

NIGHT DIVER COURSE REQUIREMENTS

Prerequisites:

- Minimum age 12 years
- Certified as a (Junior) Open Water Scuba Diver

Performance Requirements:

Successfully complete the Knowledge Development module

Three dives demonstrating:

- Execution of descent using a line or sloping bottom as reference
- Communication using hand signals and lights
- Demonstration of proper use of a personal dive light, a submersible pressure gauge, compass, timing device and depth gauge at night
- Navigation to a predetermined location using a compass/natural features and return to within 8 m./25 ft. of the starting point, surfacing for orientation only if necessary
- Demonstration of proper buddy procedures
- Demonstration of compass use returning to shore or boat underwater with at least 35 bar/500 psi remaining in your tank
- Identification of nocturnal aquatic life discussed during the classroom portion of the course
- Execution of a free descent using line or sloping bottom
- Remaining stationary on the bottom for three minutes with no lights on
- Performance of a safe ascent using a line or sloping bottom