

Crew Memembership

FAQ's

Who is it for?

Anyone looking to build their experience or perhaps brush up on their skills.
Anyone looking to meet qualification requirements.
Anyone looking to progress to full professional yacht captain.
Anyone looking for offshore adventure and catch the passion for the sea

What experience do I need?

All crewmembers should have passed at least the competent crew course or its equivalent, and must be capable of standing watch by day or night. They must be prepared to take an active role in both sailing and maintenance, to keep a cheerful attitude and to enjoy the experience. On some voyages and for the role of mate, experience and further qualifications will be required

What Topics are covered?

Passage planning, provisioning, watch keeping, navigation, radio schedules, safe practices, fishing and more. Instruction is informal.

What do I need to bring

In soft bags, foul weather gear, lifejacket and harness, soft non-slip shoes, light comfortable clothes, sun protection, sunglasses and hat, a swimsuit, towel, sleeping bag, rigging knife, toiletries & medications, change of clothes, a good book or two. If you want to learn celestial navigation you should bring your own sextant and tables. When selected for a voyage, your Captain will advise further on what you should bring specific to the trip

Do not bring too much, space is limited. Do not bring alcohol on board.

What is provided

The captain will have a budget to provide all meals on board. In some circumstances we will be able to assist with travel costs and on some voyages a cash bonus will be available for the first mate

What are the boats?

Reliance is contracted to deliver many different types of boats all over the world. However the majority of our work involves moving new luxury monohulls and catamarans.

How many on board?

Depending on the size of the yacht and the proposed voyage, there may be between three to eight on board.

Where do we go?

You may be asked to take the yacht to any of a number of exotic and popular sailing destinations including the Caribbean, Mexico, Turkey, Tahiti, South Africa, Mediterranean, Tonga.....

What does it cost to register?

£45