



Chapman Powerboat Certification

Your Passport to Boating Pleasure

CPC 1000 - Basic Power Boating

Total: 5 Days



Educational Objectives

CPC 1000 provides boaters with the knowledge and skills necessary to become safer, more confident and competent mariners. This course concentrates on the fundamentals of seamanship, navigation and boat handling skills essential to every boater and is the first step toward advanced CPC certification levels.

If you are new to boating, CPC 1000 is the ideal starting place. Whether you own a boat or simply want to become a competent “crew” member, Chapman School’s proven “Learn at the Helm” teaching method enables you to develop your skills and abilities quickly. Classroom elements are combined with hands-on, practical instruction while underway aboard a Chapman School training vessel.

If you already have “on the water” experience, CPC 1000 is a great way to expand your knowledge. In addition to improving existing abilities under the guidance of our very professional U.S.C.G. licensed instructors, your skill level will be officially certified by the internationally renowned Chapman School of Seamanship. Certification may also entitle you to discounts on your vessel insurance.

CPC 1000 is a prerequisite for the more advanced levels of Chapman Powerboat Certification.

Course Description:

Seamanship & Safety - 8 hours

Seamanship under power, boating laws and regulations, operating your boat safely, marlinspike and line handling.

Navigation - 6 hours

Aids to navigation, basic chart navigation and an introduction to plotting tools and dead reckoning.

Course Description (cont’d)

Introduction to Marine

Electronics - 2 hours

How to use a marine VHF radio, depth sounder and GPS devices.

Introduction to Boat

Maintenance - 2 hours

Procedures for pre-departure vessel check out and an overview of routine and preventive vessel maintenance.

Boat Handling - 12 hours

Underway exercises including docking bow and stern first in a protected slip, backing down 100 yards in a narrow channel, coming alongside a facing pier, both port and starboard (e.g., a fuel dock), 360 degree turns in tight quarters, identifying and using aids to navigation (underway) and correct procedures for anchoring along with an anchoring exercise.

Note: Should you be the only student in the class requesting a particular vessel type, such as I/O, you will receive private, hands-on underway instruction on a six hour schedule.

Admission Requirements

- Minimum student age is 15.
- Submission of Registration Form completed and signed (by a parent/guardian if under 18), and non-refundable deposit.
- Provide official photo ID on the first day of class.
- Class requires a minimum of three (3) students

Testing & Certification

Students who pass both the CPC written exam and the boat handling skills test given at the conclusion of the program will be awarded a “Certificate of Completion” from the Chapman School of Seamanship. CPC 1000 certification also earns a student his or her NASBLA “Boating Safety Identification Card” required of certain boaters by most states.

Students may opt to take only the NASBLA 75 question written exam and, with a score of 80% or more, earn their NASBLA certification.

Course No.	Start Date	Ending Date
<u>2020/2021 Classes</u>		
10-20	10/05	10/09
11-20	11/09	11/13
12-20	12/07	12/11
01-21	01/04	01/08
02-21	02/01	02/05
03-21	03/01	03/05
04-21	04/05	04/09
05-21	05/03	05/07
06-21	06/07	06/11
07-21	07/12	07/16
08-21	08/02	08/06
09-21	09/13	09/17
10-21	10/04	10/08
11-21	11/01	11/05
12-21	12/06	12/10
Classes meet 8:30a.m. to 3:30p.m. Monday through Friday with 1 hour break for lunch		

Tuition

Non-refundable deposit..\$200.00
Tuition Balance\$850.00
Total..... \$1,050.00

- Non-refundable deposit of \$200.00 due with completed Registration Form.
- Tuition balance due 10 days prior to the start of class.
- Tuition includes all books, supplies and laboratory fees.
- Tuition does not include housing or transportation.
- All costs are payable in U.S. currency only.
- School accepts all major credit cards.

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.
- 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.
- 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.... \$60.00(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.

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 fees will be refunded.
- 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.

Notes:

Each student is required to furnish his or her own deck shoes.

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 will not be affected by any such changes unless they change the date of enrollment to a future class.



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