

# MAR20318 Certificate II in Maritime Operations (Coxswain Grade 1 Near Coastal)



## DESCRIPTION

This qualification applies to people working in the maritime industry seeking an Australian Maritime Safety Authority (AMSA) certificate of competency to command and operate the engines of a vessel:

- <12 m in length
  - with propulsion power that is unlimited for an outboard engine or <500 kW for an inboard engine
  - that is in inshore waters or designated waters
- or
- as a tender or auxiliary vessel within 3 nautical miles (nm) of a parent vessel within the exclusive economic zone (EEZ).

## Licensing/Regulatory Information

This qualification is required to obtain an AMSA certificate of competency as a Coxswain Grade 1 NC as defined in the National Standard for Commercial Vessels (NSCV) Part D.

AMSA certification will require:

- achieving MAR20318 Certificate II in Maritime Operations (Coxswain Grade 1 Near Coastal)
- a Marine Radio Operators VHF Certificate of Proficiency
- sea service consisting of:
  - 30 days qualifying sea service and a completed AMSA approved task book
  - or
  - 240 days qualifying sea service
- meeting the medical and eyesight requirements specified in the NSCV Part D and
- assessment by an AMSA approved assessor using the AMSA mandated practical assessment (AMPA) conducted on a vessel 5.0 m in length.

## ELIGIBILITY/ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

It is a CDU requirement that students have completed at least half of the applicable sea service before commencing.

Students will also be required to undertake a Language, Literacy and Numeracy (LLN) assessment to determine applicable support requirements.

## DELIVERY DETAILS

Location (s)	Duration	Study mode
Casuarina	4 weeks, full-time	Face-to-face
Remote	3-5 x 1 week blocks, by arrangement over 6-12 months	Face-to-face

## 2020 FEES

This course has a total of 493 hours, and thus the qualification cost is:

NT Domestic Subsidised Fees: \$1,676.20.

Domestic Full Fees: \$8,381.00.

Please note: A limited number of NT Government subsidy places are available for eligible NT domestic students so contact us now to secure your place for 2020.

Fees are subject to change annually. Indicative government-subsidised and full course fees are shown on this document. For further clarification and information on fees, payment options, instalment plans and refunds contact CDU on 1800 061 963 or refer to <https://www.cdu.edu.au/cdu-vet/student-guide/fees>

## ASSESSMENT

Assessments vary with each unit. You will be provided with a Student Unit Guide which provides details of assessment tasks for individual units.

## RECOGNITION OF PRIOR LEARNING (RPL)

Students can apply for RPL during pre-enrolment or after enrolment. Students are provided with an RPL Self-Assessment before application and followed through with and an initial interview with an assessor.

## RESOURCES

Students are issued with learning materials for each unit. Students will be required to provide their own PPE for practical activities including hat, sunglasses and suitable clothing.

## STUDY AND CAREER PATHWAYS

Further training pathways from this qualification include but are not limited to MAR30918 Certificate III in Maritime Operations (Master up to 24 metres Near Coastal).

Possible occupations relevant to this qualification include:

- Ferry coxswain
- Fishing tour guide
- Crew boat coxswain

## QUALIFICATION CONTENT

To achieve MAR20318 Certificate II in Maritime Operations (Coxswain Grade 1 Near Coastal) thirteen (13) units of competency must be completed comprising number (13) core and no elective units as detailed in the packaging rules and listed below.

## CORE UNITS

MARB027	Perform basic servicing and maintenance of main propulsion unit and auxiliary systems
MARC037	Operate inboard and outboard motors
MARC038	Operate main propulsion unit and auxiliary systems
MARF027	Apply basic survival skills in the event of vessel abandonment
MARF028	Follow procedures to minimise and fight fires on board a vessel
MARF029	Meet work health and safety requirements
MARF030	Survive at sea using survival craft
MARH013	Plan and navigate a passage for a vessel up to 12 metres
MARIO03	Comply with regulations to ensure safe operation of a vessel up to 12 metres
MARJ006	Follow environmental work practices
MARK007	Handle a vessel up to 12 metres
MARN008	Apply seamanship skills aboard a vessel up to 12 metres
HLTAID003	Provide first aid

## SUPPORTING INFORMATION AND FORMS

CDU are able to award successful candidates the MAR20318 Certificate II in Maritime Operations (Coxswain Grade I Near Coastal) qualification, however this does not guarantee the issuance of a coxswain licence. The Australian Maritime Safety Authority (AMSA) issues licences and requires a number of other certificates / documents. Refer to the AMSA website to access information about the application process and specific forms:

- AMSA [Coxswain Grade 1 Near Coastal](https://www.amsa.gov.au/qualifications-training/domestic-qualifications/coxswain-grade-1-near-coastal#15959) website provides general information, links and forms for the licencing requirements (additional to the qualification).
- To be eligible for a Coxswain grade 1 near coastal certificate you must:
  - be at least 16 years of age on the certificate issue date.
  - meet medical, eyesight, sea service and course requirements.

<https://www.amsa.gov.au/qualifications-training/domestic-qualifications/coxswain-grade-1-near-coastal#15959>

## WITHDRAWING FROM A QUALIFICATION

You may withdraw from this qualification and receive, where relevant, a Statement of Attainment for all units of competency you have successfully completed.

## SUPPORT SERVICES

The University supplies support for students in many areas, including Accommodation, Careers and Employment, Counselling, Disability Service, Equal Opportunity, Discrimination and Harassment advice, Australian Indigenous Student Support Services, Information Technology Services, International Student Support Services, Library Services, and Learner Support Services. More information is available at - [www.cdu.edu.au/study/student-life/student-support](http://www.cdu.edu.au/study/student-life/student-support)

## CONTACT DETAILS

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Refer to the **VET Student Guide** [www.cdu.edu.au/cdu-vet/student-guide](http://www.cdu.edu.au/cdu-vet/student-guide) for information regarding the enrolment process, student support services, student rights and responsibilities, previous studies recognition and the A-Z of other information.