



**The Coastal Skipper Practical (Yacht) Course** is not a course for a beginner; this course is an ideal bridge between Day Skipper course and the full RYA/MCA Yachtmaster Coastal examination course.

#### **Who is this Course for?**

The course is designed to give an experienced RYA Day Skipper the confidence to undertake longer and more complex passages which may involve sailing at night or involve watch keeping systems. The suggested minimum pre-course experience: 15 days sea time (2 days as skipper), 300 miles and 8 hrs night. (Minimum age 17)

#### **What the course includes**

Skippering a yacht on coastal and offshore passages demands strong navigation, seamanship and leadership skills.

- 🍷 Boat handling under sail and power including emergency situations
- 🍷 4 hours night sailing
- 🍷 Other topics covered include: navigation (both offshore and in limited visibility), weather forecasting, passage planning, watch keeping, preparation for sea and handling in heavy weather.

#### **Course Duration**

- 🍷 5 days onboard a yacht

#### **Upon Completion of the Course**

- 🍷 Able to skipper coastal passages safely and confidently.
- 🍷 Successful candidates will be awarded the RYA Coastal Skipper practical course completion certificate

#### **Flexible Dates and Venues**

- 🍷 Tell us the most suitable dates for you
- 🍷 You choose the sailing area (UK or overseas) and we will arrange the yacht

#### **What's included**

- 🍷 Experienced & RYA qualified Offshore Instructor
- 🍷 Max number of students on board 5
- 🍷 Relaxed instruction at an approved RYA Training Centre
- 🍷 All moorings and berthing fees
- 🍷 All food eaten on board
- 🍷 Yacht fuel
- 🍷 End of Course certification fee

#### **Prices on application**

[Contact us](#) (see email address below)

**Prices are variable dependent on venue and what is included.**

**Exclusive use of yachts can be an option**

**Groups may be a mixture of Competent Crew and Skipper students**

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