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PAGE REFERENCES TO POWERBOAT INSTRUCTOR MANUAL (PBIM),
PPOWERBOAT INSTRUCTOR Q & A (PBI Q&A) AND ANSWER KEYS BOOKLETS (AKB)

Read each question carefully and select the best answer. There is one best answer for each question.

PBIM CHAPTER 1: COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

1. What is a prerequisite for a Safe Powerboat Handling Course?
   a. American Red Cross swim certificate
   b. American Red Cross boating certificate
   c. a state boating education certificate
   d. there are no prerequisites.
   Ref: PBIM pg 3

2. Which of the following describes a Safe Powerboat Handling Course?
   a. US Coast Guard course for operators of fast rescue powerboats
   b. US MARAD course for experienced powerboat operators
   c. entry-level course with on-water and NASBLA classroom time
   d. advanced course with on-water and NASBLA classroom times
   Ref: PBIM pg 3

3. Which of the following have given course approval to the Safe Powerboat Handling Course?
   a. National Association of Boating Law Administrators and some states
   b. National Association of Boating Law Administrators and all states
   c. American Boat & Yacht Council and US Coast Guard Auxiliary
   d. American National Standards Institute and all states
   Ref: PBIM pp 3, 15

4. Which is one of the NASBLA requirements for a Safe Powerboat Handling Course?
   a. 1 to 2 hours of classroom time
   b. 2 to 4 hours of classroom time
   c. 4 to 5 hours of classroom time
   d. 6 to 8 hours of classroom time
   Ref: PBIM pp 3, 15

5. Which of the following describes the Accelerated Safe Powerboat Handling Course?
   a. advanced on-water course that does not meet NASBLA classroom time
   b. entry-level on-water course that does not meet NASBLA classroom time
   c. advanced on-water course that complies with NASBLA classroom time
   d. entry-level on-water course that complies with NASBLA classroom time
   Ref: PBIM pg 3

6. What is a prerequisite for an Accelerated Safe Powerboat Handling Course?
   a. American Red Cross swim certificate
   b. American Red Cross boating certificate
   c. a state boating education certificate
   d. there are no prerequisites.
   Ref: PBIM pg 3

7. Which organization has given course approval to the Accelerated Safe Powerboat Handling Course?
   a. National Association of Boating Law Administrators
   b. US Coast Guard
   c. US Sailing/US Powerboating
   d. American Boat & Yacht Council
   Ref: PBIM pp 3, 15

8. What is (are) a prerequisite(s) for a Safety & Rescue Boat Handling Course?
   a. American Red Cross First Aid or American Red Cross CPR certification
   b. Safe Powerboat Handling or Accelerated Safe Powerboat Handling certification
   c. Safe Powerboat Handling and Mark-Set Boat Handling certifications
   d. US Coast Guard OUPV license and American Red Cross First Aid certification
   Ref: PBIM pg 4
PBIM CHAPTER 2: ORGANIZING A COURSE

9. Which of the following can order materials for a powerboat course?
   a. certified powerboat instructor or powerboat facility
   b. certified powerboat instructor or student
   c. certified sailing instructor or sailing coach
   d. powerboat training center or student
   Ref: PBIM pg 6

10. When ordering course materials, where should you send the order?
   a. US Powerboating instructor website
   b. US Powerboating training manager
   c. US Sailing publications department
   d. US Sailing training department
   Ref: PBIM pg 6

11. The first time a course is conducted, what materials should be ordered?
   a. 2 packages per student, 2 sets of exams per student, and 2 answer keys booklets
   b. 1 package per student, 1 set of exams per student, and 1 answer keys booklet
   c. 1 package per student, 1 set of exams per student
   d. 1 package per student
   Ref: PBIM pg 6

12. The second time a course is conducted, what materials should be ordered?
   a. 2 packages per student, 2 sets of exams per student, and 2 answer keys booklets
   b. 1 package per student, 1 set of exams per student, and 1 answer keys booklet
   c. 1 package per student, 1 set of exams per student
   d. 1 package per student
   Ref: PBIM pg 6

