

RED PENNANT

(RYA Stage 2)

HAS KNOWLEDGE OF

Spars and Rigging
Parts of the sail
Sail controls and foils
Onshore and offshore winds
Telling someone ashore
The dangers of manmade hazards
Has knowledge of port/starboard rule

UNDERSTANDS

Returning to a beach or pontoon in an offshore wind
What to wear
How to manoeuvre a boat or trolley, clear of other boats
The potential dangers of overhead cables, etc
Several ways of finding the wind direction
The 5 Essentials: Balance, Daggerboard, Course, Sail, Trim
What is meant by the no go zone, close reach, beam reach, broad reach and lying to
What is meant by upwind sailing
What is meant by windward, leeward and gybing
How to prepare for a multiple tow

CAN TIE

Figure of eight Cleat a Halyard Reef Knot
Round turn and two half hitches

CAN

Choose and correctly adjust a personal buoyancy aid
Launch and recover a small dinghy in an offshore wind
Put a single hander head to wind and rig
Control speed, stop by lying to and get out of irongs
Sail a shallow triangle, beam reach, close reach, and broad reach (gybing optional)
Go about, sailing close reach to close reach
Tack upwind, sail close haul to close haul checking the luff
Sail downwind and gybe in light winds
Pick up a multiple tow
Can do a gybing land drill
Be scooped in during a capsized recovery in a crewed dinghy
Right a single hander