

Personalised courses leading to ASA/QCF qualifications

- ✓ Do you need / are you ready to fast track your qualification or simply have really limited time to attend a course?
- Do you want to gain an ASA teaching aquatics or coaching qualification?
- ✓ Do you have the desire and passion to succeed?



Then our personalised course packages are for you!

Who is the personalised route suitable for?

- It's for learners with practical teaching / coaching experience who wish to obtain a qualification that leads to the ASA / QCF qualifications.
- It's for learners who are not able to attend a course, and would like to fit the training in around their work and home life and their teaching /coaching commitments.
- It is even suitable for those of you who hold an 'old' ASA teaching or coaching qualification and would like to update it.

It's not suitable for you if you have no or limited teaching / coaching experience. You are recommended to complete the full course.

What is the personalised route?

- It is an accelerated programme to enable students to obtain the ASA / QCF Level 1 and / or Level 2 certificates for teaching aquatics and/or coaching swimming.
- This is achieved through a combination of distance or blended learning, without necessarily having to attend face-to-face training sessions.
- Training can be completed mostly at home and in your workplace.
- A tutor will be allocated to you to support, guide, and coach / mentor each learner through their programme.

How does it work?

All learners are initially assessed with a RPL (recognition of prior learning) questionnaire to check their suitability for the personalised route. If your participation through this route is appropriate, and after we receive your course and registration fees, you will be accepted onto the training programme. You will then be required to submit a portfolio of evidence to meet the standards. A personal tutor (assessor) will support you throughout your training, and there may be others appointed from time to time to conduct part of the assessments.

The following methods of communication and assessment may be used according to circumstances:

- Visits to your workplace
- DVD practical sessions
- Skype/ phone calls
- Face-to-face meeting, marking and assessment of portfolio.

In order to meet the requirements of the assessed units and outcomes, you will be required to complete practical teaching session plans/ coaching schedules as appropriate, written tasks including knowledge test papers, distance learning work, and other tasks as directed by your tutor.

It is important to note that RPL/Flexible Learning is not a short cut to gaining qualifications. Learners are assessed to the same criteria and standards as those who attend a formal taught course.



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How much does it cost?

Course Title/Package	Units	Cost	Total tutor hours allocated
Level 1 full course	101 - 107	£375	6 hours
Level 1 common units	101 - 104	£260	4 hours
Level 1 technical units	105 - 107	£260	4 hours
Level 2 full course	201 - 208	£650	9 hours
Level 2 common units	201, 202, 204	£450	6 hours
Level 2 technical units	203 or 203.1 AND 205 - 208	£450	6 hours
Level 1 & Level 2 full course	101 - 107 AND 201 - 208	£900	12 hours
Level 1 & Level 2 technical units	105 - 107 AND 203 or 203.1 AND 205 -208	£700	8 hours
Level 1 technical units & Level 2 full course	105 - 107 AND 201 - 208	£800	10 hours

The price depends on the qualification(s) you wish take and already hold.

The initial package is fully inclusive of the following:

- Tutor's time for assessment, professional discussions, visits etc;
- Current ASA registration fee;

Package prices are calculated based on expected tutor/assessment time. Any additional tutor time required would be charged at £50 per hour (pro-rota);

- Practical visit 1.5 hours;
- RPL, face to face and phone calls 1 hour;
- Assessment 1 hour

If you are interested, please complete the application and RPL forms for a FREE CONSULTATION and INITIAL ASSESSMENT. Only those accepted on to the programme will be required to pay the course fee detailed above. We are able to accept payment by instalment only where arranged in advanced.