

Maldon Primary School
2019 Water Awareness Program

Welcome to the 2019 Water Awareness Program. As in previous years we would like to offer families the opportunity to share information with us about their child's abilities to help us with grouping students and providing the most effective program for all students. **Please complete the survey below and return to the office by Wednesday 6th February** to ensure your child is placed in an appropriate group from the commencement of the program.

Child's Name: _____		
Year level: _____		
Q1. Has your child ever participated in swimming lessons outside of school?	Yes	No
If yes, was the pool heated?	Yes	No
Q2. Is your child comfortable putting their head under water?	Yes	No
Q3. Does your child feel confident in water?	Yes	No
Q4. Can your child tread water?	Yes	No
Q5. Can your child float unassisted?	Yes	No
Q6. Is your child able to swim freestyle using correct technique?		
<i>Beginning / Competent / Confident</i>		
<i>Distance: 25m 50m Other</i>		
Q7. Is your child able to swim backstroke using correct technique?		
<i>Beginning / Competent / Confident</i>		
<i>Distance: 25m 50m Other</i>		
Q8. Is your child able to swim breaststroke using correct technique?		
<i>Beginning / Competent / Confident</i>		
<i>Distance: 25m 50m Other</i>		

The Maldon Primary School Water Awareness Program concludes with a swimming carnival which allows children to display their skills to family and friends.

Children in grades 3 to 6 are offered the opportunity to participate in a 50m event in freestyle, backstroke, breaststroke and butterfly. This distance is aligned with School Sport Victoria (SSV) events and children who qualify will then be offered the opportunity to represent Maldon Primary School at the Divisional SSV event held in Bendigo in early March. It is parent choice if they participate at this level.