



GENERAL PURPOSE / RATING 2

Introduction

The General Purpose course is designed for persons wanting to learn new skills and pursue a career in the merchant shipping. It gives basic skills and knowledge on how to be a seaman. The course covers skills in both deck and engine on board a ship.

Objective

This course aims to prove a basic knowledge of basic seamanship and safety on board a vessel.

Course Outline

1. Deck

The General Purpose basic seamanship training ensures that the competency units Comply with organizational and legislative requirements, Contribute to safe navigation, Maintain the safety and security of the vessel, operate a small vessel and Operate and maintain outboard motors. The course units include:

- Basic Seamanship
- General Ships Knowledge
- Watch keeping
- Deck, Machinery and Equipment
- Deck Duty
- Outboard Motor

2. Engine

The Engine rating grade 2 stream will meet the mandatory minimum requirements for certification of ratings forming part of a watch in a manned engine-room or designated to perform duties in a periodically unmanned engine-room as an Engine Room Rating Grade 2. The modules include:

- Workshop Safety Theory
- Fitting Workshop Practice
- Propulsion Machinery/Outboard motor
- Auxiliary Machinery
- Engine Workshop
- Electrical Knowledge
- Ship Construction

3. Basic Safety Training

This course is designed to meet the minimum professional requirements of the STCW 1995, Chapter VI, Table A – VI/1-4 and is based on the guidelines of IMO Model Course 1.12, 1.18, 1.19, 1.20. The basic safety program consists of:

- Personal Survival Techniques
- Fire Prevention and Fire Fighting
- Elementary First Aid
- Personal Safety and Social Responsibility
- Proficiency in Survival on Inflatable Life Raft
- Proficiency in Security Awareness

Electives

- Basic MS Word Computing
- Mandarin

Certificates

The trainee will receive a STCW certificate, a Basic Seamanship training certificate in Deck/Engine and a certificate in Basic Safety Training.

Who should attend?

- Candidates who are at least 18yrs of age can attend the course;
- Candidates who can be able to swim and must also be medically fit.

TRAINING COSTS AND DETAILS

Duration: 10 weeks
Time: 8.30am to 3.00pm
Course Fee: TBA
Venue: PMTC
Min. No. persons/class: 10 persons

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