# **Animas Fire & Rescue Department**



# **Firefighter Position Task Book**

Assigned To:	

# Purpose:

To adequately train an Animas Fire & Rescue Department Firefighter up to an operational level in order that they may safely and effectively perform the duties of firefighter.

The firefighter shall compete given assignments and have all documentation signed by each instructor upon completion of assignments. The firefighter shall be assigned an instructor that shall be responsible for overseeing completion of the firefighter's training and documentation.

Upon completion, the documentation will be reviewed and signed by the firefighter, their instructor(s) and the Chief before they may be released to fire suppression duties.

The firefighter is responsible for all documentation herein and shall have it immediately available at all times.

Fire suppression personnel shall make themselves available to the firefighter upon any request for assistance in training.

At no time shall the firefighter perform fire suppression duties in the fire area or hazard area until released by the Chief to perform such duties.

# VERIFICATION OF COMPLETED TASK BOOK FOR THE POSITION OF FIREFIGHTER I

# FINAL EVALUATOR'S VERIFICATION

I verify that all tasks have been performed and are	complete with signatures. I also verify that _ has successfully demonstrated the knowledge
and skills necessary to function in the position of:	
FIREFIG	HTER I
Evaluator's Signature	Date
Evaluator's Printed Name	
Evaluator's Position	
Evaluator's Department/Agency	
Local government state	ement of competency
I verify that i	s qualified to perform in this position.
Official's Signature	Date
Official's Printed Name and Title	

#### FIREFIGHTER POSITION TASK BOOK

#### 1. Introduction

The intent of the Firefighter Position Task Book is to ensure that all firefighters have the basic skills and knowledge required to perform as team members of a fire department during emergency operations.

#### 2. Definitions

Competency – *Capable*; fit to perform the assigned tasks.

Shall – *Indicates a mandatory requirement.* 

Should – *Indicates a recommendation or that which is advised.* 

#### 3. Position Task Book (PTB)

This PTB was developed for the specific position within the fire service for Firefighter I. The PTB lists the performance requirements (tasks) for that position in a format that allows the trainee to be evaluated against written standards.

Evaluation and confirmation of the performance of all tasks with this PTB may involve more than one evaluator and can occur as part of a course, during exercises, at an incident, and in other fire service related situations.

The trainee may respond, but should not directly participate in fire suppression until having been satisfactorily evaluated on all essential tasks (**bold type**). While on the incident fireground, the trainee should be under direct supervision and should not participate in activities that require knowledge and/or skills that he/she has not received instruction on.

NOTE: Firefighter I essential tasks are covered in the IFSAC Firefighter Curriculum.

## 4. Prerequisites / Co-requisites

The PTB may list prerequisite and/or co-requisite skills that the trainee shall be competent to perform either prior to or in conjunction with the tasks listed in the PTB. The skills may simply be fore a lower level of competency (example – Firefighter I as a prerequisite to Firefighter II), or may have been determined to be a necessary skill level that is in a different area of expertise (example – NFPA 472 compliant Hazardous Materials Emergency Response at the Awareness Level as a co-requisite fore Firefighter I).

#### 5. Responsibilities

The fire department is responsible for:

- Determining local training policy
- The selecting of the trainee based on the needs of the local area
- Assigning the PTB to the trainee
- Explaining to the trainee the purpose and process of the PTB as well as the trainee's responsibilities

- Providing opportunities for the training and evaluation
- Evaluating the trainee at the local trainings/assignments
- Tracking the progress of the trainee
- Confirming PTB completion
- Signing the competency statement in the PTB
- Ensuring that competency is maintained through ongoing training and/or experience.

