VacSwim postal enrolment

Please post your completed form to VacSwim, Department of Education, 33 Giles Ave, Padbury WA 6025
before the closing date. See advertised deadlines at [education.wa.edu.au/vacswim](https://www.education.wa.edu.au/vacswim)
**Do not use this form for late enrolments.**

### Parent/carer to complete (one form per program required):

[ ]  Country early start program 2024 [ ]  January program 1 2025

[ ]  January program 2 2025 [ ]  January short program 2025

Venue: [ ]  AM [ ]  PM

Venue (2nd preference – metro programs): [ ]  AM [ ]  PM

Children’s surname:

Postal address:

Suburb/Town: Postcode: Telephone: Alternative telephone:

Email:

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| Children’s fist name | Date of birth (5–17 years eligible) | Stage (going for) | M/F | Medical conditions / notes |
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### [ ]  I have read and agree to the conditions stated on page 2 of this form.

Parent/carer’s name:

Signature: Date:

### How did you hear about VacSwim?

[ ]  Friends [ ]  Local swimming centre [ ]  Through school [ ]  Social media

[ ]  Department of Education website [ ]  Other:

### For statistical purposes, please indicate the number of children:

[ ]  who are Aboriginal/Torres Strait Islander \_\_\_ [ ]  for whom English is their second language \_\_\_

[ ]  I grant permission to the Department of Education and Government of Western Australia to use photographs, video, audio and written/verbal quotes of my children. These may be used in print, digital or video media.

# Enrolment declaration and agreement

Application to, and participation in, the VacSwim Program is conditional upon the applicant confirming the enrolment declaration and agreement below. Please read the enrolment declaration and agreement below and confirm (sign on front page).

This enrolment declaration and agreement is provided for the benefit of the Minister for Education and Training, a body corporate under the *School Education Act 1999 (WA)* and the benefit of the State of Western Australia (together and separately, referred to as VacSwim).

I DECLARE that the information I have provided in my enrolment is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

I ACKNOWLEDGE AND AGREE as follows, in relation to each child included in my application (referred to as the Swimmer):

* I have read and understood, and I agree to, the terms and conditions for participation in the VacSwim Program set out in the Swimming and Water Safety Website.
* I will ensure that the Swimmer will comply with all rules, standards and requirements of the VacSwim Program which are notified to participants from time to time.
* In the event that the Swimmer sustains an injury, illness or other medical problem, I authorise VacSwim to arrange any medical assistance that may be required, and I agree to pay all costs associated with any such medical assistance.
* Unless I have disclosed it in my application, I am not aware of any illness or condition which would put the Swimmer’s health at risk if he or she participates in the VacSwim Program. Where I am unsure about the Swimmer’s health status, I acknowledge that it is my responsibility to arrange any medical examination necessary to ascertain the Swimmer’s health status.
* I agree that, in the interest of safety of other participants, I will refrain from bringing the Swimmer to a VacSwim Program lesson if the Swimmer is suffering from any contagious health condition.
* I acknowledge that VacSwim teachers are only responsible for supervising those children directly involved in the VacSwim Program lesson which they are teaching, and only during such time as the lesson is being conducted. I acknowledge that I must ensure that the Swimmer is provided with appropriate supervision at all other times. In particular, I acknowledge that it is my responsibility to collect the Swimmer from the VacSwim Program lesson at its conclusion.
* To the extent permitted by law, I:
1. release VacSwim and its officers, employees, agents, volunteers, and contractors (referred to as the VacSwim Parties) from liability for loss, damage or injury however arising from or in connection with; and
2. indemnify the VacSwim Parties for and against all loss, claims, proceedings, liabilities, penalties, costs and expenses arising directly or indirectly from or in connection with, the Swimmer’s attendance at, or participation in, a VacSwim Program in the reasonable time before, during and after VacSwim Program instruction is given. This release and indemnity will not apply to the extent that any of the VacSwim Parties have not exercised due care and skill in connection with the VacSwim Program.
* I acknowledge that VacSwim will endeavour to register the Swimmer in those classes requested by me but that no guarantee of enrolment in any particular session or program is given by VacSwim. In the event that my specified request cannot be met, I agree that VacSwim may register the Swimmer in an available class as determined by VacSwim.
* I acknowledge that if I wish to cancel the Swimmer’s enrolment, I must comply with the cancellation procedure set out in the Enrolments webpage and that any cancellation and the provision of any refund will be in accordance with the conditions outlined on the Swimming and Water Safety Website.

I ACKNOWLEDGE:

* children must be five years or older on the first day of lessons;
* the enrolment does not include swimming centre entry fee;
* children enrolling in metropolitan venues must include two preferences;
* VacSwim cannot guarantee preferred times.