13. When course materials are received, what items should instructors keep for use at the course?
   a. certification stickers, logbooks, NASBLA cards
   b. certification stickers, review questions, NASBLA cards
   c. certification stickers, standards booklets, NASBLA cards
   d. logbooks, review questions, NASBLA cards
   Ref: PBIM pg 6

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   c. certification stickers, standards booklets, NASBLA cards
   d. logbooks, review questions, NASBLA cards
   Ref: PBIM pg 6

15. What is the recommended time that students should receive their course materials before the course starts?
   a. at least 2 to 3 days
   b. at least 2 to 3 weeks
   c. at least one month
   d. on the day of the course
   Ref: PBIM pg 6

16. What are the initial steps for posting a powerboat course on the US Powerboating website course calendar?
   a. go to US Powerboating website, click on Course Providers, click on Add a Course and enter details.
   b. log onto my-US Powerboating account, click on My Events, click on Add a new Event, and enter details.
   c. go to US Sailing website, click on Training, click on Powerboat Certification System, and enter details.
   d. log onto my-US Sailing account, click on My Events, click on Add a new Event, and enter details.
   Ref: PBI Q&A pg 1

17. If a course is not open to the public, how should it be posted on the website course calendar?
   a. cancelled
   b. limited
   c. full
   d. restricted
   Ref: PBIM pg 6
PBIM Chapter 3: Running the Course

18. In the answer sheet (below), what is (are) the error(s)?
   a. sticker certification number is not entered in correct box.
   b. incorrect number is depicted in the Instructor No. entry.
   c. name of exam is not identified in the “Name of Test” box.
   d. no exam letter & grade in “Name of Test” box; instructor signature
   
   Ref: PBMI pg 11; PBI Q&A pg 2

19. In the answer sheet (below), what is (are) the error(s)?
   a. exam grade is not entered in “Name of Test” box.
   b. name of exam is not identified in the “Name of Test” box.
   c. sticker certification number is not entered in correct box.
   d. incorrect number is depicted in the Instructor Number entry.
   
   Ref: PBMI pg 11; PBI Q&A pg 2
20. In the answer sheet (below), what is (are) the error(s)?
   a. exam grade is not entered in “Name of Test” box.
   b. name of exam is not identified in the “Name of Test” box.
   c. state-specific test answers for AL not depicted in 51–60.
   d. student failed the exam; sticker certification number should not be entered.
   Ref: PBMI pg 11; PBI Q&A pg 2

Answer Sheet

21. In the answer sheet (below), what is (are) the error(s)?
   a. incorrect exam name entry for Accelerated Safe Powerboat Handling Course
   b. student failed the exam and sticker number should not be entered.
   c. incorrect number is depicted in the Instructor Number entry.
   d. incorrect name is entered for instructor signature.
   Ref: PBMI pg 11; PBI Q&A pg 2

Answer Sheet
22. In the answer sheet (below), what is (are) the error(s)?
   a. incorrect number has been entered in sticker # box.
   b. incorrect number is depicted in the Instructor Number entry.
   c. only 25 questions were answered making exam incomplete.
   d. student failed the exam and sticker number should not be entered.
   
   Ref: PBMI pg 11; PBI Q&A pg 2

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23. In the answer sheet (below), what is (are) the error(s)?
   a. sticker certification number should be entered in sticker # box.
   b. entry to indicate whether state-specific test was taken should be depicted.
   c. only 25 questions were answered making exam incomplete.
   d. incorrect course name has been checked off on the sheet.
   
   Ref: PBMI pg 11; PBI Q&A pg 2
24. In the answer sheet (below), what is (are) the error(s)?
   a. state-specific test status is incomplete.
   b. student information is incomplete.
   c. more exam answers are needed.
   d. incorrect exam name is entered.
   
