

Level 1 SUP Instructor Position

Qualifications

- Minimum two years paddling (SUP) experience
- Current certification through ACA, ASI, or PaddleFit required
- Current CPR/First Aid certification
- Excellent swimmer, water safety/lifeguard experience a plus
- Able to multitask, relate well to all age groups, maintain a very high level of energy and enthusiasm, lift up to 35 lbs.
- Able to paddle minimum of 2 miles on flat water
- Able to maintain calm, cool and collected during emergency situations
- Detail oriented and aware
- Knowledge of the sport of stand up paddleboarding
- Understanding of marine environments

Responsibilities

- Represent MBSUP in a professional manner at all times
- Follow a lesson plan
- Conduct a two-hour private or group on-water SUP lesson for up to five students of varying ages in a variety of weather conditions
- Build rapport with people of various age groups and guide them through development of stand up paddleboarding skills
- Carry SUP boards to and from beach, organize equipment, account for equipment, return and clean equipment and prepare equipment for storage
- Complete credit card and cash transactions
- Use marine VHF radio
- Complete incident reports
- Respond to first aid emergencies

Work Schedule/Hours

You will work up to 6 hours per day with not more than two lessons per shift. Most often, instructors assist with set up/preparation for one lesson, teach the lesson, clean up/pack up, and further assist with the rental operation. Most lessons are conducted early in the morning, so instructor schedules usually begin at 7:30 AM and end at 11:00 AM, unless there is a second lesson to teach. A second class may be offered from 11:00 to 1:00. Wind often dictates when lessons are offered, and often cancels lessons. Work schedules vary greatly depending on demand and season.