## The trainee is responsible for:

- Reviewing and understanding instructions in the PTB
- Identifying desired objectives/goals
- Satisfactorily demonstrating completion of all required tasks
- Acknowledging (initialing) that a task has been satisfactorily evaluated
- Assuring the evaluation record is complete
- Notifying the department administration when the task book is complete
- Maintaining proficiency in the tasks

### The instructor / evaluator is responsible for:

- Being qualified and proficient in the task(s) being taught/evaluated
- Meeting with the trainee and determining past experiences, current qualifications, and desired objectives/goals
- Reviewing tasks with the trainee
- Explaining to the trainee the training and evaluation procedures that will be utilized
- Identifying when/where tasks are to be taught/evaluated
- Accurately evaluating and recording demonstrated performance of tasks. (Satisfactory performance will be documented by dating and signing off on each specific task.)
- Signing the evaluator's verification statement in this PTB when all required tasks have been satisfactorily completed.

#### 6. Prerequisites

- Meet the minimum educational requirements established by fire department
- Meet the medical requirements established by the fire department
- Meet the physical fitness requirements established by the fire department

#### 7. Co-requisites

- Meet the emergency medical care performance capabilities established by the fire department.
- Meet the hazardous materials emergency response performance capabilities per OHSA 1910.120 or NFPA 472 for the Awareness Level as established by the fire department. Note: For MFTA Certification, the trainee must successfully complete the IFSAC Hazmat Awareness Level Training.
- Successfully complete an S130/S190/I100 Wildland Firefighting Training

#### 8. Instructions

- Each numbered section contains the section title, the task (<u>tasks are underlined</u>) and the sub-elements of the task.
  - Local Government Option
    - N/A Non-Applicable

- The governing agency has determined that the trainee will not be expected to perform those tasks as part of his/her duties.
- Evaluation Number
  - The entry in this block shall correspond with the entry in the evaluator's log
- Evaluation Type
  - C Classroom, discussion, inspection or written test
  - S Simulation or hands-on demonstration
  - F Fire incident (performance of tasks in a controlled environment on fire assignments)
  - I Incident (performance of tasks on other types of incidents)
  - $\bullet$  O Other

#### **EXAMPLE**

TASKS *	LOCAL	EVAL	EVAL	EVALUATOR	TRAINEE
Primary tasks are underlined. Sub-elements are	GOV	NO.	TYPE	Initial and date upon successful completion of task	Initial and date after
listed after each primary task	OPTION				evaluator has initiated
1. Firefighter Orientation		1.	С	MS 3/10/00	TD 3/10/00
and Safety					
Part A. Orientation					
Describe basic fire department organizational structure and operating					
procedures and distinguish among the duties					
and functions of fire department personnel.					
a. Read and understand the fire department					
SOP's.					

- Evaluator's initials and date if all sub-elements of the underlined primary task are evaluated at one time only, one evaluator initial and date is required per numbered paragraph. If sub-elements are evaluated at different times, the evaluator should initial and date each sub-element.
- Evaluators shall be entered in sequential order on the evaluation log at the end of this JTB. A given evaluator should be entered each time the date or circumstances surrounding an evaluation change.
- Trainee's initials and date the trainee shall verify that he/she successfully completed the task and was evaluated.

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Part A. Orientation  Describe basic fire department					
organizational structure and operating procedures and distinguish among the duties					
and functions of fire department personnel.					
a. Read and understand the fire department SOP's.					
b. State the mission of the Fire Service.					
c. Describe the four basic fire department organizational principles.					
d. Describe the six general functions of fire					
companies. e. List the primary knowledge and skills needed					
by a firefighter to function effectively.					
f. List typical duties of a Firefighter I and a Firefighter II.					
g. Identify other positions and their respective roles that may be used in fire suppression.					
h. Match special operations personnel to their					
primary responsibilities.  i. Match fire prevention, emergency medical					
services, and training personnel to their					
primary responsibilities. j. Describe the differences between policies and					
procedures. k. Identify the major operational positions					
within the ICS (IMS) structure.					
Match ICS terms to their definitions.     Describe in general terms the sequence of					
events when implementing ICS.					
n. Identify other organizations that the fire service is likely to interact with.					
<ul> <li>The firefighter shall identify proper relation with the media.</li> </ul>					
p. The firefighter shall identify potential impact					
of the public view of the firefighter. q. The firefighter shall identify activities that					
may not reflect a positive image of a fire					
service professional.  r. The firefighter shall identify report writing					
procedures					
Part B. Safety					
Follow basic fire station, apparatus, and tool safety procedures and guidelines.					
a. List firefighter health considerations.					
b. List areas in which an firefighter assistance program can help.					
c. Identify key facts about safety on an					
apparatus. d. Safety mount, use apparatus safety					
equipment, and dismount apparatus. e. Identify key aspects about personal safety in					
the fire station.					
f. Demonstrate proper lifting techniques. g. Identify general safety procedures for using					
station shop hand tools and power tools.					
h. Identify safety rules for using power saws. i. Identify key aspects of training safety.					
j. Identify key aspects of emergency scene					
safety.					

