

## RYA Day Skipper

Become a skilled yacht skipper in familiar waters by day and enjoy a little holiday at the same time.

Course for aspiring skippers who already have some yachting experience, know the basics of navigation and have sailing ability.

During the course you will be asked to skipper the yacht on short passages. The instructor will be on hand to give advice and encouragement and to ensure that your destination is reached safely.

The essential element is that you experience being in charge and take the right decisions. This level also allows you to request through the RYA an International Certificate of Competence (ICC).



### Course Content

Navigation, pilotage, seamanship, safety onboard, boat handling, skippering and watch organisation

**:: Duration**

5 Days ( Monday morning to Friday afternoon) or  
5 Days split ( 1 weekend plus a 3 day long weekend )

**:: Format**

Afloat Course (residential 4 nights)

**:: Assumed Knowledge**

5 days, 100 miles logged, 4 night hours, navigation theory to  
Day Skipper Shorebased standard and basic sailing ability

**:: Minimum Age**

16 years old

**:: Possible Combination Courses**

RYA Day Skipper Shorebased, RYA VHF-  
SRC, RYA First Aid