



## Tudor Cadets - Boat guide



The **Optimist** is a small, single-handed sailing dinghy intended for use by children up from ages 8 to 15. They are a great boat to learn to sail in. We have 10 at club that can be hired for use at Cadets

The **RS Tera** is suitable for introducing newcomers to the sport of sailing, but is also a good boat to race. The boat is highly robust, and it is built with a self draining cockpit and is easy to right after a capsized. We have 3 RS Teras at the club that can be hired for use at Cadets.



The **Topper** is one of the most popular dinghies because its light, easy to sail and virtually indestructible. It's a great single hander to learn in, and to race in, especially because the sail can be reefed so simply. There are a lot of second hand boats available, with prices starting at £200 for a well-used boat.

The **RS Quba** is a suitable dinghy for introducing newcomers to the sport of sailing, but is also a good boat to race. The cockpit is spacious but is also light enough to be handled by children. The RS Quba is quick to rig, easy to carry on the roof-rack and demands virtually no maintenance. We have 1 club boat that is available for hire.



The **RS Feva** is a two person sailing dinghy that can be sailed with just the main, or the main/jib or the main/jib and gennaker. We have 2 club boats that can be hired at cadets.

The **Laser 4.7** is designed for the sailors weighing between 50-65kg. It is a great boat for the youth sailors who have outgrown their Toppers. There are a lot of second hand lasers available, starting at £500, although not many of them have the 4.7 rig (which can be brought separately).

