

# Become a Registered Maine Sea Kayak Guide!

**Maine Sea Kayak Guide Training Course Advanced Sea Kayak Skills** : This in-depth course is designed to prepare future sea kayak guides, freshwater guides and kayaking leaders and intermediate kayakers with essential skills necessary to teach kayaking, identify potential hazards, make informed decisions, plan trips and manage groups on the waters of Maine and beyond! This course prepares future sea kayak guides for IF&W test and licensing. Topics include: Navigation, essential equipment and its uses, trip planning, group management, wind, waves and weather dynamics, marine environment and rescue strategies.

**(Great course for intermediate kayakers interested in skill improvement!)**

**ACA/American Canoe/Kayak Association Trip Leader Certification: For Trip leader and Camp Counselors**

***“Work” this summer sharing Nature as a Maine Sea Kayak Guide!***



## **2023 Spring Training Session:**

Comprehensive 65 hour hands-on course!

**Dates & Locations: May 29 -June 4**

**Course Fee: \$665**

**Mon-Wed 9-5** The art of Teaching and Refining Paddling Skills, Rescue & Recovery Skills, On water skills, Navigation intensive, Castine, Maine

**Thursday-Friday: Camping Practical** Downeast Maine: Real life skills training on the water: \*navigation \* wind & waves \* tides/currents \* camp cooking \* camping \* emergency plans \* towing \* rescues

**Sat : on Water Scenarios**

**Sun : Mock Oral and Written Test Review!**

**\*\*\*Maine Inland Fish and Wildlife testing to follow**

***Explore more! Great Training for Future Guides and informed Sea Kayakers!***



**Class size is limited to 12 participants. Contact CASTINE KAYAK to register *today!***

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