



TANDEM INSTRUCTOR (TI) PROBATIONARY RECORD CARD

INSTRUCTOR DETAILS

TITLE (Mr, Ms etc) & SURNAME _____ FORENAMES _____

BRITISH SKYDIVING MEMBERSHIP NUMBER _____ BRITISH SKYDIVING LICENCE NUMBER _____ TANDEM SYSTEM _____

TI PROBATIONARY REQUIREMENTS

After completing the TI Course, newly qualified Tandem Instructors must adhere to the following limitations:

- a. Minimum exit altitude 9000ft AGL.
- b. No Formation Skydiving (FS) will take place
- c. The Tandem Student must be of similar stature to the TI.
- d. No Tandem Students over 55 years of age.
- e. No Tandem Students with mobility or disability needs.
- f. An experienced camera flyer may accompany the Tandem instructor if cleared to do so by the CI.
- g. The Tandem Instructor must log the 20 jumps in their personal and on the probationary record, which must be signed and witnessed by at least a Tandem Instructor.
- h. A minimum of five landings must be filmed for debriefing purposes.
- i. Suspended harness drills should be completed more frequently than the required one calendar month.
- j. Receive a familiarisation brief for the type of aircraft to be used and briefed on any local SOPs relevant to Tandem Skydiving.
- l. Must be made aware of any differences should they jump main canopies that they have not jumped throughout their Tandem Course.
- m. Adequate time between jumps
- n. No more than 5 Tandems jumps per day.

Tandem Instructors Probation Currency Guidelines

Time Since Last Tandem	0-1 Month	1-2 Months	2-3 Months	3-4 Months	4-6 Months	6-12 Months	12 months +
Total number of Tandems since course							
Period A 0 – 10 Jumps	Drills start of day	Solo Jump in last 2 weeks Drills start of day A Licence Jump	Solo Jump in last 7 days Drills start of day Bag Jump A Licence Jump	Solo Jump in last 7 days Drills start of day 2 x Bag Jump A Licence Jump	Present self to Independent Examiner for re-evaluation	Present for re-evaluation on a TI course	Present for re-evaluation on a TI course
Period B 11 – 20 Jumps	Drills weekly	Drills start of day A Licence Jump	Solo Jump in last 2 weeks Drills start of day A Licence Jump	Solo Jump in last 7 days Drills start of day Bag Jump A Licence Jump	Present self to Examiner for re-evaluation	Present self to Independent Examiner for re-evaluation	Present for re-evaluation on a TI course

N.B.(1) Any A Licence descents must be conducted as per British Skydiving Operations Manual Section 4, Para 5, Sub Para 5.8

Further limitations to considered during Probationary period

1. During Period A the winds should be limited to 5-15kts on the ground and no significant upper winds (i.e. <30kts at 5000ft)
2. During Period B the winds can be 0-20kts and not significant upper winds (i.e. <30kts at 5000ft)

Tandem Instructor Probationary Period Jump Log

<u>Jump</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>A/C</u>	<u>Altitude</u>	<u>Student Weight</u>	<u>Landing videoed Yes / No</u>	<u>Main Canopy</u>
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CI DECLARATION

I am satisfied that the Tandem Instructor has successfully completed the requirements within the 20-descent probationary Period.

Name: _____ Signature: _____

Date: _____ British Skydiving Membership No.: _____ British Skydiving Licence No.: _____

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