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2. Fire Behavior					
Predict probable fire behaviors and					
know the actions necessary to					
change or prevent these behaviors.					
a. Match measurement terms to their					
definitions.					
b. Define energy and work.					
c. Match types and states of energy to					
their definitions.					
d. Define power.					
e. Match heat and temperature terms					
to their definitions.					
f. Identify the differences between the					
three methods of heat transfer.					
g. Match properties of matter to their					
definitions.					
h. State the Law of Conservation of					
Mass-Energy.					
i. Identify chemical reactions					
j. Define fire.					
k. Provide examples of oxidation.					
1. Use the fire tetrahedron to explain					
combustion.					
m. Define fuel.					
n. Explain how fuel gases evolve from					
solids and liquids.					
o. Provide examples of sources of					
chemical and electrical heat energy.					
p. Describe ways in which mechanical					
and nuclear heat is generated.					
q. Identify stages/phases of					
compartment fire development.					
r. Identify factors that affect fire					
development.					
s. Define flame over/rollover					
t. Describe thermal layering and why					
it is critical to firefighting activities.					
u. List signs of possible backdraft.					
v. Identify the products of					
combustion.					
w. Describe the fire extinguishment					
theory as it pertains to the fire					
tetrahedron.					
x. Match fire classes to their					
descriptions.					
y. Match fire classes to their primary					
extinguishment methods.					

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3. Building Construction  Identify structural characteristics of building construction types and recognize signs and causes of potential building collapse.  a. Match Roman numeral building construction types to their basic structural characteristics.  b. Match Roman numeral classifications to their building construction.  c. Identify primary fire hazards associated with each type of construction.  d. Distinguish among types of walls.  e. Identify firefighting hazards related to construction.  f. Recognize hazards associated with lightweight and truss construction.  g. Identify factors that increase fire risk in buildings being constructed, renovated, or demolished.  h. Recognize signs of potential building collapse.  i. Identify actions to take when imminent building collapse is					
4. Firefighter Personal Protective Equipment Don and Doff protective clothing and use PASS device.  a. Match articles of protective clothing and equipment to their correct function. b. Don and doff protective clothing/equipment. c. Identify the four hazardous atmospheres that require the firefighter to wear an SCBA. d. Recognize the characteristics and sources of common toxic atmospheres associated with fires or other emergencies. e. Match toxic atmospheres to locations in which they are most likely to be found. f. Identify physical, mental, and medical factors that affect a firefighter's ability to use a SCBA. g. Describe equipment and air-supply limitations of SCBA. h. List characteristics of open-circuit and if applicable closed-circuit SCBA.					

