

"Bring List"
for ACA Coastal Kayak Instructor Candidates

Required:

- Sea Kayak (with bulkheads or floatation)
- Spray Skirt
- Paddle
- Spare Paddle
- Personal Flotation Device (with whistle attached)
- Helmet (and warm skull cap when appropriate)
- River Knife or EMT Shears
- Dry Bag (Large enough for warm clothes)
- Repair kit
- Paddle float
- Pump
- Tow Belt
- Compact waterproof flashlight
- Chart of the area / with some means of protecting It from the water (ICE)
- Tide Chart (ICE)
- Handheld compass
- Deck Mounted compass
- Waterproof watch
- Weather Radio
- Dry suit or Wet suit and paddling jacket
- Pogies or Neoprene Gloves (when appropriate)
- Appropriate clothing & Footwear for paddling in August in NJ
- First Aid Kit
- Water bottles or hydration system (filled with water)
- Snacks & lunches
- Notepad and Pen
- Personal resources for your presentations; Books, visual aids etc.
- Anything else you feel you need to guide a successful day trip
- Sunscreen sunglasses and a hat
- \$20.00 for ACA Membership (ACA IDW only)
- \$25.00 for SEIC Membership (ACA ICE only)

OPTIONAL:

- Flares, Strobe
- VHF Radio
- Binoculars
- Cash for food
- Casual clothing for classroom sessions
- Towel
- Dry Gear Bags for keeping spare clothing dry