Here are some pictures of things that could happen to you around water. Draw a line from each problem to the self-help picture that shows how to solve the problem. Then color the pictures.
Find a Float

Look at each drawing and put a check mark next to it if you think it will float and an X if you think it will sink.

- Apple
- Feather
- Bottle
- Giraffe
- Buoy
- Leaf

Write about why you think some objects float and some sink.
Find the hidden words listed below. They describe things that could cause even good swimmers to panic if they do not think first. The words can run across or down.

Word List
- aquatic life
- exhaustion
- rip current
- sudden immersion
- cold water
- leg cramp
- river current
- water weeds
Read each clue. Then enter the word in the correct spaces on the crossword puzzle.

Across
1. This is what it is called when your entire body cools and is unable to keep warm.
4. Do not stay in the water if you feel cold or you start doing this.
5. Always check the warning flags before swimming here.
6. If you are wearing a life jacket and you fall into cold water, get into this position.
8. To prevent this, take frequent rests out of the water.

Down
1. If you end up in cold water and other people are with you, then you can get into this position.
2. If you are caught in this, float downstream feetfirst on your back (two words).
3. If this happens, relax, bend over and massage the muscle (two words).
4. You move this way if caught in water weeds.
7. You can help prevent choking if you do not eat or chew this while swimming.