

User Instructions for Ninja Masks

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Thank you for renting the Ninja Full Face Snorkel Mask and Set from Rottnest Rentals! This premium full-face snorkel mask (Ninja Shark style) offers a panoramic 180° view, natural breathing through nose and mouth, anti-fog design, and dry-top snorkel technology, making it ideal for exploring the vibrant reefs and marine life around Rottnest Island.

These instructions incorporate the manufacturer's guidelines from Ninja Shark (ninjashark.com.au) for safe and proper use, including separate breathing chambers to reduce CO2 risks, along with additional environmental considerations tailored to Rottnest Island's unique ecosystem.

Important: Read all instructions before use. Failure to follow them may result in injury, damage to the product, or environmental harm. This is a rental item—return it clean and undamaged to avoid fees.

SAFETY PECAUTIONS

Follow these guidelines to ensure a safe experience (per manufacturer warnings):

Suitable for ages 12+ (or smaller sizes for kids if provided). Ensure proper fit—mask must seal tightly without gaps.

Supervision: Children must be supervised by an adult at all times. Not suitable for non-swimmers without life jackets.

Health Considerations: Do not use if you have respiratory issues, claustrophobia, or conditions affecting breathing. Avoid alcohol/drugs or fatigue.

General Warnings:

- For surface snorkelling only—do not freedive, scuba dive, or go deeper than 1-2m.
- Not for vigorous swimming, exercise, or strong currents (risk of CO2 buildup or insufficient airflow).
- Inspect for damage before use; report any issues to Rottnest Rentals immediately.
- If you feel dizzy, short of breath, headache, or heavy breathing—remove mask immediately and return to shore.
- Practice fitting and removal in shallow water first.
- Manufacturer's Note: Features separate inhale/exhale channels and valves to minimise CO2, but always snorkel calmly.

Setup and Use

The Ninja mask arrives ready to use with adjustable straps.

What's Included: Full-face mask with integrated dry-top snorkel, GoPro mount (if equipped), carry bag.

Steps:

1. Choose correct size (S/M or L/XL) for secure seal.
 2. Adjust straps for snug fit—silicone skirt should seal around face without pinching.
 3. Test in shallow water: Breathe normally; clear any water by exhaling sharply (purge valve activates).
 4. Enter water calmly from beach or shallow area.
- Tips: Shave facial hair for better seal if needed. Apply anti-fog (saliva or provided spray) to inside visor.

Usage Guidelines

Snorkelling: Ideal for calm, shallow reefs. Relax and float on surface for best experience.

- Perfect for protected spots like The Basin, Little Salmon Bay, Parker Point, or Parakeet Bay.

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- Observe colourful fish, coral, seagrass, and occasional rays/octopus.

Restrictions:

- Do not use in rough waves, strong currents, or open ocean.
- Wind Restriction (Rottnest-Specific): Do not use in winds exceeding 10 knots or offshore conditions—check Bureau of Meteorology app or RIA updates before use.
- Avoid boat traffic, deep water, or exertion (e.g., swimming against current).
- No diving down—stay on surface.

Environmental Considerations

Rottnest Island is a Class A Reserve with fragile ecosystems, including seagrass meadows, marine life, and native wildlife. As a renter, you play a role in protecting it:

- No Touching: Look but don't touch or stand on coral, seagrass, or reefs—fragile and protected.
- Wildlife Respect: Do not approach, feed, or disturb quokkas, seals, birds, or marine animals. Keep 10m distance.
- Habitat Protection: Snorkel only in permitted areas (check RIA maps/sanctuary zones). Avoid kicking up sand.
- Sustainability: Rinse mask with fresh water after use to remove salt, prolonging life.
- Wind and Weather: Restrict use in strong winds to avoid drifting into sensitive areas or losing gear.

Cleaning and Packing

Steps:

1. Rinse thoroughly with fresh water (inside and out) after use.
2. Drain snorkel tube and dry in shade.
3. Remove any sand/debris from seals and valves.
4. Pack in carry bag.

Tips: Avoid direct sunlight storage to prevent damage.

Maintenance and Return

- Return to Rottnest Rentals: Return by 4:00pm. Inspect for damage; fees apply for tears, excessive dirt, or loss (e.g., \$50 cleaning fee, full replacement cost for unrepairable damage). Report any issues upon return.

Contact Information

- Rottnest Rentals: 0400 611 855 or crew@rotnestrentals.au for any questions or issues.