



Why are the AUSTSWIM courses so popular?

- ★ AUSTSWIM is Australia's national organisation for the teaching of swimming and water safety.
- ★ AUSTSWIM is recognised throughout Australia by government and aquatic agencies as the qualification for swimming teachers. It is also recognized in many overseas countries.
- ★ The AUSTSWIM certificate is the industry standard for swimming teachers.
- ★ AUSTSWIM has an outstanding reputation for leadership in aquatic education – that's why we're the **original**.
- ★ AUSTSWIM presenters offer the highest standard of professional course delivery – that's why we're the **best**.

Why become an AUSTSWIM teacher?

- ★ AUSTSWIM teachers enjoy the rewards of teaching learners of all ages and abilities how to swim ~ and get paid to do so!
- ★ AUSTSWIM teachers are a major force in the prevention of near-drownings and drownings.
- ★ AUSTSWIM is the preferred teaching qualification throughout Australia. AUSTSWIM teachers are highly sought-after by many organizations in WA, including The Education Department (Interm and Vacswim programs) and Swim Schools.
- ★ AUSTSWIM has a re-registration process for teachers to ensure continued employment at the end of their 3 years registration.
 - Re-registration requires: 30 points (a combination of teaching hours & professional development)
 - Copy of a current, recognised CPR certificate (within last 12 months)
 - \$75 for a further 3 year period

Terms and Conditions

- ★ **Refunds & Transfers**
Requests for refunds or transfers must be received in writing, by AUSTSWIM (WA), no less than 48 hours prior to the commencement of the course.

Cancellations (refund requests) will incur an administration fee of 20% of the enrolment fee. In the event of the course being cancelled due to insufficient enrolments you will be offered a full refund or you may elect to transfer to another course.

Transfers will incur an administration fee of 10% of the enrolment fee, if more than 2 weeks notice is given. If less than 2 weeks notice, transfers will incur an administration fee of 20% of enrolment fee. A transfer fee is not charged if a medical certificate is attached to the written transfer request.

Written Theory Examination

If candidates are unable to attend the scheduled exam time, simply ring the AUSTSWIM office to discuss alternatives.

If the required pass mark of 60% is not attained, candidates are required to resit another exam at a cost of \$20, within 14 days. A fee of \$50 will apply for oral examinations.

- ★ **AGE REQUIREMENT**
Candidates must be 16 years of age to enroll into the AUSTSWIM Teacher of Swimming & Water Safety Course; however candidates will not be issued with a certificate until they turn 17 years of age.

AUSTSWIM Candidate Enrolment Form

OFFICE USE ONLY

PD: _____ Code: _____

Receipt #: _____ A/c: _____

Section 1: Personal Information

Title First Name Last Name

Postal Address

Suburb State Pcode

Phone (H) (W) (M) Fax

Email Birth Date AUSTSWIM #

Section 2: Statistical Information (used for statistical reporting only)

- How did you find out about the course?
 Friend Newspaper TV Pool Internet Other
- The purpose of your enrolment is to: Gain Employment Personal Development Professional Development
- Which best describes your current employment status?
 Full Time Part Time Self Employed Unemployed Employed Retired
- Please indicate highest level of Secondary School successfully completed:
 Yr 12 Yr 11 Yr 10 Yr 9 or lower
- Have you completed any of the following since leaving school?
 Trade Cert. Advanced/Tech Cert. Degree, Post Grad. or Diploma
 Assoc. Dip. Undergraduate Certificate Other
- Were you born in Australia? Yes No (where were you born?)
- Are you of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander origin? Aboriginal Torres Strait Islander
- Which language do you mainly speak at home? English Other
- I would like AUSTSWIM to give details of my qualifications to any prospective employer in the aquatic industry and approve this being done on my behalf? Yes No

Section 3: Course Selection (All course enrolment fees are GST free)

Please tick the course/s you would like to enrol in and enter the venue and course dates.

Course	Price	Date/s	Venue
AUSTSWIM Teacher of Swimming and Water Safety	\$255		
AUSTSWIM Teacher of Adults	\$200		
AUSTSWIM Teacher of Infant & Preschool Aquatics	\$185		
AUSTSWIM Teacher of Aquatics to People with a Disability	\$185		
AUSTSWIM Teacher of Competitive Strokes	\$150		
CD ROM Swimming and Water Safety Only	\$25		
TOTAL			

**A CD Rom is available for a small section of the theory component of the TS&WS course (extra cost of \$25 applies). So if you are having trouble attending 'all' of the course dates – contact the AUSTSWIM office to discuss this option.*

What Does your Enrolment Fee Include?

1. AUSTSWIM certificate and registration card
2. Quality AUSTSWIM manual and AUSTSWIM resources
3. Swimming Teaching Handbook and Guidelines (given at the TSWS course)
4. State and National registration for THREE years and a re-registration service
5. Membership services (newsletters, re-registration reminders, advice)
6. Experienced, Cert IV and AUSTSWIM trained presenters
7. Pool entry fees

Section 4: Medical Details

Person to contact in case of emergency:

Name Phone:

The course may involve activities in both deep and shallow water, some of which require a reasonable level of fitness and swimming ability. Is there any known reason: illness, disability, impairment or otherwise, which may impact, limit, influence or restrict your ability to participate in sessions and/or activities?

