

Training Ship **DANMARK**



Facts about the ship

Trainees	80
Crew	15
Built	1933, Nakskov Shipyard
Masts	3 (fully rigged)
Sails	27 (1700 m ²)
Rigging	236 lines
Length	215 feet (74.4 meters)
Width	33 feet (10 meters)
Draft	17 feet (5, 2 meters)
Height above water line	126 feet (38.6 meters)
Displacement (weight)	1700 ton
Main engine	Frichs 357 kW
Electricity	220V
Tank capacity fuel	48 t
Tank capacity of freshwater	110 t
Freshwater production	10 tons per Day

STCW certificates achieved

- Fire Fighting (STCW VI/1-2)
- Basic Safety Training (STCW A-VI/1-1, A-VI/1-3, A-VI/1-4)
- Medical First Aid (STCW VI/4-1-3)
- Designated Security Duties (STCW VI/6-4)
- Tanker Familiarization Course
(STCW V/1-1 paragraph 2.2. and V/1-2 paragraph 2.2.)
- Navigational Watchkeeping (STCW II/4)



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DANMARK is a steel-hulled, three-masted and full-rigged ship. It was built as a training ship in 1933 at Naskov Shipyard in Denmark, and since then, it has provided basic training of young people seeking a career at sea. The ship is property of the Danish State and is operated by the maritime and polytechnic university college, MARTEC, in Frederikshavn.

DANMARK is seaworthy to sail on all oceans worldwide. The majority of time at sea is spent in European waters and in regular intervals across the North Atlantic. Every voyage, DANMARK visits a variety of new international harbors.

Occasionally DANMARK crosses the North Atlantic to visit the USA, where the ship has a very special relationship still today. More recently, voyages include crossings to the South Atlantic. In 2016 the ship visited Brazil for the The Olympic Games in Rio de Janeiro.

The crew and trainees

DANMARK sails with a crew of 15 professional seaman and can take 80 trainees aboard for training each voyage. Since 1983, DANMARK sails with both boys and girls. The spoken language onboard is English.

After the completion of 6 weeks shore based craftsmanschool at MARTEC and 14 weeks on board the ship, the trainees will acquire their certification as Ordinary Seaman according to the STCW Code, qualifying them for a career in the merchant marine or for further educational programs.

To join a voyage, you must be between 17½-23 years old, EU citizen and carry a health certificate for seaman. After a written online application and a personal interview, the trainees are selected for the voyage.

Please apply at www.martec.dk/skoleskibet

Life on board

All trainees face the challenge and opportunity of living, studying and working in a maritime environment, which will train you socially and bring you to appreciate patience, tolerance and cooperation.

You will sleep in a hammock along with all your ship-mates during the entire voyage, and your privacy will be limited to a hammock, a small cabinet and a small locker with only the essentials to live and work at sea.

As a trainee, you will learn and perform nearly all practical tasks, watch duties, classes, maintenance and sail handling under guidance and supervision of an enthusiastic crewmember. The crew will also be your teachers for various theoretical subjects taught on board such as navigation, marine engineering, safety at sea etc.

DANMARK forms a very positive teaching environment, which combines theory and practice. You will achieve technical and particular social skills otherwise difficult to obtain in common training environments.

A voyage on board DANMARK provides the best possible qualifications to continue a career at sea.

