
DSAT Tec Deep Instructor Course

The DSAT Tec Deep Instructor course trains candidates to conduct the Tec Deep Diver course. The content includes philosophy, organization, practical considerations, promotion and other aspects that teaching the Tec Deep Diver course requires.

You will learn how to teach candidates to conduct decompression dives to 50 meters using air and nitrox mixes up to 100% oxygen.

The course consists of two parts. Part one focuses on developing and reviewing the knowledge and skills required for technical deep diving to 50 meters using, air nitrox and 100% oxygen. Part two focuses on honing candidate Tec diving skills to role model teaching levels and on teaching sessions for knowledge development, practical applications and training dives.

The course is performance based but usually takes five days and includes independent learning, academic sessions, pool and open water dives. We conduct the open water dives at UK inland or coastal sites or during one of our more exotic trips to Malta, the Red Sea or Cyprus.

To enroll on the Tec Deep Instructor course a candidate must be a PADI Open Water Scuba Instructor or higher, a PADI Enriched Air Instructor, a PADI Deep Diver Specialty Instructor and have a minimum of 100 logged dives where at least 20 were made with nitrox, 25 dives were deeper than 18 meters and at least 15 were deeper than 30 meters.

After completing the Tec Deep Instructor course candidates must meet the following additional requirements prior to becoming a Tec Deep Instructor (if they have not already done so)

Be a renewed PADI Master Scuba Diver trainer or higher, have a minimum of 270 logged dives with at least 25 stage decompression dives that had a maximum depth over 40 meters and have certified a total of ten or more PADI Deep Divers and/or PADI Enriched Air divers (any combination totaling ten is acceptable).

The course costs £650 for UK dives or £550 for foreign dives. This includes the Tec Deep Instructor Manual and instructor slates.

Not included is the Tec Deep student manual (some candidates already have them), your application to DSAT (currently £30.55), any transport, accommodation, dive site entry fees, boat fees, gas fills or equipment hire.