

Frequently Asked Questions

What do I do the first day of lessons?

Arrive early, bring your receipt, wait in the lesson waiting area and become familiar with your instructor. Please remain seated in the bleachers or bench area during the entire class. Please remember to sign in on the first day of class.

Who is available to answer questions?

A front desk attendant, pool manager or recreation leader is on duty to assist you. Please do not talk to the lifeguard in the tower or to the instructor during the lesson.

Do you offer credits, transfers or refunds?

Refund requests can be made to the aquatic coordinator prior to the first class. After the first class, refunds will only be granted if there is a medical reason. Credits will only be granted prior to the first class meeting. Transfers will only be granted prior to the second class meeting. Refunds will immediately be returned to the credit/debit cards and will come in the mail within 3-6 weeks for cash/check.

What are your safeguards?

We provide American Red Cross certified instructors and ARC certified lifeguards during all learn to swim classes.

Do you offer make-up lessons?

We do not offer make-up lessons. If we cancel a class due to a special event, inclement weather, etc. you will receive notification as to if and when that lesson will be made up.

How long before my child is swimming?

This depends on the child - how fast they learn, how confident they are in the water and the child's interaction with their swim instructor.



Private/Semi-Private

Lessons

The city of Las Vegas aquatic unit is proud to announce that we can accommodate requests for private and semi-private swim lessons at all pools (season permitting). Private lessons (1 student) are \$100 for six (6) 45-minute lessons or \$60 for four (4) 45-minute lessons. Semi-Private lessons (2-3 students) are \$50 for six (6) 45-minute lessons or \$40 for four (4) 45-minute lessons. Call 229-6309 to be referred to the lesson coordinator.

Group Lesson Fees

Monday/Wednesday/Friday or Tuesday/Thursday

Six (6) 45-minute lessons for \$25

Saturdays

Four (4) 45-minute lessons for \$20

**Lesson fees are different at Pavilion Pool.*

City of Las Vegas Splash Pools

Baker Pool • 229-1532
1100 E. St. Louis Ave.

Doolittle Pool • 229-6398
1940 N. J St.

Carlos L. Martinez and Darrío J. Hall
Family Pool at Freedom Park • 229-1755
889 N. Pecos Road

Garside Pool • 229-6393
300 S. Torrey Pines Drive

Pavilion Center Pool • 229-1488
101 S. Pavilion Center Drive

Municipal Pool • 229-6309
431 E. Bonanza Road



Learn to Swim Parent Handbook



Phone: (702) 229-6309
www.lasvegasparcsandrec.com

American Red Cross Learn To Swim Program-Parent and Child, Preschool Levels 1-3 and Levels 1-6

Parent and Child

Ages: 18 months-3 years

Requirements: Swim Diaper. Parent or guardian in water.

Objective: To orient children to the water. Emphasis on safety and participation. Parent or guardian instructed on teaching the child the basics of swimming. Child will remain in the class until he or she has acquired the readiness or age necessary for advancement to the next level. Lessons are 30 minutes.

Preschool Level 1

Ages: 4 and 5 years

Requirements: None.

Objective: Intended for children who have had little or no experience in the water. Water safety and water exploration are the main objectives. No parent or guardian is required to be in the water.

Preschool Level 2

Ages: 4 and 5 years

Requirements: Successful completion of Level 1 or possess necessary skills.

Objective: Intended for children who have had some experience in the water. In addition to learning about water safety and water exploration, students build on skills taught in preschool level 1. Students learn greater independence and more ways to complete certain skills.

Preschool Level 3

Ages: 4 and 5 years

Requirements: Successful completion of Level 2 or possess the necessary skills.

Objective: Intended for children who have had experience in the water. Students build on skills taught in preschool level 2. Students learn how to jump in, front, back and jellyfish floats, and emphasis on swimming on the front and back for greater distances.

Level 1 - Introduction to Water Skills

Ages: 6-11 years

Requirements: None.

Objective: Intended for children who have little or no water experience. Water exploration and water safety are the main objectives. Students will begin to develop some primary skills and learn how to achieve a comfort level in the water.

Level 2 - Fundamental Aquatic Skills

Ages: 6-11 years

Requirements: Successful completion of Level 1 or possess the necessary skills.

Objectives: Intended for children who have completed or show competency in Level 1 skills. Students will voluntarily submerge and will begin to acquire forward locomotion skills on both front and back.

Level 3 - Stroke Development

Ages: 6-11 years

Requirements: Successful completion of Level 2 or possess the necessary skills.

Objectives: Intended for children who have completed or show competency in Level 2 skills. This is also the level to sign up for if a student passes pre-school aquatics level 3. Students must float and swim on the front and back without support. Students must be able to enter and exit deep water with ease, tread water and retrieve submerged objects in shallow water.

Level 4 - Stroke Improvement

Ages: 6-11 years

Requirements: Successful completion of Level 3 or possess the necessary skills.

Objectives: Intended for children who have completed or show competency in Level 3 skills. Students will work to improve all skills with emphasis on form and stroke efficiency. Students must be able to perform dolphin kick, scissor kick, elementary backstroke and front crawl with rotary breathing.

Level 5 - Stroke Refinement

Ages: 6-11 years

Requirements: Successful completion of Level 4 or possess the necessary skills.

Objectives: Intended for children who have completed or show competency in Level 4 skills. Class activities will stress endurance with stroke work in the front crawl, back crawl, butterfly, breaststroke, elementary backstroke and sidestroke. Students must be able to perform surface dives, tread water using two different kicks, swim breaststroke, sidestroke and butterfly.

Level 6 - Swimming and Skill Proficiency

Ages: 6-11 years

Requirements: Successful completion of Level 5 or possess the necessary skills.

Objectives: To achieve a higher level of fitness, sign up for Fitness Swimmer. To learn how to safely dive from poolside and diving board, sign up for Fundamentals of Diving. To learn how to become a lifeguard, sign up for Lifeguard Readiness.

How to Register

To register for all levels, visit Municipal Pool during regularly scheduled open hours or register online or by touchtone phone 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. You need a Leisure Access number, a Personal Leisure Link number and a credit card (Visa, Master Card or Discover).

During the summer, register at your pool of choice during regularly scheduled open hours in addition to online and touchtone.

Touch-Tone Registration

Phone (702) 229-5445 – 24 hours, 7 days a week.

On-Line Registration

Log onto www.clvbeyondbtheneon.com – 24 hours, 7 days a week. You may print a copy of the receipt for your records.

**Leisure Access and Leisure Link numbers can be obtained online or call the Municipal Pool at 229-6309.*

