PRESCHOOL AQUATICS Level 1

Instructor:	
Swimmer:	

Skills	Pass	Needs Improvement
Enter water using ramp, steps or side		
Exit water using ladder, steps or side		
Blow bubbles, 3 seconds		
Submerge mouth, nose and eyes		
Open eyes underwater and retrieve submerged objects, 2 times (in shallow water)		
Front glide, 2 body lengths (with or without assistance)		
Recover from a front glide to a vertical position (with or without assistance)		
Back glide, 2 body lengths (with assistance)		
Back float, 3 seconds (with assistance)		
Recover from a back float or glide to a vertical position (with assistance)		
Roll from front to back (with assistance)		
Roll from back to front (with assistance)		
Arm and hand treading actions (in chest-deep water)		
Alternating leg action on front, 2 body lengths (with assistance)		
Simultaneous leg action on front, 2 body lengths (with assistance)		
Alternating arm action on front, 2 body lengths (with assistance)		
Simultaneous arm action on front, 2 body lengths (with assistance)		
Combined arm and leg actions on front, 2 body lengths		
Alternating leg action on back, 2 body lengths (with assistance)		
Simultaneous leg action on back, 2 body lengths (with assistance)		
Alternating arm action on back, 2 body lengths (with assistance)		
Simultaneous arm action on back, 2 body lengths (with assistance)		
Combined arm and leg actions on back, 2 body lengths (with assistance)		

Exit Skills Assessment		Needs Improvement
1. Enter independently, using either the ramp, steps or side, travel at least 5 yards, submerge		
to mouth and blow bubbles for at least 3 seconds, then safely exit the water. (Participants can		
walk, move along the gutter or "swim.")		
2. While in shallow water, glide on front for at least 2 body lengths, then roll to back and		
float on back for 3 seconds, then recover to a vertical position. (This part of the assessment		
can be performed with assistance.)		

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