbles for at least 3 seconds, then safely exit the water.
- 2. While in shallow water, glide on front for at least 2 body lengths, then roll to back and float on back for 3 seconds, then recover to a vertical position.
- 3. Swim using combined arm and leg actions on front for 3 body lengths, roll to back, float for 15 seconds, roll to front, then continue swimming on front for 3 body lengths.

Staying safe around water
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Too Much Sun Is No Fun
Look before you Leap
Reach or Throw, Don't Go
The danger of drains
Developing breath control safely
Making good decisions—choosing an exit point

EXIT SKILLS:

- 1. Step from the side into chest-deep water, push off the bottom, move into a treading or floating position for 15 seconds, swim on front and/or back for 5 body lengths, then exit the water.
- 2. Push off in a streamlined position then swim front crawl for 15 yards, change position and direction as necessary, swim elementary backstroke for 15 yards, then exit the water.

Breaststroke, 25 yards (2 laps/width our pool = 36m)
Butterfly, 25 yards (2 laps/width our pool = 36 m)
Elementary backstroke, 50 yards (3 laps/width our pool)
Back crawl, 25 yards (2 laps/width our pool = 36m)
Standard scull, 30 seconds
Sidestroke, 25 yards (2 laps our pool = 36m)
Introducing IM (Butterfly, Backstroke, Breaststroke, and Freestyle)

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aid and CPR
Recreational water illnesses
Thick Trains Poters Coing Near Cold Water as less

How to call for help and the importance of knowing first

Think Twice Before Going Near Cold Water or Ice Wave, Tide or Ride, Follow the Guide

EXIT SKILLS:

- 1. Perform a shallow-angle dive into water at least 8 feet deep, swim front crawl for 50 yards, then swim elementary backstroke 50 yards using appropriate and efficient turning styles throughout.
- 2. Swim breaststroke for 25 yards, change direction of travel as necessary and then swim back crawl for 25 yards using appropriate and efficient turning styles throughout.
- 3. IM 4 strokes