

Marquette Swimming and Diving Mission Statement

The philosophy of Boys and Girls Swimming and Diving is to prepare young men and women for the future, as well as enjoy their time in high school, through the development of qualities that will help them to be successful in the pool and in life.



Hard work – Athletes in our program will understand what hard work is, and how it directly relates to their success in and out of the pool.

Success is Earned – Regardless of ability entering the program, all athletes will have the opportunity to improve through hard work and quality instruction. However, success will not be given, it has to be earned through tireless hard work, attention to detail, and consistency.

Teamwork – While each athlete will have individual goals, they will have a role on the team, and be expected to not only fulfill their role, but to help their teammates fulfill theirs. Through teamwork, each athlete's individual goals can better be accomplished.

Responsibility – Each athlete has responsibilities both in, and out of the pool. Our program will reinforce balance, time management, and living up to both educational and athletic expectations.

Respect – Having a wide range of abilities on our teams and our opponents' teams, our athletes will demonstrate a respect for each other, opponents, officials, and coaches. They will also have respect for themselves as demonstrated by how they carry themselves both in, and out of the pool.

Leadership – Athletes will have multiple opportunities to develop positive leadership attributes through the various groupings (grade levels, lanes, relays) that occur throughout the season. Learning how to lead will help our team succeed, as well as develop leadership qualities that can be used out of the pool.

Coaching – Each coach in the Marquette program will demonstrate their passion for the sport, as well as an unending desire to improve and be innovative in their coaching, in order to reach every athlete.