

Kohala Divers Ltd

PADI Open Water SCUBA Diving Course

Course prerequisites:

Students must be at least 15 years of age or 10 years of age for Jr certification. Students under the age of 18 must have the signature of a parent or guardian. If there are any questions to which you've answered "yes" on the medical form, you must get a medical release from us for your doctor to sign before starting the class.

Our four day program provides students with two days of home study, classroom time and confined water lessons and two days of open-ocean diving (a total of four boat dives).

COST: \$595.00

Includes PADI Crew Pack. (Padi Open Water Manual, logbook, recreational dive planner), use of videos or DVD, instruction, boat dives and use of all equipment except for timing device.

TIME REQUIRED: Approximately four 6 hour days.

STUDENTS TO PROVIDE:

- Completed and signed forms (medical statement*, waivers, student record file – all included with PADI Crew Pack)
- Timing device
- Towel and sunscreen

please note: If there are any questions that have been answered YES on your Medical form, you need to get a medical release from us for your doctor to sign before starting class.

DISCOUNTS: 10% off boat dives after class.

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Day 1 AM

Check in at dive shop to fill paperwork and pick up materials. Watch first 3 segments of Padi Open Water Diver Course video or DVD. Read course manual chapters 1-3 and complete the Knowledge Reviews at the end of each chapter. Knowledge Reviews 1 – 3 must be completed before your first pool lesson.

(This is the home study portion of the course. You are of course welcome to use the classroom facilities at our dive center.)

Day 1 PM

1:30PM First pool session (confined water portion of the course) 1 – 3 hours. Finish with 2 ten question quizzes to check your progress. Home work is completing knowledge reviews 4-5 and practice dive planner

Day 2 AM

7:30AM Check in at the dive center for open water dives 1 and 2. *Bring your Padi manual, log book, home-study questions, timing device and a towel.* Dive 1 is pure fun, no skills; dive 2 you will perform skills covered in the first pool session. Between dives, test your open-ocean endurance: swim 200 yards and tread water for 10 minutes. Return to dock and fill in log books.

Day 3 PM

1:30 PM second pool session 1-2 hours. Finish pool skill practice and have a review of chapters 4-5 then complete the 50 Question test of your dive knowledge

Day 4 AM

7:30AM Check in at the dive center for open water dives 3 and 4. *Remember your logbook, timing device and towel!* The skill portion of each dive takes only 15 – 20 minutes; the remaining time is a fun tour of the reef.

1:00PM Back at the dive center: complete logbook entries, diver registration, and pose for certification photo! You will be issued a temporary Open Water Diver card; your permanent card should arrive in the mail within 6 weeks.

Please note that this is only an outline of the Padi Open Water Diver Course. You do not need to complete everything in four days! This is the minimum time required to become a certified Open Water Diver. Time permitting, students may prefer to extend the course over more days, take a break between pool lessons and boat dives. Diving is a fun activity, so we want you to set your own pace, a schedule that works best for you. Our classes are always small, no more than six students, so everyone gets lots of attention - in and out of the water!

If you have any questions about the Padi Open Water Diver Course, please ask!
Happy diving!