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i. Identify the function of SCBA					
components and the safety features of SCBA.					
j. Identify the Safety Precautions for					
SCBA use.					
k. Identify the suggested procedures					
for emergency situations while wearing SCBA.					
l. Don and doff an open-circuit					
SCBA.					
m. Demonstrate the ability to operate PASS device.					
n. Demonstrate the ability to operate					
in areas of obscured visibility while					
wearing an SCBA.					
o. Demonstrate the ability to exit a constricted opening while wearing					
an SCBA. p. Demonstrate the ability to change					
an SCBA cylinder.					
q. Demonstrate the ability to fill an					
SCBA.					
r. Identify key aspects about SCBA					
operations, use and maintenance.					
s. Demonstrate the ability to clean,					
sanitize and inspect an SCBA.					
t. The firefighter shall identify					
procedures for maintenance of PPE:					
Inspecting quarterly, after use,					
Cleaning.					
u. The firefighter shall describe the limitations of personnel working in					
PPE.					
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5. Portable Extinguishers					
Identify and use portable fire					
extinguishers to extinguish small					
Class A, Class B, and Class C fires.					
a. Identify types of portable fire extinguishers.					
b. Identify the portable fire					
extinguisher rating system.					
c. Match extinguisher symbol shapes					
to fire classification letters.					
d. Match extinguisher pictographs to					
the extinguisher's intended					
application.					
e. List factors for selecting the proper					
portable extinguisher.					
f. List general guidelines for portable					
extinguisher operation.					
g. Demonstrate the ability to extinguish small Class A, Class B					
and Class C fires with the proper					
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h. Identify key aspects about fire					
extinguisher inspection, damage,					
and obsolescence.					
6. Ropes and Knots					
Identify and properly knot, use and					
maintain various types of ropes					
used in the fire service.					
a. Distinguish between life safety and					
utility rope applications.					
b. List criteria for reusing life safety					
rope.					
c. Match rope materials to their					
descriptions.					
d. Recognize the different types of					
rope construction.					
e. List basic guidelines for rope care and maintenance.					
f. List reasons for removing rope from					
service.					
g. Demonstrate the ability to inspect					
rope.					
h. Identify how to appropriately clean					
and store rope.					
i. Demonstrate the ability to coil and					
uncoil rope.					
j. Demonstrate the ability to bag or					
bird's nest coil rope for machine					
washing or storage.					
k. Demonstrate the ability to clean					
rope.					
l. Identify knot elements.					
m. Match knots to their primary application.					
n. Demonstrate the ability to tie knots					
commonly used in the fire service.					
o. Identify hoisting safety					
considerations.					
p. Demonstrate the ability to tie knots					
and hoist tools and equipment.					
7. Building Search, Rescue					
and Extrication					
Conduct a search and rescue in a					
structure operating as a member of					
a team.					
a. Distinguish between rescue and					
extrication operations.					
b. State the objective of building					
search.					
c. Define primary search and					
secondary search.					
d. Identify guidelines for rescue from					
burning buildings.	<u> </u>				

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e. Describe procedures for firefighters					
who become trapped or disoriented.					
f. List safety guidelines for search					
operations within buildings.					
g. Demonstrate the ability to move an					
injured victim to safety using					
appropriate carries, drags and					
stretchers.					
8. Forcible Entry					
Part A. Tools					
Identify and know appropriate					
applications and maintenance					
procedures for forcible entry tools.					
a. Identify cutting tools.					
b. Identify prying tools.					
c. Identify pushing/pulling tools.					
d. Identify striking tools.					
e. Recognize the basic applications of					
entry tools.					
f. Identify tools used for through-the-					
lock forcible entry.					
g. Identify tools for breaking					
padlocks.  h. Demonstrate the ability to break a					
door lock and a padlock.					
i. Identify forcible entry tool safety					
rules.					
j. Describe correct methods for					
carrying forcible entry tools.					
k. Identify general care and					
maintenance practices for forcible					
entry tools.					
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Part B. Forcible Entry					
Construction and techniques Recognize various types of					
construction components and use					
appropriate forcible entry					
techniques.					
a. Identify types of wood swinging					
doors and jambs.					
b. Match metal swinging doors to					
their description.					
c. Identify types of sliding, revolving,					
and overhead doors.					
d. Identify key facts about fire doors.					
e. Identify locks and locking devices.					
f. Identify safety rules for breaking					
glass.					
g. Demonstrate the ability properly					
break ordinary and tempered plate					
glass.					

