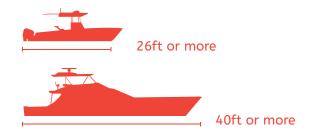
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Boating Equipment - Chapter 2 Worksheet

A U.S. Coast Guard-approved life jacket is the single most important piece of safety equipment on your boat. The majority of boating fatalities are due to drowning and approximately 90% were not wearing a life jacket. (TRUE / FALSE)

The best kind of life jacket is the one that you! (FILL IN THE BLANK)							
In my State of, children under the age ofare required to wear a life jacket when (FILL IN THE BLANKS)							
Match the type of per intended user. (MATC)		tation device to the typical performance it provides for t	he				
Type I		Also known as a throwable device and not to be worn					
Type II		Not designed to turn an unconscious person face up					
Type III		Will turn most unconscious wearers face up					
Type IV		Also known as a special use wearable device					
Type V		Will turn some unconscious wearers face up					
An inflatable life jack	et must b	e worn to meet federal carriage					
and is not guaranteed	d to turn o	an unconscious wearer Inflatable					
life jackets use a cylinder to inflate the life jacket. Some inflate							
when in the water while others are activated by pulling a							
	So	ome are designed to be worn around the	0				
and others are worn	over the	(EILL IN THE DIAMES)					



On a typical recreational boat, the red light is on the PORT / STARBOARD side, the green light is on the PORT / STARBOARD side, and the white light is near the BOW / STERN.

(SELECT ANSWER)

aboo	_	boat you typically operate. What is legally required to have boat yet, list the equipment that is required for 20' bow rider an example.				
α.	Number of life jackets required					
b.	Number of throwable devices required					
c.						
d.						
e.						
f.						
g.	Is a backfire flame	rrested required	_			
	, you	In addition to properly displaying your e also responsible for knowing the type and heading of anothe standing and interpreting their patter				
_	u are maneuvering o	ound other vessels what do the following sound signals indicate	≘?			
One short blast		you are altering your course to starboard				
Two short blasts		you are backing up with stern propulsion				
Three short blasts		you are altering course to port				
Five	short blasts	means danger and you should get out of my way				

If you see a steady white light it is most likely headed TOWARD /AWAY FROM you and if you see a red and green light a the same time it is most likely headed TOWARD / AWAY FROM you. (SELECT ANSWER)

Rank the following VHF radio calls in order
of urgency from the most urgent to less
urgent and summarize their meanings.
RANK AND SUMMARIZE)
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_____ May day. _____



List some of the main uses of a very high
frequency (VHF) radio. (LIST)
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All new fixed mount VHF radios manufactured today have DSC, also known as _______. It has the equivalent of _______ button that can be pressed in the event of an ______ it will automatically broadcast the vessel's _______. To properly use you DSC radio you must register it and get an ______ number. (FILL IN THE BLANKS)

Match the VHF channel with the intended function. (MATCHING)

a navigational channel or bridge to bridge
used to speak with the Coast Guard after initial contact
a working channel used to communicate with another boat
this channel is used automatically for DSC calls
ship to ship hailing and distress channel
reserved for weather broadcast information
a channel for commercial vessel interaction

Visual distress signals	s are either	Your State of		
		may require or recommend additional		
		safety items. List a few of those items here:		
of visual distress sign		(LIST)		
	when you are in			
need of	They are only			
to be used in an	•			
(FILL IN THE BLANKS)				
1,000	France State			
Name at least three o	of the more common			
types of non-pyrotech	nnic devices. (LIST)			
After viewing the four	· videos on visual			
distress signals, in you				
device is the most effe	-			
daytime	•			
and which device is th	ne most effective			
during the nighttime _				
(FILL	IN THE BLANK)			
Some of the benefits of	of pyrotechnic			
visual distress signals	are that they are			
completely safe, they	never expire, they			

work when wet and are fun for all ages.

(TRUE/FALSE)