

Is there a family change facility?

If you are attending lessons with your child of the opposite sex and need to use a change room, please see office staff for alternative options. Only children under 5 can be changed in opposite sex change rooms.

Infections

If your child presents with any infections please notify pool staff as soon as possible.

Holiday Program—Learn to Swim is conducted throughout all school holidays. Classes are scheduled during mornings and swimmers attend 30minute lessons every day for 5 days.

Semester/Term Program—Learn to Swim is conducted throughout the school term. Lessons are scheduled Monday—Friday afternoon, Saturday morning and Sunday afternoon. Swimmers can attend one lesson per week for the semester or term.

Learn to Swim 2016

NB*: No swimming lessons are conducted on Public Holidays.

- Thursday 20th October, NO LESSONS

Term Four

Monday 18th July—Friday 16th December
Monday—Wednesday & Friday: 10 sessions
Thursday, Saturday & Sunday: 9 sessions

January Holiday Program

Monday 9th July—Friday 13th January
Monday 16th—Friday 20th January
Monday 23rd—Friday 27th January ***4 Day**
Monday 30th January—Friday 3rd February

TERM 1 & JANUARY HOLIDAY PROGRAM ENROLMENTS

Enrolments will open Monday 21st November
8:30am.

Cameras & Smartphones

Filming &/or photographing of any person is prohibited at Collegiate Pool.

Enrolments

Existing students are required to re-enrol online each semester/term. Enrolments will open on the dates listed in this pamphlet and on the TV screen at the pool. **New students** are required to have a free assessment to determine correct class level. To book an assessment please phone the Pool Office to be placed into an allocated assessment time.

Class timetables will be available on the pool website and displayed on the TV at the pool prior to enrolments opening.

Questions

Whilst instructors are approachable, they are not always available. If you would like to speak to an instructor regarding your child's progress, please don't hesitate to email the pool or leave your details at the pool office and your instructor will contact you.

HC Swim Club

The Collegiate Pool is home to the HC Swim Club. If any swimmers are interested in joining the swimming club, please leave your details at the office and a club representative will get back to you to organize a trial session or an assessment.

Contact

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COLLEGIATE POOL

LEARN A LIFE SKILL

LEARN TO SWIM



PARENT INFORMATION FLYER

Thank you for recognising the importance of swimming and water safety for your child. The ability to swim with confidence is a life skill all children should continue to develop in order to remain safe around our waterways. With 270 people drowning in Australia last year, the Learn to Swim message has never been more important than it is today.

In assisting parents with a better understanding of their child's learn to swim progress, an **Aquatic Survival Chart** has been developed. It is encouraged for all children to learn to swim in to the "green" bands. The "green" bands are an indication of the national benchmark outlined by the Tasmanian Education Department.

WELCOME TO TERM FOUR LEARN TO SWIM 2016

Where is the best place to sit?

Seating is located on Davey Street side of the pool and at the deep end. Shallow end and Macquarie Street side are for students & instructors only. **EMERGENCY EXIT DOORS MUST BE KEPT CLEAR AT ALL TIMES.**

Where do I meet my instructor?

Lesson meeting points are on Davey St side of the pool. All students must meet instructors at these signs prior to lessons commencing. In the event of illness, replacement instructors will meet students under these signs.

How many levels are there?

There are nine levels in total. If you feel your child is in the wrong level, please speak to office staff and leave your details for an instructor to contact.

Notices

All notices and enrolment information will be set up on the pool TV. The TV is located at the entrance to the pool. Information about Collegiate Pool can be located on the flyer display holders next to the TV

Do I need to wear a swimming cap & goggles?

All swimmers must wear a swimming cap in the pool. Goggles are not a requirement, however are a good learning aid for swimming. Caps and goggles are available for purchase at the pool office.

Where can I consume food?

No food is to be consumed on pool deck. Food can be consumed in the foyer area. Collegiate Pool is a wet deck, therefore any food or drink spillage can end up in the pool water.

What happens if I miss a lesson?

If your child will be absent from a lesson, please notify pool office via email. No alternative or make up classes will be available.

Removal of shoes & showering

Collegiate Pool is a wet deck, therefore please check your shoes prior to entering the facility. If your shoes are muddy, please leave them at the entrance to avoid contaminating pool water. To assist in maintaining clean water & minimizing chemical use, we ask that all patrons shower before entering the water. **This includes learn to swim students.** Following these suggestions will assist in your child swimming in clean water.

LEARN TO SWIM TERMS & CONDITIONS

- Unfortunately no refunds, credits or alternative classes will be available for missed classes.
- Changing classes will involve a \$10 transfer fee
- Collegiate Pool have the right to cancel classes if there are an insufficient number of students enrolled. (3 or less students)
- Instructors are subject to change. Management work towards this not occurring.
- Students are ineligible to participate if full payment has not been received prior to the commencement of the first lesson.

What are Learn to Swim cards & why do I need one?

Each swimmer is issued with a Learn to Swim Card on the commencement of the first lesson. This card is to be given to the instructor at the beginning of each lesson so attendance can be taken. This will also ensure all medical and contact details are known and accessible. Cards are only valid for one term or one semester. **What do I do if I have forgotten my card?** Prior to the lesson commencing, swimmers must collect a temporary card from the pool office. **NO CARD = NO SWIM**

Am I able to swim prior to & after my lesson?

There is **no** swimming before or after lessons. If lanes are available the cost is \$7.00 for a casual swim

WHERE IS YOUR CHILD ON THE COLLEGIATE POOL AQUATIC SURVIVAL CHART?

COLLEGIATE POOL SCHOOL PROGRAM STRUCTURE	AQUATIC CONFIDENCE	AQUATIC BUOYANCY	AQUATIC MOVEMENT	AQUATIC MOVEMENT	AQUATIC BREATHING	AQUATIC BREATHING	SELF PRESERVATION	STROKE IMPROVEMENT	SENIOR SWIM & SURVIVE
COLLEGIATE POOL LEARN TO SWIM LEVEL	A1	A2	A3/1	A3/2	A4	A5	STROKE DEVELOPMENT	STROKE IMPROVEMENT	MINI SQUAD
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT STRUCTURE	STAGE 1			STAGE 2				STAGE 3	
CLASSIFICATION	AT RISK NON SWIMMER	→		WEAK SWIMMER / RECOGNISED SWIMMING	→	DEVELOPING SWIMMING	→	RECOMMENDED NATIONAL BENCHMARK / EFFICIENT SWIMMER	STRONG SWIMMER