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h. Identify procedures for forcing swinging, revolving, and overhead doors.  i. Demonstrate the ability to force doors of different types and mounts. j. Describe methods of forcible entry in special circumstances. k. Describe ways of gaining entry past fences. l. Identify types of windows. m. Identify methods for forcing windows and screened and barred openings. n. Demonstrate the ability to force different types of windows. o. Identify methods of opening floors and walls. p. Demonstrate the ability to open a metal wall and a wood floor					
metal wall and a wood floor.  9. Ground Ladders					
Identify, carry, raise, climb, inspect, and maintain fire ground ladders.  a. Label the parts of a fire service ladder.  b. Identify types of fire service ground ladders and define their uses.  c. Demonstrate the ability to clean and inspect a ladder.  d. List ladder safety rules.  e. Identify facts about selecting the proper ladder for the job.  f. Lift and carry a ladder.  g. Identify key aspects about ground ladder placement.  h. Secure a raised ladder.  i. Raise a ladder from varies carries.  j. Demonstrate the ability to properly climb and work from ground ladders, with and without safety harness.  k. Demonstrate the ability to assist conscious and unconscious victims down ground ladders.					
10. Ventilation  Apply the principles of ventilation to appropriately ventilate a building.  a. Define ventilation. b. Describe types of ventilation. c. Identify advantages of ventilation for specific rescue, attach, conservation, and fire control operations.					

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d. Identify signs of potential					
backdraft.					
e. Identify the primary ventilation					
method used to prevent backdraft.					
f. Describe life safety hazards that can					
affect firefighters and rescue					
workers in unventilated buildings.					
g. Identify factors that aid the					
firefighter in determining whether					
to use vertical or horizontal					
ventilation.					
h. Identify special considerations					
associated with ventilating high-					
rise buildings.					
i. Identify special considerations					
associated with ventilating					
windowless buildings and					
basements.					
j. Recognize ways in which vertical					
fire extension occurs.					
k. Identify factors that have a bearing					
on the location and size of					
ventilation opening.					
l. The firefighter shall demonstrate the					
use of power tools for ventilation					
(chainsaw, K12, and PPV Fan).					
m. The firefighter shall demonstrate					
the use of hand tools for ventilation					
(axe, trash hook).					
n. The firefighter shall identify the					
dangers and precautions while					
performing ventilation: Hazards to					
firefighters, Hazards to occupants,					
Safety precautions while					
ventilating, Forced ventilation.					
o. The firefighter shall identify natural					
and mechanical methods for					
horizontal ventilation of a structure.					
p. The firefighter shall identify the					
phases of fire that a backdraft is					
most likely to occur in.					
q. The firefighter shall identify the					
protective procedure if caught in a					
flashover and evacuation					
techniques.					
r. Identify safety precautions that					
should be observed when					
performing vertical ventilation.					
s. Identify roof construction design.					
t. Identify existing roof openings.					
u. Describe the three basic types of					
roofs as they relate to ventilation					
operations.	<u> </u>				

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11. Water Supply					
Describe the fundamentals of a					
water supply system and be able to					
connect a fire department pumper					
to various water sources.					
a. Define key terms associated with					
water supply.					
b. Identify the four fundamental					
components of a modern water					
supply.					
c. Identify methods of moving water					
from municipal supply to					
distribution systems.					
d. Recognize the function of a					
processing or treatment facility and					
what the fire department's main					
concern is regarding these facilities.					
e. Label the parts of a water					
distribution system.					
f. Identify recommended water					
distribution systems pipe sizes for					
residential, business and industrial,					
and long mains. g. Identify types of water main valves.					
h. Identify causes of friction loss in					
water mains.					
i. Distinguish between wet-barrel and					
dry-barrel fire hydrants.					
j. Make soft-sleeve and hard-suction					
hydrant connections and open and					
close the hydrant.					
k. Identify alternative static water					
supply sources.					
1. Identify how water shuttling and					
relay pumping is performed.					
m. Deploy a portable water tank.					
n. Connect and place a hard-suction					
hose for drafting from a static water					
source.					
12. Fire Hose					
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Part A – Coupling, Loading and					
Rolling Hose					
Couple, load and roll hose.					
a. Recognize and define terms					
associated with fire hose.					
b. Recognize pumper hose sizes, types					
and application as required by					
NFPA 1901.					
c. Identify the proper nozzle and hose					
for a given attack situation.					
d. Identify types of hose couplings.					

