Title	Plan, instruct and evaluate an intermediate sea kayaking skills session on lakes and coastal water		
Level	5	Credits	10

Purpose	This unit standard is intended for people who plan and instruct intermediate sea kayaking skills sessions on lakes and coastal water.
	People credited with this unit standard are able to: plan an intermediate sea kayaking skills session on lakes and coastal water; and instruct and evaluate an intermediate sea kayaking skills session for lakes and coastal water.

Classification	Outdoor Recreation > Canoeing - Kayaking	
Available grade	Achieved	

Guidance Information

- All learning and assessment against this standard must be carried out in accordance with the following, as relevant:
 - relevant legislation including Health and Safety at Work Act 2015, Human Rights Act 1993, Vulnerable Children Act 2014 and Health and Safety at Work (Adventure Activities) Regulations 2016 and subsequent amendments;
 - relevant Activity Safety Guidelines published by Worksafe New Zealand;
 https://www.supportadventure.co.nz/good-practice/activity-safety-guidelines-2/;
 - industry Codes including the Outdoor Safety Code, Kayaking/Canoeing Care Code, Water Care Code and Leave No Trace principles available at https://www.doc.govt.nz/;
 - a recognised and approved safety management system including organisational policies and procedures including Emergency Action Plans (EAPs), Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs), and the use of personal protective equipment (PPE);
 - relevant industry publications and current industry good practice.
- 2 Environmental conditions for sea kayaking trips should meet the following parameters:
 - lakes and coastal sea water with easy and readily available landings, guided by:
 - wind up to 20 knots, or
 - surf up to 1.0 metres, or
 - swell of up to 1.5 metres or
 - tidal current of up to 4 knots.

- 3 Definition
 - Current industry good practice means the range of actions currently accepted within the adventure and outdoor sector to manage the risk of harm to staff, participants, and visitors.
- Further information regarding industry guidelines, key definitions and other relevant information can be found within the sea kayaking programme guidance document. This document should be consulted when developing learning or assessment against this unit standard. It can be found at www.skillsactive.org.nz.

Outcomes and performance criteria

Outcome 1

Plan an intermediate sea kayaking skills session on lakes and coastal water,

Performance criteria

1.1 Develop an intermediate sea kayaking skills session plan including learning outcomes, with a logical sequence of teaching progressions and activities.

Outcome 2

Instruct and evaluate an intermediate sea kayaking skills session for lakes and coastal water.

Performance criteria

2.1 Instruct an intermediate sea kayaking skills session to meet planned outcomes on lakes and coastal sea water.

Range

may include but is not limited to – fitting and transporting equipment, paddling skills, stroke combinations for manoeuvring, launch and landing, ferry gliding, signals, rafting up, wet exit, assisted and unassisted re-entry, rolling, help and huddle positions.

- 2.2 Engage participants in an intermediate sea kayaking skills session using a range of facilitation techniques.
- 2.3 Instruct a sea kayaking skills session using a logical sequence of teaching progressions.
- 2.4 Provide feedback to participants on sea kayaking skills and techniques to enhance their skill development.
- 2.5 Evaluate own instruction practice to identify actions for improvements.

This unit standard is expiring. Assessment against the standard must take place by the last date for assessment set out below.

Status information and last date for assessment for superseded versions

Process	Version	Date	Last Date for Assessment
Registration	1	25 July 2019	31 December 2026
Review	2	25 July 2024	31 December 2026

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