



Sea Colony Aqua Sports

Maryland's largest and oldest PADI 5 Star Training Facility



Personal Equipment 2019

Description

Participating in scuba diving involves the use of some specialized equipment. Our approach is to allow students to start out with a basic set of gear and then grow into additional pieces as you progress in your training. While you are a student in our classes, you will receive a generous discount off of our regular retail prices of equipment. It is important when considering your purchases that you work with a dive professional and dive shop so that money is not wasted on un-needed, inappropriate or inferior equipment.



Required Personal Equipment

While enrolled in a class, students are required to have their own mask, snorkel, fins and wetsuit boots. Because this equipment is personal in nature we do not rent this equipment. Sea Colony offers this equipment for sale to students at a discounted price. All equipment purchased from Sea Colony is completely guaranteed for fit and suitability.

Although not required for the pool, wetsuits are recommended for purchase if you chill easily.

Open Water Course Equipment

Besides the Required Personal Equipment, there is no other equipment needed. All additional scuba gear will be provided and is included in the cost of the course. However, many students find it more comfortable to purchase a wetsuit to wear in the pool. We also offer accessories such as mesh gear

bags, mask defogger and log book binders that many students find convenient to have.

Advanced Open Water and Rescue Course Equipment

Students taking the Advanced Open Water or Rescue course must have their own Personal Equipment. All additional scuba gear will be provided and is included in the cost of the course.

It is at this level that many students begin to build their own collection of scuba gear. A wetsuit or dive computer is a good starting point. Sea Colony can put together a complete scuba package based upon the type of diving you will be doing.

Accessories

Dive accessories can make diving more enjoyable, increase safety, or may be required depending upon the type of diving you will be doing. You should consider items such as knives, whistles and surface

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sausage mandatory equipment, while convenience items like slates, lights and retractors can make your dive more enjoyable.

Checkout Dive Equipment

You must remember to bring your Personal Equipment on your checkout dive. All other equipment will be provided. If you do your checkout dives with us at Lake Phoenix, a wetsuit, hood and gloves will also be included. If you do your checkout dives with us on our Spring Break trip to Key Largo, wetsuits can be rented from Sea Dwellers in Florida, or new wetsuits can be purchased prior to your trip.

Selecting Equipment

When selecting your gear, its important to get advice from a dive professional who can give you real world insight to what kinds of gear suit your own diving style. At Sea Colony, we've chosen to work with vendors that design and manufacture their own equipment, are known worldwide and stand behind their products.

With the purchase of your equipment, we guarantee its fit and suitability. If for some reason you are dissatisfied with the fit or feel of your new gear, you may exchange it (in original packaging, clean, unmarked, and in resalable condition) within one week of purchase.



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