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e. Demonstrate the ability to inspect					
hose couplings, replace a hose					
gasket and couple and uncouple					
hose.					
f. Identify general guidelines for					
loading hose.					
g. Identify hose loads and finishes					
h. Match hose loads to their					
advantages and disadvantages.					
i. Load and unload hose.					
j. Identify hose rolls. k. Roll hose.					
l. The firefighter, operating as an					
individual, shall demonstrate the					
methods of breaking a tight screw-					
thread connection: Knee-press					
method (one person), stiff-arm					
method (two person), Spanner					
wrench method.					
m. The firefighter shall demonstrate					
the methods for attaching a nozzle					
to a hose.					
n. The firefighter shall demonstrate the methods of connecting hose					
fittings: Female couplings to fixed					
male fittings, Male coupling to					
fixed female fitting.					
Part B. Laying, Carrying and					
Advancing Hose.					
Make hydrant connections from					
various lays and will be able to					
carry, drag, advance, and handle both charged and uncharged hose					
lines.					
a. Distinguish among descriptions of					
hose lays.					
b. Describe basic safety guidelines for					
laying hose.					
c. Describe advantages and					
disadvantages of forward and					
reverse lays.					
d. Make hydrant connections from					
forward and reverse lays. e. Identify hose carries and drags.					
f. Identify safety precautions for					
advancing lines to a fire.					
g. Advance charged and uncharged					
lines of two different sizes, from an					
apparatus, into a structure, up a					
ladder into an upper floor window,					
up a stairwell.					
h. Handle charged attack lines.					

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i. Identify methods of preventing					
mechanical, thermal, organic, and chemical hose damage.					
j. Describe how to clean, inspect and					
store hose.					
k. Demonstrate how to inspect, clean					
and dry hose.					
1. The firefighter shall demonstrate the proper methods of operating 1 ½"					
or 1 3/4" charged hoselines: one-					
person-method, two-person-					
method, three-person-method.					
m. The firefighter shall identify the					
sizes, types, amounts, and use of hose carried on fire apparatus.					
13. Fire Streams					
Identify and operate a given section of nozzles and tips for water fire					
streams.					
a. Describe properties and					
extinguishing capabilities of water.					
b. List guidelines for reducing friction loss and preventing water hammer.					
c. List discharge rates for low-					
volume, handlines and master					
streams.					
d. Describe the advantages and					
disadvantages associated with handling solid and fog streams.					
e. Identify types of nozzles.					
f. Operate various fire hose nozzles.					
g. Explain the operation of ball, slide					
and rotary nozzle valves.  h. Identify areas to check when					
maintaining and cleaning nozzles.					
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14. Fire Control					
Operate as part of a team to control					
and/or extinguish interior and					
exterior Class A, C, and D fires and passenger vehicle and wildland					
fires.					
a. Describe key elements covering					
suppressing Class A (structural)					
fires. b. Distinguish among direct, indirect,					
and combination attacks on Class A					
fires.					
c. Describe key elements covering					
deploying and operating a master					
stream device.					
d. Deploy and operate a master stream device.					

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e. Describe key elements covering					
Class C fire control.  f. List safety guidelines for electrical					
emergencies.					
g. Describe key elements covering					
Class D fire control.					
h. Describe key elements covering company tactics for fire control					
i. Demonstrate the ability to control					
and/or extinguish a Class A fire					
within a structure.					
j. List guidelines for controlling					
passenger vehicle fires.					
k. Identify hazards associated with controlling passenger vehicle fire.					
1. Demonstrate the ability to attack a					
passenger vehicle fire.					
m. Demonstrate the ability to					
extinguish a fire in a trash container.					
n. Describe key elements covering					
fires and emergencies in confined					
spaces.					
o. Describe key elements covering					
wildland fires.					
p. List standard fire orders for wildland fire fighting.					
q. Analyze wildland fire scenarios.					
15. Fire Detection, Alarm and					
Suppression Systems					
Perform basic operations at					
properties protected by automatic					
<ul><li>sprinklers.</li><li>a. Label the parts of a sprinkler head.</li></ul>					
b. Identify automatic sprinkler head					
release mechanisms.					
c. Describe pendant, upright and					
sidewall sprinkler design.					
d. Demonstrate the ability to manually stop the flow of water from a					
sprinkler head.					
e. Identify the main control valve on					
an automatic sprinkler system.					
f. Identify sprinkler system control					
valves. g. Demonstrate the ability to operate a					
sprinkler system control valve.					
h. Describe key elements covering a					
sprinkler system's Fire Department					
Connection (FDC)					
i. Demonstrate the ability to connect hose line to a sprinkler system					
FDC.					

