



PAK Training Levels

Levels	PAK	APPI	PAI	BHPA	USHPA
Level 1 (P2)	PAK1 Beginner	Explore	Student	Elementary	Novice
Level 2 (P3)	PAK2 Elementary	APPI Pilot	Novice	Club Pilot	Intermediate
Level 3 (P4)	PAK3 Club Pilot	Intermediate Pilot	Pilot	Advanced	Advanced
Level 4 (P5)	PAK4 Advanced	Advanced Pilot	Advanced Pilot	Master	
Level 5	PAK5 Tandem	Non Commercial Tandem	Sports Tandem Pilot	Tandem	Tandem Instructor

PAK TRAINING LEVELS

PAK1 BEGINNER

(instruction):

- PAK Membership
- Rescue.co Insured
- Signed Training Indemnity Form
- Signed off PAK1 Ground Handling Course Manual by instructor
- Logbook training signed off by instructor

GOAL: Student can ground handle without supervision

PAK2 ELEMENTARY

(instruction):

- PAK Membership
- Rescue.co Insured
- Endorsed PAK1 Level in PAK License booklet
- Signed off PAK2 Course Manual by instructor
- Logbook training signed off by instructor
- **10 flights from > 100m (10-12 minutes) in still air (radio supervision)**
- Practical exam

GOAL: Student can fly in still air with supervision



PAK3 CLUB PILOT

(instruction):

- PAK Membership
- Rescue.co Insured
- Endorsed PAK2 Level in PAK License booklet
- At least 1 flight more than 30 minutes
- At least 2 flights at least 10 minutes duration
- Flown in ridge lift
- Good front take-off
- Good reverse pull-up
- Straight line flying
- S-turns or figure-of-8.
- 180° turns, left and right.
- 360° turns, left and right.
- Big ears
- Rear risers landing.
- Land accurately (three out of three attempts in m diameter circle).
- Good layout, daily inspection and pre-flight checks) five-point check).
- Good unassisted pull-ups, inflations and ground control prior to take-off and hold your glider inflated directly overhead in sufficient wind.
- You must have flown at least two different sites
- **You must have passed the PAK3 CLUB PILOT THEORY EXAM**

You are now authorized to fly without radio supervision

PAK4 ADVANCED (independent):

- PAK Membership
- Rescue.co Insured
- Endorsed PAK3 Level in PAK License booklet
- **20 logged flights of more than 30 minutes each**
- **2 XC flights over 20km**
- **5 flights of more than 1h flight time**
- Logbook signed off by instructor

GOAL: Pilot can fly and land away from usual landing field



PAK5 TANDEM

(instruction) :

- PAK Membership
- Rescue.co Insured
- Endorsed PAK4 Level in PAK License booklet
- **50 logged flights of over 30 minutes**
- **10 Solo flights XC flights over 30km / > 1h airtime**
- Logbook signed off by instructor

PAK6 TANDEM

(independent):

- PAK Membership
- Rescue.co Insured
- Endorsed PAK5 Level in PAK License booklet
- 100 tandem non-commercial flights logged flights
- 50 tandems under instruction
- 50 tandems independent
- Passed Practical Tandem Exam checkout flight
- First Aid Course Certificate
- Logbook signed off by instructor