



Presentation Request Information Form

Within Arms' Reach Presentation

The 2-hour Within Arms' Reach presentation will prepare parents, caregivers, childhood educators and supervisors for aquatic outings. You'll learn about current drowning trends, statistics, and different water safety tactics to keep the children in your care safe. The Within Arms' Reach program is aimed at providing childcare providers and parents with the tools to recognize what drowning looks like and the dangers in, on and around the water.



Water Smart® School Presentations

The Lifesaving Society provides elementary and high school Water Smart® presentations to teach children and youth how to be safe around water. We cover drowning facts, Within Arm's Reach, the importance of wearing a lifejacket or PFD, spotting unsafe swimming areas, and how to save someone who is drowning. Children and youth participate in hands-on activities. The classroom-based presentation is supplemented with resource and activity sheets. This 30- to 60-minute presentation is a great way to give valuable Water Smart® tips to children and youth before they head out for summer.

Water Smart® School Presentations

The Lifesaving Society – Manitoba Branch's Water Smart® Program for EAL Students caters to the learning needs of Newcomers and English as an Additional Language (EAL) learners.

The 45- or 60-minute presentation is a classroom education session on water safety, which includes a slideshow presentation with interactive elements. A certified Lifesaving Instructor or a knowledgeable individual with experience in water safety facilitates the session. The presentation was reviewed by Jenny Davin and Cynthia Stewart of the Government of Manitoba.

Participants learn:

- The definition of drowning and who is at risk.
- How to properly supervise children around the water
- The existence of Lifeguards and Beach Safety Officers and the role they play at pools and beaches.
- The meaning of the signs posted at Provincial Park beaches.
- Dangerous places and activities around the water
- Basic instruction in safe water rescues



EAL instructors are provided ahead of time with a copy of both the presentation and a list of vocabulary used in the presentation to prepare for their classes. Various Lifesaving Society Water Smart® publications are also provided to each group. Finally, lifejackets (PFDs) and various rescue aids are used during the presentations to facilitate student comprehension.



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Presentations are completed on an ongoing basis and can be fulfilled based on funding and human resources. Please complete and submit this form to the [Water Safety Coordinator](#).

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Please select the presentation you are requesting:

Place a check mark next to the presentation you are wishing to request.	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Within Arms' Reach Presentation
<input type="checkbox"/>	Water Smart® School Presentations
<input type="checkbox"/>	Water Smart® EAL Presentations

Organization Information:

Please complete this below section to the best of your ability.	
Organization Name	
Organization's Address	
Contact Person Name	
Phone Number(s)	
Email	
Presentation Address(es)	

Please provide parking details. I.e., street parking, paid parking, visitor parking, etc.

Please let us know what classroom size, equipment and resources will be available.

Item	Description & more details
PowerPoint Equipment	
Translator(s)	
Room for activity/movement	
Seating for all participants	
Other	

Preferred date(s):

Please submit a few options that work with your organization	

Please fill in the below information about the class:

Presentation Time(s)	Class Size	Age Range	CLB (if applicable)

Notes:
