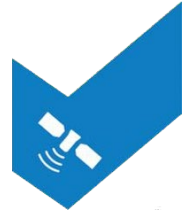


# Coastguard Boating Education

## Course Information



### GPS Operator



An advanced course to enable safe navigation and use of GPS

**Aim:** To understand the principles and limitations, including the use of chart plotters. Learn techniques for more complex navigation tasks.

**Duration:** 8 Hours.

**Qualification:** NZ GPS Operator Certificate.

**Prerequisites:** Recommended knowledge to Boatmaster level.

**This course is a component of the New Zealand Certificate in Domestic Maritime Operations (Restricted Limits) (Level 4)**

#### Modules:

- Navigation
- GPS Principles & Positioning
- Initialisation & Set Up
- Controls, Screens & Outputs
- Passage Making
- Waypoint Navigation
- Accuracies & Errors
- Installation
- Chart Plotters
- Choosing a Set

#### GPS Operator Classroom Course

Learn from an experienced tutor at one of our many education centres throughout the country.

#### GPS Operator Home Study Course

Learn in the comfort of your own home at your own pace. Ideal for people who cannot attend a GPS Operator course due to a restricted schedule or geographical location.

Includes: GPS Operator Handbook, Exercise book, Study Guide, and Assessment.

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