



Registration for ***Sensory Supported Swimming*** Spring II Session is now open. Lessons are offered **Tuesday and Thursday mornings** at Kirmayer Fitness Center (at the University of Kansas Medical Center) from **June 4th-27th (Summer I) and July 2nd-July 30th (Summer II-no lesson July 4th)**. Three time slots are available: 9:00-9:30am, 9:40-10:10am, and 10:15-10:45am. Swimmers are enrolled on a first-come, first-serve basis until lessons are filled. The registration form offers complete information for getting your child registered.

Sensory Supported Swimming is a learn-to-swim program specifically for children, ages 4 to 17, with autism spectrum disorders (ASD). The children learn from swim instructors and licensed therapists who have experience working with children with ASD. Therapists evaluate children's sensory preferences and work with swim instructors to provide sensory supports to facilitate children's success with swimming. Children work independently with instructors or in small groups depending on their needs. Our goal is to help children learn the skills they need to swim in their community programs and/or local swim teams. As children progress, therapists will work with families to transition children to community programs.

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