

TRITON TRAINING

# HOSTING A COURSE AT YOUR POOL



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# THE TRAINING COMPANY THAT LOOKS AFTER LEARNERS

Triton Training is a small vocational training company specialising in aquatic courses. The company is managed by two directors who serve as the main tutors and have a combined experience of over 40 years in leisure management, swim teaching and lifeguarding with a wealth of experience in a variety of aquatic disciplines. Our ethos is simple, learn from experience and grow with support. We support learners from the day they enquire with us, and continue to do so beyond their course. Our courses take place mainly in London however, we also deliver in pools countrywide.

In recent years we have been the recipients of the Swim England award for Inclusion Champions and finalists for the London Sport Awards for enhancing the workforce, highlighting that we really do look after our learners and cater for all.

#### COURSES INCLUDE:

- STA AWARD & CERTIFICATE IN SWIMMING TEACHING
- SWIM ENGLAND LEVEL 1 & 2 IN TEACHING SWIMMING
- RLSS LIFESAVING COURSES (NPLQ, OWL)
- FIN2FIT MERMAID COURSES
- CPDS

# Who we are

Triton are built on strong values that align very well with CIMSPA and the drive of the sector. There is a real push for quality and creating great learner experiences, they are dedicated to development and working collaboratively with CIMSPA to ensure they remain a quality provider and grow ethically. All evidence through desktop research and interactions with the partners was professional and provide a benchmark for the sector.

# WHAT WE ENSURE

#### **Quality assurance**

We carry out internal verification (IV) for the courses delivered and standardisation across the whole Triton Training provision to maintain a standardised approach to assessment. We also manage external verification function when requested from the awarding body. This is an approved training centre requirement.

#### **Additional resources**

Learners will receive delivery resources, ongoing support material and framework information for the selected qualification as well as a learner assessment portfolio.

We can also offer laptops for learners to use during the course to complete their coursework.

#### **Customer service and administration**

We will handle all enquiries and offer initial advice and guidance for learners. Learner details and assessment information regarding safeguarding including emergency contact details, travelling to and from courses for under 18's and other duty of care data will be recorded and securely stored.

#### **Support systems**

We ensure that our tutors are up to date with their training and encourage continual professional development. New resources are developed by the tutors regularly which are insightful, developmental and fun to inspire learners into their new career in the leisure industry.

#### Maintenance and compliance with our regulators

We regularly review and update policies for appeals, malpractice and maladministration, equal opportunities, safeguarding, assessment appeals, health and safety, data protection, complaints, reassessments policy, special requirements, reasonable adjustments, learner existence and eligibility policy. All policies are available to download from our website.



#### **Swim England Qualifications (Previously ASA)**

To become a fully qualified Swim England swimming teacher, there are two qualifications required. The Swim England Level 1 Swimming Assistant (Teaching) course is the first step, which allows you to support a Level 2 qualified swimming teacher. We then recommend gaining at least three months' experience as a swimming assistant before progressing onto a Level 2 Teaching Swimming course (although this is not always a necessity). Once you have achieved your Level 2 qualification, you can add to your skills to specialise in specific areas of swimming teaching, such as parent and toddler lessons.



#### **Safety Training Awards (STA)**

The first step you'll need to take to become a fully qualified swimming teacher with STA is the Award qualification. The STA Award will develop your vocational skills and technical knowledge, so you can independently teach your own class of 12 participants from non-swimmers, beginners or improvers (children and adults). The next step to progress as a swimming teacher is to retain your swimmers by offering advanced lessons, extended skills and advanced awards with the STA Certificate.



#### Fin2Fit Mermaid Instructor

This one-day Swim England accredited CPD qualifies you to take mermaid lessons, complete with mono-fins and mermaid tails. Must hold a swimming teachers qualification and current DBS certificate as a prerequisite to the this course.





## WHAT WE WOULD NEED FROM YOU

Below we detail the minimum space we need for each of the qualifications. We would also need your swimming lesson programme beforehand, or pool space and contact details to arrange additional lessons with children. For you, we can offer free spaces for your staff, or we can discuss hire fees for the courses.



#### **Swim England Level 1**

- Classroom space for 16 learners for up to 16 hours (with tables and chairs).
- Pool space for practical with the learners for 2 hours (at least 2 lanes).
- All candidates need to be able to assist 4 lessons with the main teacher teaching, they will take the warm up/ cool down.



#### **Swim England Level 2**

- Classroom space for 12 learners for up to 40 hours
- Pool space for practical with the learners for 8 hours (at least 2 lanes).
- All candidates need to teach 6 lessons to Stages 1-7, with at least 4 swimmers per lesson.

#### **STA Level 2 Award in Teaching Swimming**

- Classroom space for 12 learners for 25 hours
- Pool space for practical with the learners for 6 hours (at least 2 lanes)
- All candidates need to teach 6 lessons to non-swimmers, beginners, improvers and advanced (Stages 1-7) to 4 swimmers



#### **STA Level 2 Certificate in Teaching Swimming**

- Classroom space for 12 learners for 20 hours
- Pool space for practical with the learners for 4 hours (at least 2 lanes)
- All candidates need to teach 5 lessons to advanced swimmers (Stages 5-10) to 4 swimmers



#### Fin2Fit

- Classroom space for 12 learners for 7 hours (with tables and chairs)
- Pool space for practical with the learners for 2 hours (at least 4 lanes)
- All candidates need to teach 1 lesson with the fins on.

## ADDED VALUE TO YOUR CENTRE

All candidates on swimming teacher courses need to be assessed practically, this means they will need to teach within swim school lessons.

This can either be in lessons that are currently running in your own swim school, in partnership with swim schools who hire your pool or we can help you add value to your pool programme by adding short term crash courses to your programme.

No matter which option you choose we are able to facilitate the logistics with no disruption or additional workload to yourselves. We can discuss what method would be best to meet the requirements of the course and to benefit your centre the most.





We look forward to hearing from you to support you to become self sufficient with your staffing requirements and boost your income.

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