

COMMON CRAFT TYPES & DESCRIPTIONS

CANOE

Normally have an open deck allowing paddler/s to sit or kneel; usually propelled by single bladed paddle.

KAYAK

Normally a closed deck (unless it's a sit on top model); most easily propelled by double bladed paddle.

STAND UP PADDLEBOARD (SUP)

A board that floats on the water and the paddler stands or kneels to propel along using a single bladed paddle.

ROWBOAT

A small open boat propelled by oars (by rowing).

CORACLE

A small one-person boat – often bowl shaped! Propelled by a single oar.

Please note:

- The River Stour Trust can only register private use and unpowered craft on behalf of the Environment Agency.
- **Powered or Business boat?** Please contact the Environment Agency Boat Registration Team on 03708 506 506 or email boatreg@environment-agency.gov.uk
- Inflatable craft must be registered for use on the waterway.
- You will need to pay any additional amount, which may be due, if it is found that the boat has been registered incorrectly based on the information you have provided.