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Cancellation Policy: Shorebased Scheme Courses

Why do we have this policy?

As a small business, we plan every course around the bookings we receive. Once you book, we schedule instructors, order materials and register courses with the regulatory bodies. We want sailing and boating to be accessible to everyone, so we keep our fees as low as possible. That means there's no margin to cover late cancellations, and we can't make exceptions to this policy.

Please only book once you're sure you can make your chosen dates. We look forward to seeing you on the course!

Courses covered

- **Irish Sailing:** Coastal Navigation for Small Boats, CEVNI Assessments
- **Royal Yachting Association (RYA):** Essential Navigation and Seamnaship, Day Skipper Theory, Coastal Skipper & Yachtmaster Theory, RYA VHF SRC Courses, RYA Sea Survival Courses
- **Department of Transport:** VHF SRC Course
- **Other:** First Aid, Outboard Engine

Our cancellation terms

- All cancellations must be made in writing, by email or post.
- If you cancel, your deposit (50% of the course fee) is non-refundable.
- If you cancel within 2 weeks of the course start date, the full fee is non-refundable.
- If you don't attend, or leave during the course, the full fee is non-refundable.
- We recommend checking whether your personal insurance covers unavoidable cancellations.

If we cancel or reschedule

The Irish National Sailing & Powerboat School may cancel a booking at any time, without prior notice, where we reasonably believe conditions are unsuitable, or for any other reason.

At a glance

Cancel within	What you are entitled to get back;
More than 2 weeks prior to course commencement date	The deposit tendered, 50% of course fees, is non-refundable. Any balance above 50% of course fees paid by the customer will be returned.
Cancellation within 2 weeks of course commencement date	The entire fee tendered is forfeited.
Non-attendance or leaving course early.	The entire fee tendered is forfeited.

Questions?
Our team is happy to help. Email sailing@inss.ie or call 01 284 4195.

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