












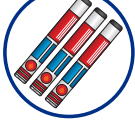


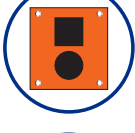



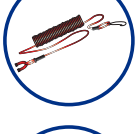





Boating Emergency Equipment

Mandatory gear by watercraft type

<div> <div> IMPORTANT INFORMATION </div> <div> SAILBOATS: Sailboats under motorized power must follow requirements for motorized watercraft. </div> <div> PERSONAL WATERCRAFT (PWC): No nighttime operation allowed. </div> </div>		 NON-MOTORIZED PADDLE CRAFT	 NON-MOTORIZED SAILBOAT
	Sound signaling device (whistle)		
	Personal Flotation Device (PFD) One per person is required.		
	Navigation Lights	 Flashlight Acceptable	
	Type IV PFD Throwable Flotation Aid		Required if over 16'
	Nighttime Visual Distress Signal		
	Daytime Visual Distress Signal		Required if over 16'
	Fire Extinguisher (USCG Approved)		Required if a motorized sailboat
	Engine Cut-Off Switch (if equipped)		Required if a motorized sailboat
	Boat Anchor		Required if a motorized sailboat

Your boat may require specialized equipment not included on this list. Make sure to check that your vessel has registration numbers, a backfire flame arrestor, or muffler if required.

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For more information about safe boating visit www.nyseagrant.org/safeboating or follow the QR code.

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Mandatory gear by watercraft type

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

All operators of motorized vessels, including PWC, must have their Boater Education Card with them. You must be 10 years old to operate a watercraft or 14 years old to operate a PWC.



PERSONAL
WATER-
CRAFT
(PWC)



WATER-
CRAFT
UNDER
16'



WATER-
CRAFT
BETWEEN
16' - 26'



Sound
signaling
device
(whistle)



Personal
Flotation
Device (PFD)
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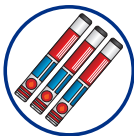
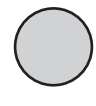
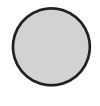


Navigation
Lights

**No
nighttime
operation
allowed**



Type IV
PFD
Throwable
Flotation
Aid



Nighttime
Visual
Distress
Signal

**No
nighttime
operation
allowed**



Daytime
Visual
Distress
Signal



**Not required
by state law
but highly
recommended**



Fire
Extinguisher
(USCG
Approved)

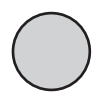
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on waters
under USCG
jurisdiction,
recommended
everywhere**



Engine
Cut-Off
Switch
(if equipped)



Boat
Anchor



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