

# SWIM ADMISSION Policy



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## Children under 8 years of age

### Supervising adult

- ✓ must be at least 16 years of age
- ✓ must accompany the child in the water and changing village
- ✓ must maintain close contact and a constant watch over the child
- ✓ must stay within comfortable personal standing depth

### Adult / Child ratios: Main Pool

Adult



3 years  
or under

OR

Adult



4 - 7 years

If accompanying more than one 4 - 7 year old, each child must wear armbands/float vest to BS EN 13138 standard if unable to swim 25 metres.

During **designated sessions** when the leisure pool is closed, the following ratio will apply in the teaching and splash pools only:

### Adult / Child ratios: Teaching Pool (designated sessions)

Adult



3 years  
or under

OR

Adult



4 - 7 years

OR

Adult

Mixed age



Unless able to swim 25 metres and stand with head and shoulders clear of the water, children must wear armbands/float vest to BS EN 13138 standard.

### Groups / Birthday Parties

The same ages and ratios applying to families above, will also apply to group visits and birthday party sessions.

### Failure to comply

If a supervising adult fails to consistently fulfil his or her responsibilities in relation to the Swim Admission Policy, staff will ask the whole family group to leave the premises.

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## Designated Sessions

### Term Time

Monday - Friday: 10am - 3.30pm

### During School Holiday

Monday - Friday: 10am - 12pm

West Dunbartonshire Leisure's Child Swim Admission Policy has been developed in accordance with national guidelines and industry standards.

The purpose of this Child Swim Admission Policy is to help safeguard that group of pool users who historically are most at risk of drowning in swimming pools. It is not intended to stop children having fun and enjoying swimming, nor is it intended to make life difficult for parents/carers.

Persons responsible for children under eight years of age in the swimming pool must go into the water with the children they are accompanying and must maintain a constant close supervision of those children.

**Special sessions have been programmed which will allow parents to bring additional children.**

**We thank you for your co-operation.**

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