Gisborne Intermediate School
Te Paekura

WATER SAFETY AND COMPETENCE

Where swimming or water is involved as part of an EOTC (Education Outside of the Classroom) activity, the school needs to have a clear understanding of your child's water safety and swimming ability. In addition to the information you give us, the school will complete an assessment on each child. You will also be required to give consent for each water based activity that your child is involved in.

Our goal is to ensure every student can safely participate in water-based activities. Thank you for completing this part of your child's enrolment.

Please tick what level describes your child.

HIGH **Must meet all of the below standards to be this level.**	
- Very confident in deep water - Club swimmer or can swim non-stop for 200 meters or more	☐
MEDIUM **Must meet all of the below standards to be at this level**	
- Can float on their back for 2 minutes or more - Can tread water for 2 minutes or more - Can swim 25-50 metres - Regularly participates in recreational activities in, on and around the water	☐
LOW	
- Doesn't like swimming or being in the water - Can't swim 25 metres - Can't float in deep water - Often goes to the side of the pool or shallow areas	☐

Parent/Caregiver Signature	Date
Full Name of Parent/Caregiver	