



# Inventory of Open Water Activities

**Legend:**  
 AED: Automated External Defibrillator  
 CPR: Cardio-pulmonary Resuscitation  
 PFD: Personal Floatation Device  
 ICSA: Intercollegiate Sailing Association  
 NGO: Non-governmental Organization  
 OW: Open Water  
 SUP: Standup Paddle Board  
 USCG: United States Coast Guard

Organization	Sea Camp	Outdoor Program	Texas A&M Maritime Academy	DIVE Program	Sailing Team / Sail KINE	MESSO / WAVE LLC	CREW Team / Rowing KINE
<b>Open Water Activity Category</b>	In-water activities; Watercraft-related activities	In-water activities; Watercraft-related activities; Aquatic sports	Training Vessel Operations & related training (Watercraft-related activities)	Aquatic sports	Watercraft-related activities	Watercraft-related activities	Watercraft-related activities
<b>Specific University-sponsored open water activities</b>	Galveston beach swimming , Kayaking	Kayaking, SUP	USCG-required sea service & related training	Open water diving in quarries and ocean	Sailing Regattas and practice/Sailing classes	Training and activities on University vessels	
<b>Contact Person</b>	Daisey Dailey	Betsy Bremer	1) Training Vessel Masters 2) MART Instructors	Amie Hufton	Gerard Coleman/Cheryl Coleman	Allan Post	Betsy Bremer
<b>Superceding Policies</b>	Camps and Programs for Minors- TAMU	Outdoor Coordinator	1) Training Vessel Safety Management Systems 2) USCG Regulations	TAMUG Dive Control Board; NAUI; AAUS	NGO Intercollegiate Sailing Association ICSA	USCG	US Rowing
<b>Approximate participants/year</b>	4,800		All Licence Option Freshmen, and U3 students enrolled in Fast Rescue Course	350 (300 in academic courses; 50 on Dive club trips	38 in KINE 199; 25 - 35 on Sailing Team	>8000	24 in KINE 199; 20 on Crew Team
<b>Swim Screening / Test</b>	NONE	Screened for swimming ability in participant survey	Basic Safety competencies as required by USCG regulations	Swim test according to DIVE training agency standards	5 minute water tread, swimming 100 yards, with footwear	NONE	Swim 200 yards continuously using any forward stroke; tread water for 10 minutes; demonstrate competency in securing a lifejacket while in the water treading
<b>Risk Management</b>	Lifeguards on duty during in-water activities; required PFDs during watercraft-related activities	Published safety guidelines; trip leaders trained in risk management	1) Basic Safety Training 2) Training Vessel Safety Management Systems 3) Corps Operations Manual (current edition)	Follow written policies and standards of TAMUG dive manual and training agency	All participants are required to wear PFDs; one person onsite qualified in First Aid/ CPR/AED; motorboat available as "rescue" (others specified in Sailing Operating Procedures); all members attend Risk Management training annually	All participants are required to wear PFDs	Published safety guidelines; all participants required to wear PFDs
<b>Activity Leader Qualifications</b>	Varies, but minimum is 1st Aid/CPR/AED certification	First Aid/CPR/AED certified; American Red Cross lifeguard or equivalent for OW swimming	1) Training vessel Masters & Officers 2) Instructors	First Aid/CPR/AED certified; Current Dive training agency Instructor Rating	First Aid/CPR/AED certified; former American Red Cross (i.e., not current); intercollegiate all-american; former member of US sailing team	USCG Captain rating	First Aid/CPR/AED certified; Texas Boater Safety; Skills experience checklist

