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### divers den THE GREAT BARRIER REEF

## **FIVE STAR TRAINING CENTRE**



# divers den

Whether you're a total beginner, a newly certified scuba diver, or you're looking to move up through the advanced and professional levels of recreational diving, we have a PADI course to suit you.

And there's no better place to get your diving certification than with Australia's leading training centre, based at Cairns, gateway to the Great Barrier Reef.

Here at Divers Den in Cairns we teach scuba diving at all levels, from kids' programs and basic Open Water certification, to advanced courses, specialties and professional development (becoming a scuba instructor). We're proud to be a PADI Career development centre and have certified more than 150,000 divers right here on the Great Barrier Reef.

Our pool is purpose built for scuba training, with two shallow areas and a 3m deep section – it's the only covered and heated pool of its type in Cairns. There are also four air-conditioned classrooms with free WiFi.

Following your theory and pool seasons, join either a day trip or overnight liveaboard to the outer Great Barrier Reef to complete your course. We offer a wide range of options to suit all.





# PADI OPEN WATER COURSE

#### 5 Day, 2 Night PADI Open Water Course

#### DIVERS DEN'S MOST POPULAR OPEN WATER COURSE OPTION

The first step in learning to scuba dive is the PADI Open Water Diver course, the world's most recognised scuba diving qualification.

The most popular of our dive courses, this five-day two-night course begins with two days at our Cairns dive centre, learning theory and practising your scuba skills in our heated training pool. The last three days of the course will be conducted on the outer reef aboard our liveaboard vessel OceanQuest, where you will spend 2 nights staying on the Great Barrier Reef. On the reef, you will complete 4 training dives with your instructor, followed by up to 5 fun dives. Plus, you can use your fifth day to add on any courses like PADI Adventure Diver and PADI Enriched Air Nitrox Course.

Between dives you will have time to relax on the sun deck and chat with other divers. Meals are included and prepared by our talented on-board chefs.

Staying onboard OceanQuest also means you'll take part in our Sharks in the Dark experience and have the chance to do a night dive on the Great Barrier Reef!

**Double Room** 

\$1,290<sub>pp</sub>

Twin Room **\$1,230**<sub>pp</sub>

Prices quoted are per person & includes all taxes and levies

### WHAT'S Included

- 2 days pool and theory training at our dive centre
- 4 Open Water training dives on the Great Barrier Reef
- 3 day / 2 night liveaboard stay on the reef
- Up to 5 fun dives (including one night dive)
- Sharks in the Dark experience
- All meals & selected drinks
  (liveaboard days only)
- All scuba diving equipment
- PADI Open Water Qualification
  Certificate
- PADI Open Water Certification
  e-Card





### WHAT IS THE PADI OPEN WATER COURSE?

The first step in learning to scuba dive is the PADI Open Water Diver course. Our basic Open Water Diver course takes four days, with two days of classroom and pool time, and two days at sea. The course is divided into three parts: learning the theory, practising your scuba skills in our pool, and finally diving in open water on the Great Barrier Reef. Scan the QR code opposite and our Course Director will talk you through what is involved, prerequisites, what you will learn and why you should choose to learn with Divers Den.

## MORE OPEN WATER COURSE OPTIONS



#### 4 Day PADI Open Water Course (2x Day Trips)

Want to get certified, but need your evenings free? Plan your dive course around your holiday, not the other way around! An affordable option for those wanting to get their Open Water on the Great Barrier Reef.

#### \$945<sub>pp</sub>

Prices quoted are per person & include all taxes and levies

#### **WHAT'S THE DIFFERENCE?**

- You'll do your Great Barrier Reef experience onboard our AquaQuest vessel across two day trips.
- Course can be split over two weekends for those who need weekdays free!



#### 4 Day, 1 Night PADI Open Water Course

Complete your training with our worldclass instructors, and a one night stay on the Reef onboard OceanQuest. Perfect for those who want to be certified, and have a liveaboard experience, but are tight on time!

## Twin Room<br/>\$965<br/>ppDouble Room<br/>\$995<br/>ppPrices quoted are per person & include all taxes and levies

#### WHAT'S THE DIFFERENCE?

- You'll spend one night onboard our floating hotel OceanQuest instead of two.
- With only two days onboard OceanQuest, you'll do your training dives and one fun dive, but no night dive.



#### 5 Day, 2 Night PADI Eco Open Water Adventure Course

Maximise your Open Water course with Eco and Adventure certifications included in your 5 Day 2 Night adventure. Get your PADI Aware Speciality and Adventure Course, for a total of 3 certifications at the end!



