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# In The Swim

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Douglas Florian



### **Synopsis**

Grab your snorkel and splash along with outrageous underwater creatures lin the swim. Children will delight in the playful, witty language of twenty-one lively poems while they learn about their ocean and freshwater friends.

#### **Book Information**

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Age Range: 6 - 9 years

Grade Level: 1 - 4

#### **Customer Reviews**

Playful and creative poems that are at least as fun for an adult to read as a child to hear. A couple of the poems don't really have that much information about the fish (which is a bit disappointing), but all of the poems are absolutely delightful. We bought this book for home, but it would work wonderfully in an elementary classroom for reading or science. I plan to buy more of the author's books!

Douglass Florian writes children's poetry and creates artworks to go with it. You may know some of his other works - mammalabila and insectopedia. in the swim continues his look at animals. His poetry is short and fun and the artwork is very beautiful to look at. As a teacher, I recommend his books for a poetry unit and a unit studying animals.

I use this book to help teach poetry to my first graders. You can find a great lesson using this book

on the Read Works website. My students love the poems and so do I!

This book of poems is sweet.

#### Great art work!

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