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# What's the Warning? (P-Y3)

# Lesson: What's the Warning? (P-Y3)

Age Group (Grades): P-3

Lesson duration: Approx. 10 minutes

**Aim:** Students recognise the different types of signs and what they mean, and are able to determine whether an area is safe for different activities.

#### **Notes**

By the end of the activity, the students will understand the different types of warning signs that may indicate dangerous situations. Supported by discussion with the presenter, students should become confident when they can play safe, and when they should stay away.

### Instructions

- 1. The presenter will establish a scenario with the students and progressively add warning signs and additional factors that may make the situation more, or less safe. This may include:
  - a. No Swimming
  - b. Swimming allowed
  - c. Deep Water
  - d. No access
  - e. Weather alerts
- 2. As the presenter displays a danger/warning sign, they will ask the students whether this is a safe scenario to be in. The students will vote yes or no, and the presenter will ask why it is unsafe, and how the warning sign conveys this.
- 3. Once all the warning signs have been displayed, the presenter will ask the students on what features are common between danger warning signs, and what features are common between cautionary warning signs.

# Resources

- Projector
- Voting paddles (optional)
- Warning signs print outs

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