



Don't Just Pack It

Name: _____

Read each scenario below and think about if you agree or disagree with the decision. Write why you agree or disagree.

1. After boating all morning, Jim and Elaine decide to put the anchor down. They see an island that is a short distance away. They decide to swim over to explore. They leave their life jackets on the boat.

2. Kaitlyn and Ashley are kayaking on a river with their scout troop. They both have life jackets in the kayak, but they are not wearing them. Both are very strong kayakers and very good swimmers.

3. Jesse and Mark want to fish from the end of the dock. The water is deep—over the boys' heads, but there are more fish there than at the shoreline. Neither boy can swim very well. They agree that they won't go in the water; they will just fish from the dock. They leave their life jackets at the shoreline.
