Spot the Pool Dangers

OGDEN OTTERS | ANSWER SHEET



1. **Running on the wet tiles**
   Walk on the poolside. Wet tiles are slippery, and running is how people fall.
2. **Pushing somebody**
   Keep your hands to yourself. Never push anyone near water · they can't see it coming and they can't stop.
3. **Getting ready to dive in the shallow end**
   Don't dive here. Look for the signs, and get in the way your teacher showed you.
4. **Splashing someone in the face**
   Keep the play gentle. A face full of water is frightening, and a frightened swimmer breathes it in.
5. **Pulling on the lane rope**
   Leave the lane ropes alone. If you need a rest, hold on to the pool wall.
6. **Eating at the water's edge**
   Eat where you're meant to. Food by the pool is a choking risk, and the crumbs end up in the water.
7. **A bottle left on the walkway**
   Put drinks where they're meant to go, so nobody trips over them.
8. **Kit left where people walk**
   Put kickboards and flip-flops away. Keep the walkways clear.
9. **The wet patch by Oggy's feet**
   Water on the floor is slippery even when nobody is running. Walk, and tell somebody if a puddle needs mopping up.

Talk about it

What could happen? What should each person do instead?

Always follow your pool's rules, and listen to the lifeguard and your swimming teacher.