

Learn to Swim Programs



The best place to learn how to swim is in the water, and that is only one of the many reasons we're running this exciting program.
'Swim for Life' stresses lots of in-water practice to develop solid swimming strokes and skills. It also incorporates valuable Water Smart education that will last a lifetime.





Reminders about Learn to Swim Programs

Please see our Swimming: Admission Guidelines for general information, what to wear in the pool, medical conditions and changeroom age requirements before attending your first class.

- For Preschool Levels 1 5 participants must be correct age by the first lesson. Age overrides will not be granted.
- For all other levels participants must be correct age by the last lesson.
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- Support your child's learning through participation in the recreational swimming program. Set realistic goals for your child, encouraging them to do their best. Learning to swim can be enjoyable, but like many skills, it takes time, practice and patience.
- Students are continuously evaluated during all City of Vaughan Learn to Swim programs.

- It is preferable that participants attend all lessons in their level. It should be noted that participants attending all lessons progress faster than those unable to do so. Sorry... there are no make-up classes.
- Dry land water safety lessons are part of all learn-to-swim programs. Where a pool may close in an untimely manner due to a pool fouling or mechanical problem, instructors will use the time to focus on dry land water safety lessons that are a part of the Swim for Life Learn-to-Swim program. If this is not possible, a credit is issued for the missed class.
- Parents/guardians can only be on deck 3 minutes prior to picking up or dropping of their child.
- Parents/guardians of children 10 years of age and younger are to remain in the building during lessons.
- Each participant must shower before entering the pool area.
- Non-bathers must watch from the viewing gallery.

Repeating a level?

Show your last report card to the Instructor to allow practice time on skills requiring development. To progress to the next level, all items must be completed.

Registration after the second lesson

To ensure program consistency, registration will not be permitted following the second lesson. Please contact the Aquatic Coordinator for assistance.



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