

**Reference No**

065/007

Duration

14 weeks

Location

10 Training Squadron,
Royal Marines
Tamar,
HMNB
Devonport,
PLYMOUTH

IELTS

6

Frequency

3 courses
per year

LANDING CRAFT 2 (LC2)

AIM OF COURSE

To achieve the objectives stated below plus an elementary understanding of amphibious assault operations and conducting boat group operations

OUTLINE SYLLABUS

To train Corporal and Marine candidates to:

- ◆ Command an LCVP
- ◆ Command a section of ORC/IRCs
- ◆ Be second coxswain of an LCU (10)
- ◆ Control part of an ABU concerned with reception and withdrawal of landing craft, amphibians and cushion craft
- ◆ Conduct beach reconnaissance
- ◆ Final exercise participation – conducting various tactical operations by day and night and in all weather conditions including reconnaissance, operations, troop insertion plus vehicle insertion
- ◆ To be an assistant instructor in the above

ENTRY STANDARDS

- ◆ Be a Corporal or candidate for promotion to Corporal
- ◆ Have qualified and served as LC3 rate
- ◆ Pass Basic Swim Test
- ◆ Pass Basic Fitness Test

EYESIGHT & HEARING STANDARDS

Eyesight and hearing standards are detailed at the beginning of the chapter.

EXAMINATIONS/QUALIFICATIONS GAINED

- ◆ Progress tests weeks 2, 4, 6, and 8 plus final written, oral and practical examinations on all aspects of course
- ◆ Pre-course preparation is essential as there is no time available for revision of LC3 level training. There is an 'in test' in the first week of the course which will test the student's previous knowledge. This is based on LC3 syllabus
- ◆ RYA Coastal Skipper Yacht Master Theory (Tidal) (Shorebased)
- ◆ IRPCS – International Regulations for prevention of Collision at Sea
- ◆ BST, BFT, Battle Swim, and Fitness Test
- ◆ LCVP craft handling and command
- ◆ Sect command skills assessed during final exercise