Please be aware of the following junior preliminary skills evaluation are effective from 1st June 2023 **For further information regarding the skills please refer** <u>www.lsv.com.au/nippers</u>

Assessors must be ONE of the following for a minimum of 3 years in order to be able to assess:

- Age Manager Mentor with a minimum of 3 years' experience
- Age Manager with a minimum of 2 years' experience
- LSV accredited core, technical, senior or performance officials with a minimum of 3 years' experience
- Be proficient in SRC (at minimum) or hold a bronze medallion for a minimum of 3 years, and with a minimum age of 18 years.

Please Note:

In instances where evaluations cannot be completed within the club, a **qualified and currently accredited** swim coach **can be endorsed** to sign off the preliminary skills pool assessment.

Swimming coaches can assess and are required to provide their **current** Australian Swimming Teachers and Coaches Associate **(ASTCA) number**, their name and email address and the name of the children who have successfully completed the swim.

Requirements of the assessor's responsibilities:

- Be familiar with the process of reasonable adjustment.
- Complete relevant paperwork accurately and return in a timely manner.
- Delegate names must be minuted at a club management team meeting as required.

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Once completed please return to name: _____

Contact _

Child's Name	From (Club Name)		Has completed assessment for relevant age .	
Name of Assessor:Qualification:				
Email:	Signature:		Date:	
Stage 2: Applied Aquatic Skills U9, U10 & U11				
Age Group	Propulsion Requirement	Floatation Requirement	Submersion Requirement	Competency Achieved
Under 9 (1/10/2014 – 30/09/2015) Depth of safe aquatic environment – over participant head height	Swimming on front for 25 metres followed by survival stroke(s) breaststroke and/or sidestroke and/or back sculling for minimum 10 metres.	Front to back float or back to front float – 5 seconds each side.Tread water and/or sculling for minimum 1 minute.	Submerge to touch the sand/pool at the bottom of the water with hands.	
Under 10 (1/10/2013 – 30/09/2014) Depth of safe aquatic environment – over participant head height	Swim on front through water any stroke for 25 metres followed by survival stroke(s) breaststroke and/or sidestroke and/or back sculling for minimum 25 metres.	Front to back float or back to front float – 5 seconds each side. Tread water and/or sculling for minimum 1 minute.	Submerge to touch the sand/pool at the bottom of the water with hands.	
Under 11 (1/10/2012 – 30/09/2013) Depth of safe aquatic environment – over participant head height	Swim on front through water any stroke for 25 metres followed by survival stroke(s) breaststroke and/or sidestroke and/or back sculling for minimum 50 metres.	Front to back float or back to front float – 5 seconds each side. Tread water and/or sculling for minimum 2 minutes.	Submerge to perform forward or backward roll/somersault underwater, recover to surface, submerge to touch the sand/pool at the bottom of the water.	