

Chapman School of Seamanship offers the **STCW Standards for Training, Certification & Watch-keeping Endorsements** described below which enable mariners to move from deck hand to deck officer.

**BT - Basic Training**

This **5 day course** covers the four modules required for Coast Guard approved endorsement. These modules include Personal Safety/Social Responsibilities, Personal Survival Techniques, Elementary First Aid and Basic Marine Firefighting.

**Firefighting will be held at Port Canaveral Maritime Academy.**

**2022/2023 Class Schedule**

Class#	Start	End
08-22	08/01	08/05
10-22	10/03	10/07
01-23	01/09	01/13
03-23	03/14	03/18
08-23	08/07	08/11
10-23	10/02	10/06

Class runs 9:30 am to 5:30 pm Monday then 8:00 am to 5:00 pm Tuesday through Friday.

**BT - Basic Training Renewal**

This **3 day renewal course** will satisfy those requirements set forth by the USCG.

**2022 Class Schedule**

Please contact Registrar.

**Advanced Firefighting**

This **5 day course** consists of classroom lectures, instructor demonstrations and hands-on training for subjects related to ship-board firefighting.

**Advanced Firefighting (cont'd)**

Students will learn:

- Fire chemistry classification
- Prevention
- Use of portable extinguishers, breathing apparatus, protective clothing and foam application
- Confined space, open deck and multilevel firefighting
- Effects on ship stability
- Team training
- ICS
- Shore-based fire fighting coordination
- Dealing with hazardous materials

Students spend a good part of their time fighting basic and complex live fires on board a land based vessel. This course meets STCW-95 requirements for both lower and upper level licenses.

**Special Equipment:**

Long pants, short sleeve shirt, socks, small dish towel, shower towel, and knee pads for individuals with sensitive knees.

**2022 Class Schedule**

Please contact Registrar.

**MSA - Maritime Security Awareness**

Provides knowledge for crew members working at port facilities & on vessels. Includes the meaning & requirements for the different security levels; emergency procedures & contingency plans; recognition & detection of weapons, dangerous substances and devices; non-discriminatory recognition of the characteristics & behavioral patterns of persons likely to threaten security; and the techniques used to circumvent security measures.

**2022 Class Schedule**

Please contact Registrar.

Chapman School also offers the following FCC certification course.

**MROP - Marine Radio Operators Permit**

This **1 day course** confers the authority to operate licensed radio stations in the aviation, marine and international fixed Public Radio Services. This 4 hour preparation course also includes 1 hour FCC Exam & License Application.

**2022/2023 Class Schedule**

Class #	Date
*06-22	06/15
07-22	07/14
08-22	08/18
09-22	09/15
*10-22	10/12
11-22	11/10
12-22	12/08
01-23	01/12
02-23	02/09
*03-23	03/15
04-23	04/06
05-23	05/04
*06-23	06/14
07-23	07/13
08-23	08/17
09-23	09/14
*10-23	10/18
11-23	11/09
12-23	12/07

**Evenings - 5:00 pm - 9:00 pm**  
or

\***Evenings - 5:30 pm - 9:30 pm**

**ADMISSION**

The successful student must have solid English and math skills. In addition, the student must be 18 years of age, (have basic swimming skills for BT) and be in good health. Students must submit a signed Registration Form and have an official photo ID on the first day of class.

## TUITION & FEES

- Unless listed otherwise, the non-refundable tuition deposit is due with the Registration Form.
- The tuition balance is due 10 days prior to the start of class.
- For some courses the entire fee is due with Registration Form and is non-refundable.
- All major credit cards are accepted.
- If a credit card is used as the method of payment, a convenience fee of 3.0% of the total amount charged will apply for all transactions.

### BST

Non-refundable deposit. . \$350  
Tuition balance. . . . . \$525  
Tuition total. . . . . \$875

### BST Renewal

Non-refundable deposit. . \$250  
Tuition balance. . . . . \$395  
Tuition total. . . . . \$645

### Advanced Firefighting

Non-refundable deposit. . \$425  
Non-refundable balance. . \$450  
Tuition total . . . . . \$875

### MROP

Non-refundable tuition.....\$215\*  
License training students...\$200\*  
\*Includes FCC Licensing Fee \$35.

### MSA

Tuition .....\$150

## Transfer/Refund Policy

- If Registration not accepted by the School, all payments will be fully refunded.
- Where notice is provided to School more than 3 business days before the start of class to transfer registration to a different class, a \$50.00 change fee will apply.
- Where notice is provided to School more than 3 business days before start of class to cancel registration, applicant will be obligated for the non-refundable tuition deposit.

## Transfer/Refund Policy (cont'd)

- Where notice is provided to School less than 3 business days before start of class to transfer or cancel registration; or if the applicant does not arrive for the scheduled class; or if the applicant withdraws from class once classes have begun, applicant may be obligated for the full amount of the tuition.
- If a credit card was used as the original method of payment, a convenience fee of 3.0% of the total amount refunded will apply for all transactions
- Applicable refunds are made within thirty (30) days.

## Student Housing

- Apartments have a bedroom, convertible living room/bedroom, kitchen, bathroom, and covered porch. Apartments are air-conditioned, furnished, and equipped with counter top range, refrigerator, and cooking utensils.
- Number of students per apartment is generally a maximum of two.
- Housing is offered on a space available basis.
- School is not responsible for loss of any personal property. Sorry, no pets.

## Housing Fees

Housing Fee.... \$70.00(per night)

- For a second or third person in a party add \$20 per night/per person
- Housing includes utilities.
- Housing fees are due 10 days prior to the start of class.

**For complete information on rules and forms, see USCG at [www.uscg.mil/nmc](http://www.uscg.mil/nmc)**

## Housing Refund

- If a student cancels prior to the start of class, housing fees will be refunded.
- Once a student moves into the facilities no housing fees will be refunded.
- If a credit card was used as the original method of payment, a convenience fee of 3.0% of the total amount refunded will apply for all transactions.
- In the event of damage to the accommodations, the student will be responsible for all costs required to repair the damaged school property.
- Applicable refunds are made within thirty (30) days.

## Travel Considerations

If travelling to the School from outside of Florida we strongly suggest you purchase refundable air fares or arrange for trip cancellation insurance.

*The School does not discriminate on the basis of age, sex, religion, race or ethnic origin in the administration of its policies & programs.*

Curriculum, fees, expenses and other matters described herein are subject to change without notice at the discretion of the Chapman School of Seamanship. Currently enrolled students who have paid in full will not be affected by any such changes unless they change the date of enrollment to a future class.



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