

The Weekend - Swim faster! (C0061)

A: This is such a beautiful day! Great for sailing!

B: It sure is! The water looks so nice! Anchor the boat for a little while. I'm going to take a dip.

A: Why are you doggy-paddling? I taught you how to swim! Do your breast stroke!

B: I get too tired! I'll just backstroke, it's easier!

A: Try kicking your legs more. That's good. Don't go out too far!

B: It's Jump in!

A: Kathy! Get back here! I see a shark!

B: Ahhhh!!!! Help me! Help! Bring the boat closer!
The shark is coming straight towards me!

A: It's right under you! Kathy!!!!

Key Vocabulary

sail	<i>verb</i>	travel in a boat that is powered by wind
for a little while	<i>phrase</i>	for a short amount of time
a dip	<i>phrase</i>	a swim
doggy-paddle	<i>verb</i>	swim like a dog
breast stroke	<i>common noun, non-variable</i>	way of swimming where the person moves the arms and legs in a half-circle in front of them; like a frog
backstroke	<i>verb</i>	swim on your back with arms moving up and down in a circle

straight to- *phrase* directly in the direction
wards of something

Supplementary Vocabulary

swim suit *common* clothes you wear when
noun, sin- you go swimming
gular (AmE)

swimming *common* clothes you wear when
costume *noun, sin-* you go swimming (BrE)
gular

towel *common* piece of soft cloth you
noun, sin- use to dry yourself after
gular swimming or bathing

tan *verb* lie in the sun and try
to make your skin more
brown

dive *verb* jump into the water
with your head first

