



IRF Certifications

Raft Guide-Trip leader-Safety kayak
Level 3 and level 4

From May 14th to 16th 2025

Iserre river, France

In association with:



TRAINING DETAILS

Training provider [R3-France](#)

Instructors GHIDINI Jerome (FRA) and HELVIC Jeremy (FRA)

Location On the Isere river, Savoie area, France
(2h00 hour drive from Geneva)

Date From Wenesday 14th of May 2025
to Friday 26th of May 2025

Available qualifications

Raft Guide (RG) level 3 and level 4

Raft Trip leader (RTL) level 3 and level 4

Safety kayak (SK) level 3 and level 4

Langage English (and french)



RATES

495,00 €/pers

This includes:

training costs (instructor and training material)
rafts and raft paddles
river shuttles

This do not include:

acomodation and meal
transport to and from the site
personal paddling gear (kayak and paddle for SK candidates)
meals and accommodation (*)
IRF fees (**)

(): feel free to contact us if you need informations regarding accomodation options in the area*

*(**): IRF fees are not included in the course price and must be paid directly to R3-France at the end of the course, depending on the certifications acquired.*

For informations:

RG or SK: 40,00 € - RTL: 70,00 € - Second qualification fee : 15,00 €



PROGRAM

Day 1: Wenesday, may 14, 2025

9:00AM Appointment

IRF presentation

Personal equipment and Irf river signals

Pre-departure safety demonstration

Paddling and guiding skills

12:00AM Lunch

Paddling and guiding skills

Swimming test

Throwbag test

18:00PM End of day

Day 2: Thursday, may 15, 2025

9:00AM Appointment

Rope work test

Flip drill test

Written theory test

12:00AM Lunch

Pre-departure safety demonstration

Paddling and guiding skills

18:00PM End of day



Day 3: Wenesday, march 20, 2024

9:00AM Appointment

Trip leader assesment

12:00AM Lunch

Trip leader assesment

18:00PM End of day

This program is for guidance only and may be subject to change depending on weather conditions and water levels.



TERMS of PARTICIPATION

To take part in the course, participants must:

Be at least 18 years old;

Have paid the full course fee (50% deposit on booking, balance due no later than 7 days before the start of the course);

Present a valid first-aid certificate;

Present their river log-book;

RG and SK candidates will be assessed on these different skills:

Pre-departure safety demonstration;

Paddling and guiding skills;

Swimming skills;

Throw baging skills;

Rope work skills;

Flipdrill skills;

written theory test

RG and SK candidates will have to score a minimum of 3 points in each of the above skills to pass the assessment (see scoring system below).

RTL must score 4 to 5 points in each assessment area of the guide assessment to progress to a RTL assessment.



RTL candidates will be assessed on these different skills:

Pre-departure guide informations;

During a mock scenario assessment, the RTL will be assessed on those different criteria:

Situation assessment;

decision making;

Communication;

Conducting the rescue;

Flotilla management;

post scenario debrief.

RTL candidates will have to score a minimum of 3 points in each of the above skills to pass the assessment (see scoring system below).

SCORING SYSTEM

1 point = POOR (fail)

2 points = WEAK(fail)

3 points = SATISFACTORY (pass)

4 points = GOOD (pass)

5 points = EXCELLENT (pass)



GENERAL INFORMATIONS

What to bring:

Your personal paddling gear (*weather conditions and water temperature could be cold in the French Alps in March; drysuit or a good wetsuit is recommended*);

Your rescue kit (throwbag, pulleys, carabiners, cord loops);

A digital passport photo (*);

Your first-aid certificate (*);

Your river log-book (*).

(): you can send these 3 items by email before the start of the course*

Informations and booking:

For further information or to make a reservation, please do not hesitate to contact us:

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