

# Kids Don't Float

## Lesson One Quiz

Please circle the best answer

1. Why should everyone wear a life jacket when in an open boat or on an open deck?
  - a. they are Coast Guard approved
  - b. they keep your head above water if you fall in
  - c. they keep you from falling overboard
  - d. it is the law
2. What is an example of a risky behavior when boating?
  - a. water skiing
  - b. fishing
  - c. wearing your life jacket
  - d. standing up while the boat is moving
3. The manufacturer's label on a life jacket provides what kind of information?
  - a. the price and where it was purchased
  - b. how well it will float the person that wears it
  - c. who the jacket belongs to
  - d. the types of activities it is approved for
4. What is the best life jacket?
  - a. the one that fits
  - b. the newest one
  - c. an inflatable
  - d. a Type III
5. What does "serviceable condition" mean as it relates to life jackets?
  - a. that the expiration date has not passed
  - b. it is free of serious damage and all buckles work
  - c. it has plenty of pockets
  - d. that it is Coast Guard approved

6. Alaska law requires that a person under what age must wear a Coast Guard approved life jacket when in an open boat or on an open deck?
  - a. 11
  - b. 12
  - c. 13
  - d. 14
7. What is one way to prevent falling into cold water?
  - a. wearing a life jacket
  - b. being able to swim
  - c. wearing warm clothing and eating a good meal
  - d. practicing safe behaviors while boating
8. What is one way cold water immersion can kill?
  - a. frostbite
  - b. gasp reflex
  - c. broken bones
  - d. impaled objects
9. What is one way a life jacket can help when experiencing cold water immersion?
  - a. keeps your head above the water
  - b. keeps you comfortable
  - c. stops heat loss
  - d. keeps you dry
10. What is an example of a safe behavior when boating?
  - a. reaching overboard for an object
  - b. riding on the bow of the boat
  - c. seating everyone on the same side
  - d. sitting and keeping the boat balanced



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