

As a National Geographic Diver, you join an elite group of explorers, adventurers, and conservationists. The insight and training you gain during this program will broaden your awareness and take your diving to a new level. You'll fine tune your buoyancy, navigation skills, and learn to observe and explore like an underwater scientist.

COST:

- \$350 plus tax and materials

PREREQUISITES:

- Ages - 12 - 18
- Jr. Open Water Certification or higher
- Bring Certification Card

DATES AND TIMES:

- December 20 – 24, 2010
- Mon. & Thurs.: 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
- Friday: 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (Boat Trip)

WE PROVIDE:

- Tanks, Weights, BCD, Regulator, Wetsuit
- Instruction and Professional Guide

DIVERS PROVIDE:

- National Geographic Portal Pack \$32.50
- Mask, Snorkel, Fins (rental gear available)
- Underwater Timing Device (watch)
- Optional UW camera rental \$45
- Swimsuit, Towel, Hat, Sunscreen, Dry clothes
- Lunch, Snacks, Water Bottle

REGISTRATION:

- Complete Student Record Folder w/medical waiver and Certified Diver waiver with parent and diver signatures with certification card number verified. If there are any questions that have been answered **"YES"** on your medical form, you will need to get a medical release from the shop for your doctor to sign **before** starting class.

CANCELLATIONS:

- Cancellations must be made 72 hours or more in advance or charges will be incurred.

DISCOUNTS:

- 10% off most regular priced merchandise during class
- 10% off most regular priced merchandise after class
- \$5.00 off of dives

CLASS SCHEDULE:**DAY 1: (9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.)**

- Bring all registration and course materials
- Preparation: Read National Geographic Almanac
- Preparation: Complete Knowledge Review & Watch DVD
- Check-in and Camp Orientation w/parents 15 minutes
- Classroom: Academics
- On Land: Practice navigation skills
- In Pool: Practice buoyancy skills

DAY 2 (9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.)

- Classroom: Exploration Project
- Shore: Dive 1

DAY 3: (9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.)

- Classroom: Exploration Project
- Shore: Dive 2

DAY 4: (9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.)

- Classroom: Exploration Project
- Shore: Dive 3

DAY 5: (8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.)

- Exploration Project
- Boat Dive 1
- Boat Dive 2
- Log Dives, Certification & Celebration

Exploration Project – Just like a National Geographic explorer, students explore the underwater world and create a project that educates the world about an amazing place. Students strive to present their information to resemble the National Geographic magazine. This includes a map of the dive site, descriptions of the various zones underwater, and marine life highlights. Students will also prepare a description of the land area nearby and any significant cultural information concerning the people of this place. The Exploration Project is presented with text, photos, and maps and is something the student keeps. Excerpts from the project may be added to the Jack's Diving Locker website if the student would like (with parent permission, of course).

All courses include instruction by PADI certified Instructors and Divemasters. All camps follow PADI course outlines. PADI is the Professional Association of Diving Instructors -- the world's largest scuba certification agency. This specialty and the dives in this course count toward the Jr. Master Scuba Diving rating. Pre-register at Jack's Diving Locker in advance and pick up course materials. Minimum 3 students / Maximum 6.