

ITDA GROUP INTERNATIONAL

SPORTS LEVEL 2 DIVING STANDARDS 2014

ABOUT STANDARDS

Standards exist to protect the divers in training from unnecessary risks and to establish a base level for Certification.

ITDA Group International has been training divers since the year 2000 to International standards and from 2005 we were UK HSE Approved and since then we have been training to UK HSE Standards.

Our "Sport Diver Level" Scuba Training also meets the International standard of **EN 14153-2 / ISO 24801-2** for "Unsupervised Diver Training". See below...

A scuba diver at level 2 "Autonomous Diver" shall be trained to have sufficient knowledge, skill and experience to dive with other scuba divers of at least the same level in open water without the supervision of a scuba instructor. Dive to a recommended maximum depth of 20 m/66ft. without direct supervision of a dive leader or instructor, (Minimum requirements at *OWD)

- Dive to a recommended maximum depth of 20 m with other scuba divers of the same level,
- Make dives, which do not require in-water decompression stops,
- Dive only when appropriate support is available at the surface, (Surface Supervision)
- Dive under conditions that are equal or better than the conditions where they were trained.
- Designed to lead to higher qualifications.

If diving conditions are significantly different from those previously experienced, a scuba diver at level 2 "Autonomous Diver" requires an appropriate orientation from a dive leader. *OWD = Open Water Diver.



SPORTS SCUBA DIVING

ITDA SPORTS SCUBA DIVER LEVELS

Our sports scuba diving programs include the following:

- Nitrox Diving and Advanced Nitrox
- Rescue Diver and Advanced Rescue
- Specialist Diving
- Advanced Diving
- Specialist Diving
- Master Scuba Diver
- Upgrade to Leadership Level

ITDA Group training at this level meets and exceeds the ISO Standards with expanded dive theory covering "Decompression Theory" and Oxygen First Aid, plus the option for Sports Divers to take our IHMP Dive Medic First Aid Program which is a *BLS level program. *BLS = Basic Life Support

LEVEL 2 SPORTS **RESCUE** DIVER



ITDA GROUP STANDARDS REQUIREMENTS FOR...

SPORTS RESCUE DIVER & ADVANCED DIVING CERTIFICATIONS

ITDA Group offers more theory, more training dives and more rescue experience in this program than any other training and certification agency... We also include:

Deep Rescue and recovery skills from the depth that rescue divers are certified to... or minimum of 30m/100ft. (Most agencies "Advanced" diving sports limit). With our Sports Scuba Diving Programs you get more flexibility, more training options and full credit for your training dives and experience dives.

ITDA Offer the following Rescue Diver Training and Certification Programs to International standards:

We have Four (4) Rescue "Diver" Certification Levels.

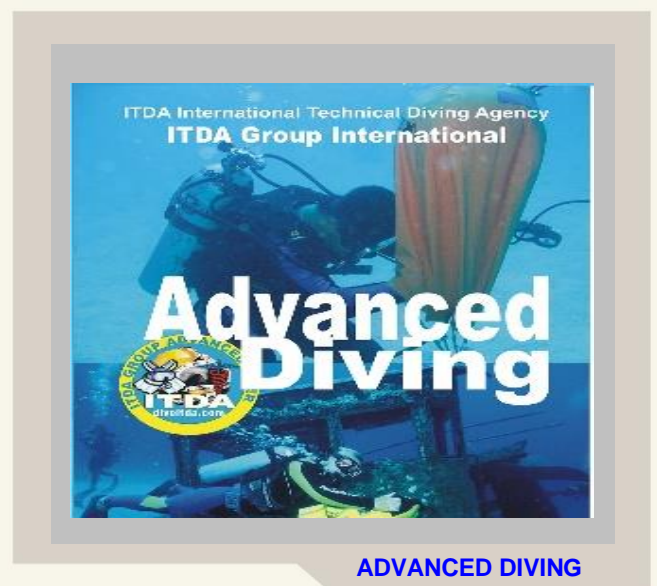
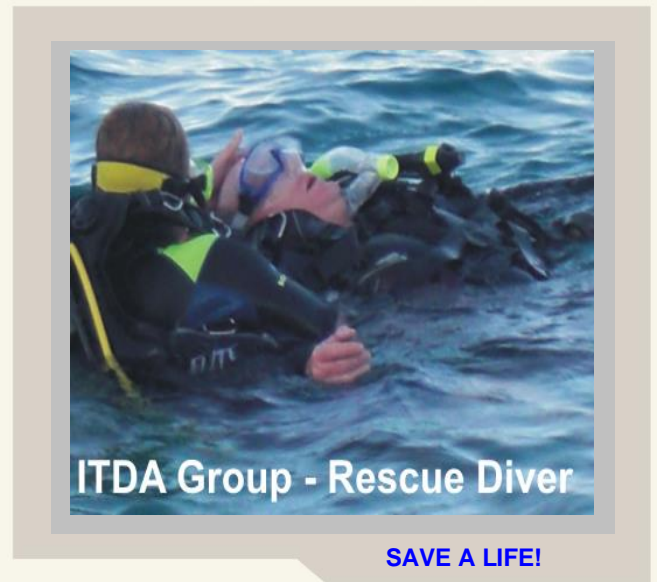
- **Sports Rescue Diver**
- **Advanced Rescue Diver**
- **Aquatic Rescue Program**
- **Professional Rescuer & PSD Program**

