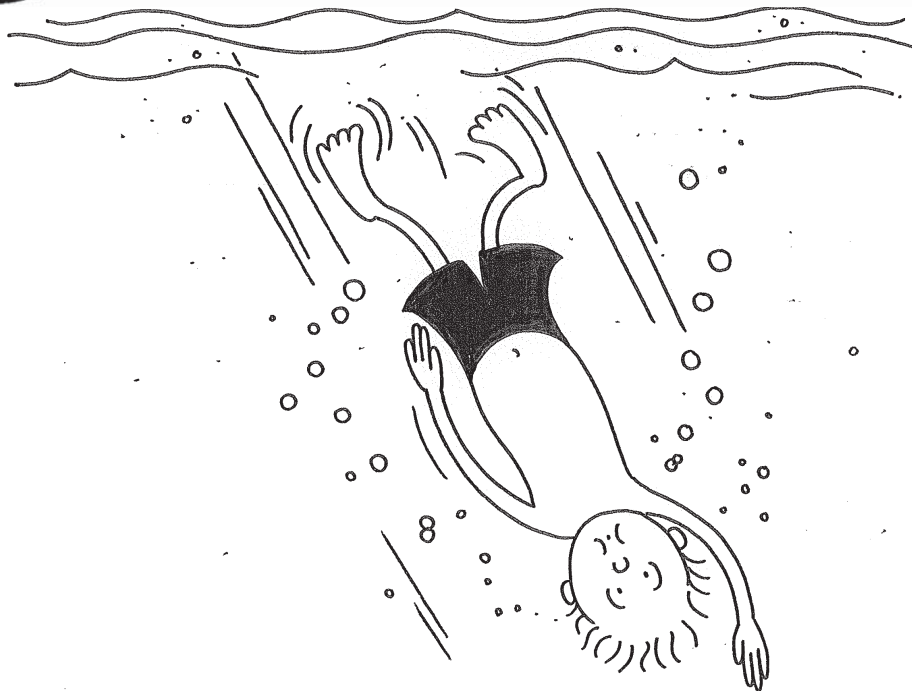


DIARY OF A

# SUPER SWIMMER



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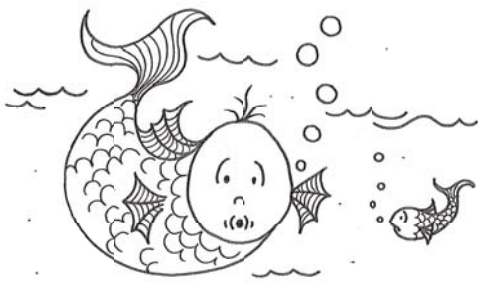
# MY SWIMMING DIARY

Dad wants me to swim.

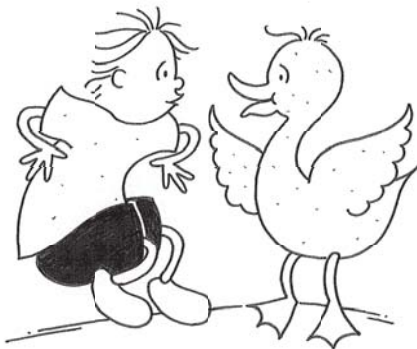
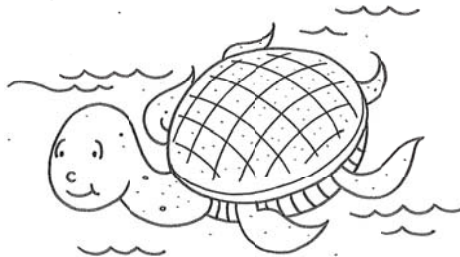
Dad wants me to SWIM!

DAD WANTS ME TO SWIM!!!

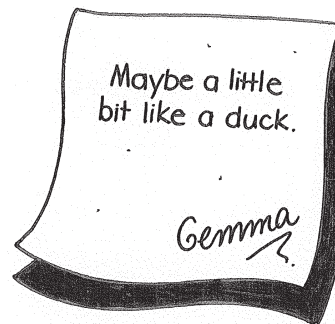
Do I look like a fish?



Or a turtle?



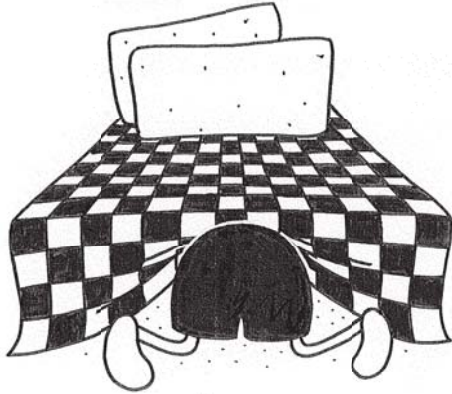
Or a duck?



That's not funny, Gemma.

My sister Gemma likes to write notes  
in my diaries.

I've tried to hide the diaries.

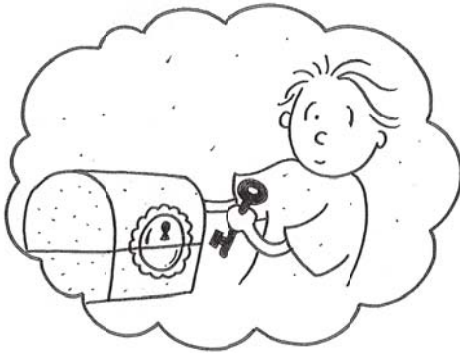


But she always finds them.

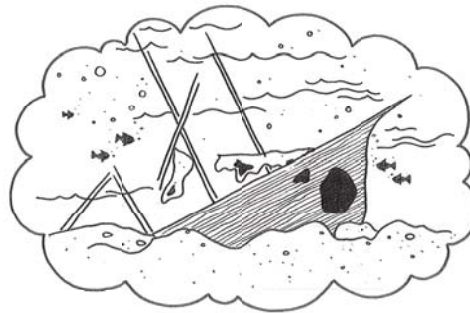


Mind you, I've thought of a really good spot to hide my diary this time. Gemma will never find it.

I'll wrap it in plastic ...



and lock it in a treasure chest ...



find a shipwreck ...



and hide it there ...  
\* deep under the sea!

NOT!!!!

That's where I'd  
hide my diary if  
I could swim ...







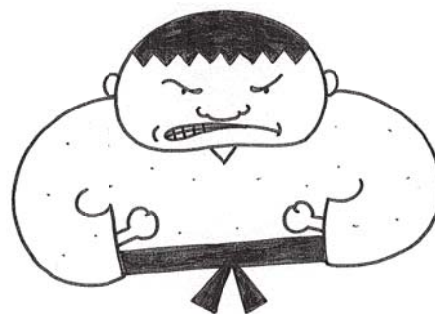
I'll love swimming exactly as much as I love ...

spinach for dinner ...



homework ...

or Hulk.



NOT AT ALL!!!