



Camper Swim Field Trip Form

Child's Name:

Child's Age:

Camp Locations:

Hollywood Recreation Center

Carver Recreation Center

Margaret Brent Recreation Center

We will be taking several field trips to either the Great Mills Swimming Pool (outdoors) or the Wellness and Aquatics Center Swimming Pool (indoors).

To keep all campers safe, the following information about your camper is required.

1. Can your camper:

a. Step or jump into water over the head and return to the surface. Yes No I don't know

b. Turn around and orient to safety as well as turn over. Yes No I don't know

c. Float or tread water for one minute. Yes No I don't know

d. Can swim 25 meters unassisted without touching the bottom or side of the pool (from one end of the pool to the other). Yes No I don't know

e. Exit the water in the deep end unassisted (ladder available). Yes No I don't know

2. Does your camper have any swim experience? (select one appropriate choice below)

a. None

b. Very little

c. Some in water not over their head

d. Quite a bit in water not over their head

e. Some in water over their head

f. Quite a bit in water over their head

g. Lots of experience in water over their head

3. Would you like your child to remain in the shallow end (water not over their head) during camp field trips to the pool? Yes No

All campers who wish to swim in the deep end (water over their head) MUST take a swim test at the beginning of each pool field trip. These campers are not allowed to wear life jackets or floaties. They will be given a wrist band to indicate their ability to be in the deep end.

If you would like to provide a life jacket/floaties for your camper, it MUST be US Coast Guard approved. If you provide a US Coast Guard approved life jacket/floatie, please put your camper's name on it and staff will require your camper to wear it when in the water. Please have your camper practice putting the lifejacket on properly.

I understand that this information will be used to assist camp and pool staff with placing your camper in the appropriate area of the pool. Please discuss this with your camper so they are aware of any limitations they may have. If this information changes at all during the summer, I understand that I need to complete a new form and turn it into my camper's site director.

Parent/Guardian Name (Print)

Signature

Date

Return completed form to summerfuncamps@stmaryscountymd.gov.