



# OPEN WATER SCUBA INSTRUCTOR (OWSI)

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Giant-stride into a new horizon with the PADI Open Water Scuba Instructor (OWSI) course—an exhilarating voyage designed for those seeking a fulfilling career after retirement. This course is open to dive students, active military, military veterans and those eligible for GI Bill benefits chapter 30 & 33. This course opens doors to a realm where passion meets profession. Imagine transitioning your love for diving into a certified skill set that allows you to share the wonders of the underwater world. The OWSI course goes beyond traditional training; it's a journey of transformation, turning your passion into a profession and connecting you with a vibrant scuba diving brotherhood. As a certified OWSI, you become more than an instructor; you become a storyteller of the ocean's mysteries. This is not just about teaching; it's about kindling the same passion in others and fostering a sense of camaraderie in the scuba community. With the GI Bill at your disposal, this is your opportunity to turn your post-retirement desires into a vibrant and rewarding career. Dive into the excitement—become a PADI Open Water Scuba Instructor and let your new adventure begin!

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## Details:

This course prepares the student to take the Instructor Exam (IE) and function as a Scuba Instructor and Emergency First Response Instructor. This introduces the student to the entire PADI system of dive education. It further develops the abilities as a professional dive educator. This course develops the student's teaching ability, dive knowledge, skill level and understanding of the entire system of dive education. After completion of this course, the student will have mastered all the skills required as a dive educator and will be properly prepared to take the (IE) examination.

# Prerequisites:

- Minimum 18-years old.
- Submit the provided medical clearance documents, valid within last 12-months.
- Current Active-Status Diversater Certification & EFR Certification.
- Proof of 60+ logged dives to begin course.
- Proof of 100+ logged dives to attend the Instructor Exam.
- Must be a certified diver for a minimum of (6) months before enrolling.
- Each student must provide their own professional level dive gear able to meet all the minimum standards before starting the OWSI COI.
- The classroom hours for this course is 89 hours.

Please note that all students need additional hours to study, practice, and log additional required dives. These should be done in the student's free time.

## **Program Dates:**

OWSI24-1: Jan 13 - Feb 10 OWSI24-2: Mar 9 - Apr 6 Apr 6 - May 4 OWSI24-3: May 4 - Jun 1 OWSI24-4: Jun 1 - Jun 29 OWSI24-5: OWSI24-6: Jul 6 - Jul 27 OWSI24-7: Jul 20 - Aug 24 Aug 31 - Sep 21 OWSI24-8: Oct 5 - Oct 19 OWSI24-9: OWSI24-10: Oct 26 - Nov 16 OWSI24-11: Nov 30 - Dec 14

# **Scheduled Closures:**

Trident Adventures will be closed on the following Holidays:

- Memorial Day
- Independence Day
- Veteran's Day
- Thanksgiving Day
- Christmas Day
- New Years Day

NOTE: Other Holidays or school closures may be declared at the discretion of the President or Course Director.

For More Information and Course Enrollment email questions or completed application to: <a href="mailto:enroll@tridentadventures.com">enroll@tridentadventures.com</a> Phone: 808-762-3483