

FAQS

When does Fall Swim America registration open for the 2025-26 school year?

Registration for Fall Swim America for the 2025-26 school year opens on **Saturday, August 2nd**.

Priority registration for current swimmers and those who dropped after December 31st begins at **9:00 AM**. General public registration opens at **10:00 AM**. It's highly recommended to register early, especially for priority access, as spots fill up quickly, often selling out by 10:30 or 11:00 AM.

What is the lesson format and cost for Fall Swim America?

Fall Swim America is returning to its classic format, requiring **two 30-minute sessions per week**. The monthly fee is **\$75**, which covers both weekly sessions, totaling 8 lessons per month. This year, there is a new **\$25 one-time, non-refundable registration fee** per student. Once registered, your child's spot will automatically roll over each month, meaning you don't need to re-register monthly, and billing is automatic. The program runs year-round from September 2025 to July 2026, with a break in January and February where no swimming occurs, but your spot is retained.

What are the available session times for Fall Swim America?

The available session times are:

- **Wednesday Evenings:** 5:30 PM, 6:00 PM, 6:30 PM, and 7:00 PM
- **Saturday Mornings:** 10:00 AM, 10:30 AM, 11:00 AM, and 11:30 AM

When registering, you will choose two sessions from this list. You can pick both sessions on Wednesday, both on Saturday, or one on each day.

Is there a new registration fee for Fall Swim America, and why?

Yes, new for this year is a **\$25 one-time, non-refundable registration fee** per student. This fee was introduced to help keep the monthly lesson price steady at \$75 despite rising operational costs.

What is the priority registration policy for Fall Swim America?

Priority registration is available to **current swimmers and families who had a child swim with Lafayette Swim America sometime between January and July of the current year (leading up to August 2nd registration)**. These families will receive an email by July 20th confirming their spot on the priority list. Priority registration opens at 9:00 AM on August 2nd, one hour before public registration. It is crucial for these families to register during this window as spots are limited and fill up very quickly.

How does the skill-based teaching model work at Lafayette Swim America?

Lafayette Swim America utilizes a **skill-based instruction model** for children ages 3-15. This means that all skill levels are in the pool at the same time, but participants are grouped based on the specific skills they are learning. For example, some children might be at one end learning to go underwater,



while others are at the other end mastering flip turns and butterfly strokes. As soon as a child masters the skills at their current level, they immediately advance to the next level, providing instant gratification and continuous progression.

What is the cancellation policy for Fall Swim America?

There is **no long-term contract** for Fall Swim America. You can cancel your child's spot at any time by providing **7 days' notice**. If you miss a month without formally canceling or paying, you will lose your spot. There are no make-up sessions unless the pool must close for unforeseen reasons.

Are adult swimming lessons available, and what are the details?

Yes, **adult swim lessons** are available at Lafayette Swim America. They are held on **Wednesdays from 7:45 PM to 8:30 PM**. The price is **\$75 per month**, which includes 4 lessons per month. Adult lessons aim to improve cardiovascular fitness, strengthen muscles, enhance flexibility, and provide life-saving skills, offering both physical and confidence benefits.