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## Swimming Levels Equivalency Chart

If your child has taken lessons before and you would like to match them in a program that aligns with their experience please bring in their old report cards upon registration. Our staff will be able to match your child's experience with the perfect Y fit.

Age Requirement	YMCA	Red Cross	Lifesaving Society
<b>3 – 18 months</b>	Splashers	Starfish	Parent and Tot 1
<b>19 months – 3 years</b>	Bubblers	Duck	Parent and Tot 2
<b>3 – 5 years</b>	Bobbers	Duck / Sea Turtle	Parent and Tot 3
-	Bobbers	Sea Turtle	Preschool 1
-	Floater	Salamander	Preschool 1
-	Gliders	Sunfish	Preschool 2
-	Divers	Crocodile	Preschool 3
-	Surfers	Whale	Preschool 4
-	Dippers	-	-
<b>6+ years</b>	Otter	Swim Kids 1	Swimmer 1
-	Seal	Swim Kids 2	Swimmer 1 Advanced
-	Dolphin	Swim Kids 3	Swimmer 2
-	-	Swim Kids 4	Swimmer 3
-	Swimmer	Swim Kids 5	Swimmer 4
-	Star 1	Swim Kids 6	-
-	Star 2	Swim Kids 7	Swimmer 5
-	Star 3	Swim Kids 8	Swimmer 6
-	Star 4	Swim Kids 9	-
-	Star 5	-	Rookie Patrol
-	Star 6	-	Ranger Patrol
-	Star 7	-	Star Patrol
-	-	-	Bronze Star
<b>13+ years</b>	-	-	Bronze Medallion
-	-	Assistant Lifeguard	Bronze Cross
<b>15+ years</b>	Assistant Swim Instructor	Assistant Water Safety Instructor	Swim for Life Assistant Instructor
-	Swim Instructor	Water Safety Instructor	Swim for Life Instructor
<b>15+ years (formerly 16)</b>	-	Red Cross Lifeguard	National Lifeguard