





Water activities can be so much fun! Swimming in a lake or pool, canoeing, or running through a sprinkler are great ways to have fun outside with water. Do you know how to be safe when you're in or around water? To recognize May as Water Safety Month, answer the following questions to learn about water safety and earn a fun patch!

True or False:

- 1. True or False: You should always swim with a buddy.
- 2. True or False: Floaties always work.
- 3. True or False: If you're a good swimmer, you don't have to wear a life jacket on a boat.
- 4. True or False: As long as you have a buddy, you don't need an adult or lifeguard with you.
- 5. True or False: Swimming in very cold water can be dangerous.
- 6. True or False: You should always stop and look at the lifeguard if you hear a whistle.

Fill in the blank with words from the box below:

7. If you don't know how, it is a good idea to learn how to ______ .

8. Never______ near a pool. ______ instead.

9. Before jumping into a pool, look for ______ markers so you know where

it's okay to swim and dive.

10. When wearing a life jacket, always make sure it ______.

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Submit completed sheet to shop@gsnim.org by May 31st. Contact us at 800-283-4812 ext. 5 to purchase patch for \$1.50 (includes shipping). While supplies last. Patch may change due to availability.

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