

INTERMEDIATE CRUISING INSTRUCTOR STANDARD

It is envisioned that this Standard be implemented in one 8 hour ashore session and a minimum of one continuous 48 hour period afloat.

Prerequisites

The candidate must:

1. Be age 19 or older;
2. Be currently registered as a CYA Basic Cruising Instructor;
3. Have at least one season and a minimum of 150 hours logged as a CYA Basic Cruising Instructor;
3. Have the CYA Advanced Student Standard;
4. Have logged cruising time of 17 days as a skipper, minimum 3 days at a time;
5. Demonstrate characteristics and motivations worthy of being at CYA LTC/P Instructor;
6. Demonstrate a willingness to support the goals of the CYA LTC/P program.

Ashore Knowledge

The candidate must:

1. Achieve a mark of 90% on the *CYA Intermediate Cruising* examination;
2. Achieve a mark of 90% on the *CYA Coastal Navigation* examination;
3. Achieve a mark of 90% on the *CYA Colregs and Buoyage Exam* based on Rules 1 through 37, 40 and 45 of the Collision Regulations (Colregs), and the Canadian Buoyage System;
4. Achieve a mark of 90% on all *CYA Intermediate Cruising Working Papers* as supplied in the Intermediate Cruising Instructor Candidate Workbook. These are open-book and completed at home before the clinic.

Ashore Skills

The candidate will be evaluated on ability to plan, teach, coach and evaluate a selection of performance objectives from the Ashore Knowledge section of the CYA Intermediate Cruising Standard.

Afloat Skills

The candidate:

1. Will be evaluated on ability to plan, teach, coach and evaluate a selection of performance objectives from the Afloat Skills of the CYA Intermediate Cruising Standard;
2. Will be evaluated on ability to handle simulated emergency situations, specifically: steering failure, engine failure in crowded harbor, taking another vessel in tow, fire fighting, galley emergencies;
3. Will be evaluated on ability to assume total command of the vessel and its crew;
4. Will provide a course curriculum and lesson plans for a program leading to the CYA Intermediate Cruising Standard;
5. Must demonstrate personal traits so as to be worthy of respect as a CYA Instructor specifically while living aboard a vessel.

Certification Power

Intermediate Crew Standard and Intermediate Cruising Standard.

Instructors/IEs must register annually prior to teaching or awarding CYA certifications.

An Instructor/IE Candidate should possess all prerequisites prior to enrolling in a clinic, and must complete all the requirements for certification within four months of the last day of the IDP in which the Instructor Candidate participated.

Recertification is required for all instructor/IE levels within 36 months of the first calendar yearend following the last day of an initial certification, recertification or IDP as authorized by the CYA LTC/P Committee.

Recertification is by application to the CYA as per Training Division Policy Manual or by attending an IDP to renew or upgrade Instructor/IE qualifications.