ITDA Group Advanced Diver

ITDA Group International believes that the title of "Advanced Diver" should really denote a diver with a real advanced knowledge of diving theory, diving skills, and experience.

Whereas many Sports Diving Agencies allow the title of "Advanced Diver" directly from certification as an Open Water Diver and with as little as under a total of 10 dives experience, how can this possibly make anyone an "Advanced Diver"?

We offer 3 levels of "Specialist Diving", Introduction – Intermediate and Advanced levels.



ADVANCED SCUBA DIVER

LEVEL 2 DIVER PROGRAMS

STANDARDS
EXCEEDING ISO
COMPLIANCE



ADVANCED SCUBA DIVER

Advanced Scuba Diver Electives

- Advanced Buoyancy Workshop
- Advanced Rescue
- Cave Diving
- Deep Diving / Safe Decompression
- Advanced Navigation
- Ntech Nitrox or Advanced Nitrox
- Wreck Diving
- Night Diving
- Search & Recovery
- Sports CCR Diver
- ECO Reef Diver / Environmental Diver
- Equipment Specialist
- Side Mount Diver
- Photography / UW Video
- IHMP Oxygen First Aid

ADVANCED SCUBA DIVER COURSE

Advanced Scuba Diving

We also offer a unique approach to "Specialist Diver Training and Certifications". Our three (3) levels of Advanced Diver Certification.

Our advanced programs are also open to divers from any agency to gain advanced diving experience and certification.

Adv. Level 1. From 2-4 Dives for the Introduction level, Including basic theory and skills in the Specialist Level.

This can be achieved from Resort Diver Level... Offering entry level divers an "introduction" to specialist training and also offering our professionals additional certification programs from entry levels...

Adv. Level 2. From 4-6 dives required for intermediate certifications levels for "Specialist Diver".

Adv. Level 3. 6+ Dives, having completed levels 1, 2 and 3 would qualify for the rating / title of "Advanced Specialist Diver".

Timescales: Unique Flexibility in our Advanced Diving program means you may complete the training in stages over a period of time or take a course program from 4 to 5 Days.

Number of Dives: 8 Included in the Program

- x2 Dives to 40m/132ft+ Deep & Decompression Practice Skills
- x2 Dives Navigation & Leading a Dive
- x2 Dives for Search & Recovery (Including a Rescue Skills Dive)
- x2 Elective Dives from the list offered

UPGRADES

FROM SPORTS SCUBA DIVER (INTERMEDIATE LEVEL)

Next steps ITDA Group International Diver Training Upgrade Path.



Sports Scuba Diver Upgrades

ITDA Group "Sports Divers", may qualify to upgrade to take our Rescue Diver program after a minimum of 10+ Experience dives after certification at Sports Diver Level...And to take specialist training.

Unlike many other agencies training courses, our programs are designed to maximise the students' skills and abilities to the highest possible standards in the time scales provided, meeting higher training and theory standards in the process.

ADVANCED NITROX & ADV. NTECH NITROX

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Level 2. Any Agency "Sports Nitrox Diver Level", May upgrade from the limit of 40% Oxygen to 80% or more. By entering our Ntech Technical Nitrox Training or our Advanced Nitrox Diving Certification, which is available after 20+ Dives with Nitrox experience.

Advanced Ntech Nitrox is about Deep dives on air using Nitrox as a decompression mix from 50% to 80%+ and the use of deep stops and safer decompression.

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