#### WHAT'S THE DIFFERENCE?

- Our standard 5 Day 2 Night Open Water course does not include the Adventure Course, but the Eco version does!
- The Aware portion of our Eco course goes directly to PADI ocean conservation projects.



#### 6 Day, 3 Night PADI Open Water & Advanced Course

Get your Open Water and Advanced Open Water certification in one unforgettable course, including three nights on the reef. With nine training dives and five fun dives, this course sets you up well for more adventures in diving, and opens the door for going pro in the future!



Prices quoted are per person & include all taxes and levies

#### WHAT'S THE DIFFERENCE?

- Spend an extra night on the reef onboard our liveaboard vessel.
- With your Advanced Open Water certification, you'll be qualified to explore depths up to 30m!
- Don't be put off by the word 'advanced' - it just means more time and training with your instructor to be a better diver!

All PADI Open Water Diver course include: 2 days pool and theory training at our dive centre, 4 Open Water training dives on the reef, all scuba diving equipment, PADI Open Water Qualification Certificate and PADI Open Water Certification e-Card. All courses that have a liveaboard component include: Sharks in the Dark experience and all meals & selected drinks.

## **CONTINUE YOUR EDUCATION**



#### **PADI Advanced Open Water Course**

If your PADI Open Water course made you want more, take the next step with us. There's no classroom training needed – your instructors will guide you through the knowledge along with your training dives on board OceanQuest.



Prices quoted are per person & include all taxes and levies

#### WHAT'S INCLUDED

- Minimum two day, one night stay on board OceanQuest
- 5 training dives & 1 fun dive
- All meals & selected drinks
- All scuba diving equipment



#### **PADI Rescue Diver Course**

Learn to prevent and manage incidents, help others avoid problems, and become a safer, more confident diver. The rescue diver course includes training at our dive centre, followed by a 2 day/1 night stay on OceanQuest.



Prices quoted are per person & include all taxes and levies

#### WHAT'S INCLUDED

- 2 days pool and theory training at our dive centre
- 2 day, 1 night liveaboard on the reef
- All meals & selected drinks
- All scuba diving equipment



### **MAKE IT ECO!**

By choosing Divers Den's Eco Open Water course, you'll take part in the PADI Aware Specialty Course during your Open Water training. The PADI Aware Specialty Course teaches divers how to understand and recognize the key ocean threats, take responsible underwater images and build a conservation-focused media presence, develop an action plan for ocean conservation and marine animal protection, become part of the PADI AWARE movement and engage in conservation for global impact.

This course is your chance to make a direct positive impact on the ocean, as a portion of your course fee contributes directly to the PADI Aware Foundation. PADI Aware assists with removing marine debris, securing protection for sharks & rays, as well as establishing marine protected sanctuaries and assisting local initiatives. At the end of your course, you will receive a PADI Aware Foundation limited edition photographic certification card.

Medical Info

All over 45 years old scuba participants must meet medical questionnaire requirements. Some conditions or medications may prevent you from diving or require a dive medical. Visit diversden.com.au/can-i-dive for more information.

#### ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

Divers Den respectfully acknowledges the Traditional Custodians of the lands and waters in which we operate and pays respect to their Elders, past, present and emerging. We honour their stories, their culture and their connection to this land.

# **CONTACT US**





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#### **MEDICAL & ALTITUDE INFO**

All introductory scuba participants must meet medical questionnaire requirements and some conditions or medications may prevent you from diving.

Queensland's code of practice on diving states that for a single no decompression dive, you should not fly/go to altitude for at least 12 hours, or 24 hours if divers have had multiple dives per day for several consecutive days, or have made dives that require decompression stops. Altitude is defined as 300m/1000ft above sea level. This includes going to the Atherton Tablelands (a popular local scenic attraction), so please be aware if booking tours to follow your dive trip. Under normal circumstances, you should be out of the water from your last dive of the day at 2:30 pm.

#### TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Prices are inclusive of GST and all fees, including the GBRMPA environmental management charge (EMC) which contributes directly to the management of the Marine Park. Learn more at gbrmpa.gov.au. 100% of the fee will be charged for cancellations received within 24 hours of the travel date. Reasons for cancellations include any factors beyond your/our control, such as medical issues or airline delays. Travel insurance is highly recommended. Divers Den reserves the right to change the vessel, dive locations and prices without notice. Prices valid to 31/3/2025. For full terms see diversden.com.au





