



## WRIST BAND IDENTIFICATION AND SWIM TEST POLICY

- Each child must receive a wrist band at the Welcome Center prior to open swim.
- Red Band: Child must be within arm's reach of an adult at all times.
- Yellow Band: Child must remain in the shallow end at all times.
- Green Band: Child may go in the deep end without an adult.
- Children Age 7 and under:
  - All children age 7 and under will be given a red band and must remain within arm's reach of an adult at all times. To swim without a life jacket or other approved floatation device, the child must pass a shallow water swim test.
  - Children age 8 and older may swim without an adult. In order to swim in the deep end, the child must pass a deep water swim test. Children who complete the deep water test will receive a green band.
  - A child 8 and older who does not pass the deep water test will receive a yellow band and must remain in the shallow end. The lifeguard may require the child to take the shallow water test to determine if a floatation device is required.
- Please note that if your child has passed the swim test, but appears lethargic or appears to be struggling, we reserve the right to re-test your child or to ask your child to remain in the shallow end for that day.