   Ref: PBMI pg 11; PBI Q&A pg 2

25. Where can instructors find samples of syllabus, lesson plans, and water drills?
   a. Powerboat Instructor Manual
   b. Teaching Fundamentals Manual
   c. US Sailing training website page
   d. US Powerboating instructor website page
   
   Ref: PBIM pg 11

26. Where are official answer sheets available for students to record their answers to course exams?
   a. first page of the course textbook
   b. last page of the course textbook
   c. US Powerboating course website page
   d. US Sailing training website page
   
   Ref: PBIM pg 11

27. When a certified powerboat instructor is required to enter his or her Instructor Number on an Answer Sheet or in the logbook, what number is used?
   a. US Powerboating membership number
   b. US Sailing membership number
   c. US Coast Guard license number
   d. State boating instructor number
   
   Ref: PBIM pp 11, 12; PBI Q&A pg 1

28. If a student has successfully completed a Safe Powerboat Handling Course but did not take a state-specific test, which of the following is issued to the student?
   a. only a logbook certification sticker
   b. only a NASBLA completion card
   c. logbook certification sticker and NASBLA completion card
   d. logbook certification sticker, NASBLA completion card and a USCG license
   
   Ref: PBIM pp 12, 15

29. If a student has successfully completed a Safe Powerboat Handling Course that included passing a state-specific test, which of the following is issued to the student?
   a. only a logbook certification sticker
   b. only a NASBLA completion card
   c. logbook certification sticker and NASBLA completion card
   d. logbook certification sticker, NASBLA completion card and a USCG license
   
   Ref: PBIM pp 12, 15
30. If a student has successfully completed an Accelerated Safe Powerboat Handling Course, which of the following is issued to the student?
   a. only a logbook certification sticker
   b. only a NASBLA completion card
   c. logbook certification sticker and NASBLA completion card
   d. logbook certification sticker, NASBLA completion card and a USCG license
   
   Ref: PBIM pp 12, 15

31. If a student has successfully completed a Safety and Rescue Boat Handling Course, which of the following is issued to the student?
   a. only a logbook certification sticker
   b. only a NASBLA completion card
   c. logbook certification sticker and NASBLA completion card
   d. logbook certification sticker, NASBLA completion card and a USCG license
   
   Ref: PBIM pg 12

32. What does an instructor do if a student has successfully completed a powerboat course?
   a. enter course data on the answer sheet with the sticker and give it to the student.
   b. enter course data in the standards booklet and give it to the student.
   c. enter course data in the logbook with the sticker and give it to the student.
   d. enter course data on a certificate and send it to US Powerboating.
   
   Ref: PBIM pg 12

34. Where can an instructor find state requirements for students to receive a state boating safety certificate?
   a. Instructor Resources page on US Powerboating website
   b. Instructor Resources page on US Sailing website
   c. Course Calendar page on US Powerboating website
   d. Course Calendar page on US Sailing website
   
   Ref: PBIM pg 14

35. What post-course paperwork is required to be submitted to US Sailing/US Powerboating?
   a. completed answer sheet and logbook for each student
   b. exams and answer sheets for each student
   c. copy of completed answer sheets for each student
   d. original completed answer sheet for each student
   
   Ref: PBIM pg 14

36. If a student does not successfully complete a course, what paperwork is required to be submitted to US Sailing/US Powerboating?
   a. original completed answer sheet
   b. exams and answer sheets
   c. logbook and answer sheets
   d. no paperwork is required.
   
   Ref: PBI Q&A pg 2

ANSWER KEYS BOOKLETS
37. After a course is completed, what is the deadline for submitting the post-course paperwork to US Sailing/US Powerboating?
   a. not later than two days
   b. not later than one week
   c. not later than two weeks
   d. not later than one month
   
   Ref: PBI Q&A pg 2; AKB pg “How To Administer the Exams”

38. What is the passing grade for all student exams, including state-specific exams?
   a. 70%
   b. 75%
   c. 80%
   d. 85%
   
   Ref: PBI Q&A pg 2; AKB pg “Quick-Score Table”