No Yes, please specify

Section 5: Application and Declaration

I.....[insert name]

of[insert address]

hereby apply for entry to course listed in Section 3 ("AUSTSWIM Course"). In so applying and in consideration of my application for entry to the AUSTSWIM Course being accepted **I acknowledge and agree that:**

1. **"AUSTSWIM"** for the purposes of this application and declaration means and includes AUSTSWIM Limited, its members (including the Branches) and where the context so permits, their respective directors, officers, members, servants or agents.
2. **If accepted I will be permitted** to participate in the AUSTSWIM Course subject to my complying with the terms and conditions of the AUSTSWIM Course, this declaration, the AUSTSWIM Administrative Procedures (to the extent relevant) and any reasonable direction issued by the AUSTSWIM Course organisers or their representatives. A copy of the relevant AUSTSWIM Administrative Procedures is available upon request from AUSTSWIM.
3. **This document cannot be amended.** If I do amend it my application will be null and void. It cannot be accepted by AUSTSWIM.
4. **Insurance** is in place that provides limited cover to me whilst I am participating in the AUSTSWIM Course. (*For insurance details contact AUSTSWIM National*) I understand that this insurance may not cover me for all injury, loss or damage sustained by me and I can, in my own interests, seek and obtain personal insurances over and above the cover provided by AUSTSWIM.
5. **This declaration** comprises a contract between me and AUSTSWIM. It is necessary and reasonable for promoting and conducting the AUSTSWIM Course.
6. **Warning:** Participation in the AUSTSWIM Course can be inherently dangerous. Serious accidents may happen which may result in me being injured or even killed. I have voluntarily read and understood this warning and accept and assume the inherent risks in the AUSTSWIM Course.
7. **Exclusion of Liability:** Except where provided or required by law and such cannot be excluded, I agree that it is a term of my entry in the AUSTSWIM Course (if accepted) that AUSTSWIM is absolved from all liability however arising from injury or damage however caused (whether fatal or otherwise) arising out of my participation in the AUSTSWIM Course. I acknowledge that the services and benefits I receive in relation to the AUSTSWIM Course are "recreational services" as defined under the *Trade Practices Act 1974*. Where I am a consumer, as defined by any relevant law, certain terms and rights may be implied into a contract for the supply of goods or services for my benefit. I acknowledge that these terms and rights, and any liability of AUSTSWIM flowing from them, are expressly excluded, restricted or modified by these AUSTSWIM Course terms and conditions.
8. **Release and Indemnity:** In consideration of AUSTSWIM accepting my application for entry to the AUSTSWIM Course I:
 - (a) release and forever discharge AUSTSWIM from all Claims that I may have or may have had but for this release arising from or in connection with my participation in the AUSTSWIM Course; and
 - (b) indemnify and hold harmless AUSTSWIM to the extent permitted by law in respect of any Claim by any person including but not only another participant in the AUSTSWIM Course arising as a result of or in connection with my participation in the AUSTSWIM Course.In this **clause 8 "Claims"** means and includes any action, suit, proceeding, claim, demand, damage, penalty, cost or expense however arising but does not include a claim in respect of any action, suit, etc made by any person entitled to make a claim under a relevant AUSTSWIM insurance policy.
9. **Fitness to Participate:** I declare that I am and must continue to be medically and physically fit and able to participate in the AUSTSWIM Course. I am not and must not be a danger to myself or to the health and safety of others. I will immediately notify AUSTSWIM in writing of any change to my fitness and ability to participate. I understand and accept that AUSTSWIM will continue to rely upon this declaration as evidence of my fitness and ability to participate.
10. **Medical Treatment:** I consent to receiving any medical treatment that the AUSTSWIM Course organisers or their authorised representatives consider necessary or desirable during or after the AUSTSWIM Course. I also agree to reimburse AUSTSWIM for any costs or expenses incurred in providing me with medical treatment.
11. **Privacy:** I understand that the information I have provided overleaf is necessary for the conduct of the AUSTSWIM Course and for the objects of AUSTSWIM. I acknowledge and agree that the information will only be used by AUSTSWIM to facilitate the conduct of the AUSTSWIM Course and other courses conducted by AUSTSWIM, provided to third parties in relation to my prospective employment as a teacher of swimming and water safety and/or to provide me with promotional material from AUSTSWIM sponsors and third parties. I understand that I will be able to access my information through AUSTSWIM. If the information is not provided my application may be rejected. I acknowledge that if I do not wish to receive promotional material from AUSTSWIM sponsors and third parties I must advise AUSTSWIM in writing.
12. **Copyright in photographs and right to use:** I acknowledge and consent to photographs being taken of me during my participation in the AUSTSWIM Course. I acknowledge that the photographs are owned by AUSTSWIM and that AUSTSWIM may use the photographs for promotional or other purposes without my further consent being obtained. Further, I consent to the AUSTSWIM Course organisers using my name, image, likeness and also my performance in the AUSTSWIM Course, at any time, to promote the AUSTSWIM Course by any form of media.
13. **I have provided the information required overleaf and signed both sides of this form.** I warrant that all information provided is true and correct.

I have read, understood, acknowledge and agree to the above declaration including the warning, exclusion of liability, release and indemnity. I acknowledge that if my application to enter the AUSTSWIM Course is successful I will be entitled to participate in the AUSTSWIM Course.

Signed: Date:

Name:

Where the applicant is under 18 years of age this form must also be signed by the applicant's parent or legal guardian.

I, am **the parent or guardian** of the applicant. I expressly agree to be responsible for the applicant's behaviour and agree to personally accept the conditions set out in this AUSTSWIM Course application and declaration including the provision by me of a release and indemnity in the terms set out above. I consent to the applicant's entry to, and if accepted, participation in the AUSTSWIM Course.

Parent's signature: Date:

(where applicant under 18 y.o)

Name:

Section 6: Payment Details

Cheque / money order: made payable to the course provider eg AUSTSWIM or Janet Boer Draffin.

Credit Card: (please circle) Visa Bankcard Mastercard

Card Number _____ Expiry Date ____ / ____

Cardholders Name

Signature

Return your completed form to the course provider at their address below:

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