

# Keeping Kids Safe in Water in SUMMER



During the school holidays, particularly in hot weather, increasing numbers of children put themselves at risk of drowning.

## To keep your children safe

**Always** supervise children near open water.

**Never** allow children to swim in open water such as lakes or rivers, it may be colder and deeper than expected.

**Remember** garden ponds can present a danger to small children, who can get into difficulties quickly in very shallow water.

**Ensure** your children learn how to swim.

To keep safe always follow the Water Safety Code.

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