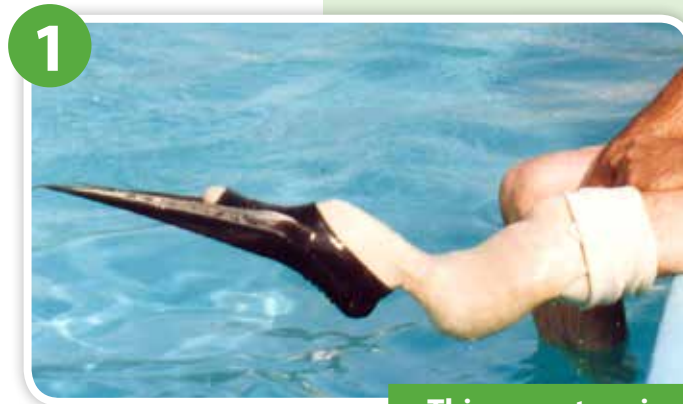




## Custom Swim Fins for Leg Amputees

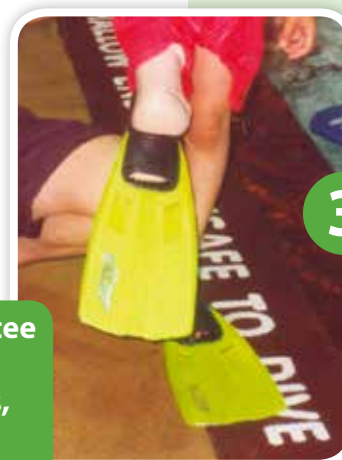
**F**ins shown in 1, 2 and 3 have the fin positioned just below, or at, the knee and thus closer to the amputee's body, making it easier and less fatiguing to control the fin in the water. Keeping the prosthesis shorter, rather than full length, means less weight and bulk for the residual limb to kick in the water.



This amputee simply puts the custom below-knee swim fin socket on at the edge of the pool.



This amputee quickly removes a walking prosthesis, which has a special custom inner socket onto which a fin can then be slipped.



This knee disarticulation amputee has a custom socket with the swim fin built into it. The fin is, therefore, at the knee level.

**This below-knee amputee has a special socket which he can walk about on too, and when he's ready for the water, he just slips the fin onto the socket.**

