2023

SWIM SAFETY

SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Application Guidelines
DEADLINE TO APPLY IS JUNE 30, 2023

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VISION AND MISSION

The City of Palmdale is committed to providing City of Palmdale residents expanded accessibility to our programs and facilities to ensure that no child is denied an opportunity to participate in our programming because of economic hardship. If you and your family are current residents of the City of Palmdale and are low-income, you may qualify for the swim safety scholarship program.

As part of our strategic plan, the City of Palmdale provides inclusive access to our services that build a resilient and healthy community, while developing and maintain diverse programs that inspire growth, pride, and lifelong learning.
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If your child is awarded a swim safety scholarship, you will not be eligible to apply for a recreation scholarship during the same season, for the same child. However, they would be eligible to apply for the Recreation Swim or Dusty’s Child scholarship programs.

Maximum amount of swim safety scholarship shall not exceed 50% of the total registration fee.

Additional costs (material fees, uniforms, etc.) above the initial registration fee are not included.

Scholarship funds must be used within the season period and cannot be refunded in the form of cash or credit.

The swim safety scholarship is not eligible for scuba or private swim lessons.

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION
& QUALIFICATIONS

The Department of Parks and Recreation has a limited number of SWIM SAFETY scholarships available for children, 17 years of age or younger, who wish to participate in SWIM SAFETY programs. All scholarships, regardless of need, are limited by donated funds and are awarded on a first-come, first-served basis.

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ELIGIBILITY

- Applicant must be a resident of the City of Palmdale and must submit proof; address must match submitted verification documents.

- Request must be for a youth, age 17 years or younger, in their immediate family.

- Scholarship is awarded based on one per child, per immediate family.

- Must not have been awarded a recreational scholarship during the summer season.

- In order to be eligible for a scholarship, a customer’s account must be in good standing. Applications for suspended or accounts with balance due will not be eligible until the balance is paid in full.

- Scholarships are based on annual income and applicant must provide a copy of one of the following programs: Reduced or free lunch program, CalWORKS, AFDC, SSI, food stamps, TANF, Medicaid, foster or institutionalized child. Verification forms must show child-specific information in order to qualify.
ELIGIBLE PROGRAMS

Adaptive Swim Lessons

Parent/Child Lessons (6 mos–3 yrs)

Preschool (3 yrs. – 5 yrs.)

Level 1

Level 2

Level 3

Level 4

Level 5

To read more about the different swim programs or to take a swim assessment, please visit: https://www.cityofpalmdaleca.gov/785/Swim-Lessons