



# PADI Divemaster Course

## OVERVIEW

Begin your dive career and take the first step by becoming PADI Divemaster. You are eligible to start your PADI Divemaster training after you complete the PADI Rescue diver course. Working closely with a PADI Instructor, you'll expand your dive knowledge and hone your skills to the professional level. The most fulfilling part of the course is learning to supervise dive activities while assisting with diver training.

Divers look to you for leadership, your confidence grows with every breath.

PADI Divemasters are qualified to supervise and assist with both training and non dive training activities. Dive centres and resorts around the world employ PADI Divemasters to assist with dive classes and guide underwater tours. PADI Divemasters may conduct the PADI Discover Local Diving experience and Scuba Review program for certified divers. They may also conduct the PADI Discover Snorkelling and Skin Diver course.

## COURSE PREREQUISITES

- 18 years old or over
- PADI Advanced Open Water Diver or qualifying certification from another training organisation
- PADI Rescue Diver Certification or qualifying certification from another training organisation
- Have proof of EFR Primary and Secondary Care or equivalent CPR and first aid training valid within 24 months of course commencement
- Have medical clearance signed by a physician, valid within 12 months prior to start of course
- Have 40 logged dives to start, 60 for certification
- Prior to Divemaster Certification you will need to hold Current Senior First Aid and CPR qualifications

Note: Upon certification, Divemasters seeking employment will also need to hold an appropriate Oxygen qualification and First Aid at Work certification.

## COURSE DETAILS

### Part 1 - Theory

- Course Orientation
- The Role and Characteristics of a PADI Divemaster
- Supervising Dive Activities for Certified Divers
- Assisting with Student Divers in Training
- Dive Safety and Risk Management
- Divemaster Conducted Programs
- Specialized Skills and Activities
- Business of Diving and Your career
- Awareness of the Dive Environment
- Dive Theory Review

### Part 2- Water skills and Stamina

- 24 Diver skills
- 400m Swim
- 15 min tread water
- 800m mask, snorkel and fin swim
- 100m Diver tow
- Equipment Exchange
- Rescue assessment

**Part 3- Practical Training**

- Dive site set up and management
- Mapping Project
- Dive Briefing
- Search and Recovery Scenario
- Deep Dive Scenario

**Part 4- Workshops**

- Scuba Review in Confined Water
- Skin diver and Snorkelling Supervision
- Discover Scuba Diving in Confined Water
- Discover Scuba Diving in Open Water
- Discover Local Diving in Open Water

**Part 5- Practical Assessment**

- Open Water Diver Students in Confined Water
- Open Water Diver Students in Open Water
- Continuing Education Student Divers in Open Water
- Certified Divers in Open water

**COURSE COST**

\$1295 including GST

Course costs include:

- All required PADI Materials
- Training by a Dive World PADI Instructor
- Counselling and career advice
- Tanks, and weights for course assessments
- Use of other texts during the course

Not included:

- Dive equipment (other than tanks and weights)
- Pool and dive costs

**WHAT YOU WILL NEED TO BRING**

You will be required to have the following prior to commencing the course. If you do not have any of these items please speak to the Dive World Academy Manager.

- Log book
- Pocket mask
- eRDPml
- Instructor guides for Discover Scuba Diving, Discover Snorkelling/Skin Diver Course, Scuba Review/Discover Local Diving (available from the internet) or better still the PADI instructor manual
- Full set of scuba/snorkelling equipment and exposure protection for 19°C (Winter) to 25°C (Summer) (some or all the equipment may be hired at Dive World).

**CONTACT US TO GET STARTED**

Contact a Dive World Diving Professional today to get started!

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Book online: [www.diveworld.com.au](http://www.diveworld.com.au)

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### **STUDENT DISCOUNT**

Dive World offers the lowest prices on diving equipment across Australia all day, every day. But as a student at Dive World, we give you even more! Speak with one of our Dive Professionals today about the gear that would be best suited for you, and remember to ask for your **Dive World Student Discount!**

### **CANCELLATION AND POSTPONEMENTS**

- 7-day's notice required by student to cancel or postpone secured course dates – including for medical reasons
- Failure to provide 7-day's notice will result in a cancellation fee of up to 100%, depending on Dive World's ability to fill the place and any other reasonable costs associated with the cancellation/postponement.