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j. Identify guidelines for operations at sprinkler-protected properties.					
16 & 17. Loss Control and		·	·		
Protecting Evidence					
for Fire Cause					
Determination					
Safely and efficiently perform					
salvage and overhaul at a fire scene					
while protecting evidence for fire					
<u>cause determination.</u> a. List the benefits of loss control to					
the public and the fire department.					
b. State the purpose of salvage.					
c. State the purpose of overhaul.					
d. Describe key elements covering					
salvage planning and procedures.					
e. Describe in general terms the different salvage tools, equipment,					
and materials.					
f. Fold and roll salvage covers.					
g. Demonstrate the ability to spread					
salvage covers from various fold					
<ul><li>and rolls.</li><li>h. Demonstrate the ability to clean,</li></ul>					
inspect and repair salvage covers.					
i. Demonstrate the ability to construct					
and splice water chutes.					
j. Construct a catchall.					
k. Demonstrate the ability to cover or close building openings.					
Describe the correct uses for tools					
and equipment used in overhaul.					
m. Describe key elements covering					
overhaul safety and methods.					
n. List the four basic methods of detecting hidden fires.					
o. Use an infrared scanner.					
p. Demonstrate the ability to pull a					
ceiling.					
q. Demonstrate the ability to remove					
debris and route water from a					
r. Provide examples of information					
that should be noted/reported in					
route or in the vicinity of the fire					
scene.					
s. Provide examples of information					
that should be noted/reported on arrival at the fire scene.					
t. Provide examples of information					
that should be noted/recorded					
during firefighting.					

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u. Identify key aspects about preserving and protecting evidence during overhaul.					
18. Fire Department					
Communications					
Identify and properly use various fire service communications systems and equipment.					
a. Describe key elements covering telecommunications center personnel.					
b. Describe key elements covering fire department telecommunications equipment.					
c. Describe in general terms proper etiquette for receiving a non-emergency call.					
d. List basic procedures for answering emergency calls.					
e. Demonstrate the ability to handle business calls and reports of emergencies.					
f. Describe key elements covering public alerting systems.					
g. List procedures for reporting a fire/emergency.					
h. List methods of alerting fire department personnel.					
<ul><li>i. List guidelines for proper two-way radio use and etiquette.</li><li>j. Demonstrate the ability to analyze</li></ul>					
and correct two-way radio transmissions.					
k. Role-play transmitting arrival and progress reports based on scenario					
information.  1. Describe key elements covering					
tactical channels. Emergency radio traffic and evacuation signals.					
m. use prescribed fire department radio procedures.					
19. Fire Prevention and					
Public fire Education					
Identify residential fire hazards,					
conduct a fire station tour and a					
residential fire safety survey and					
make and document a fire and life					
<ul><li>safety presentation.</li><li>a. Define the terms fire "safety</li></ul>					
survey, fire safety inspections, pre-					
incident survey, and residential fire safety survey".					

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<ul> <li>b. List types of fuel hazards and heat source hazards.</li> <li>c. List the main objectives of a residential fire safety survey.</li> <li>d. Describe in general terms the guidelines for conducting a residential fire safety survey.</li> <li>e. List the most common causes of residential fires.</li> <li>f. State aspects to check for interior residential survey concerns.</li> <li>g. State aspects to check for outside residential survey concerns.</li> <li>h. Demonstrate the ability to conduct a residential fire safety survey.</li> <li>i. Explain the main parts of a fire and life safety presentation.</li> <li>j. Describe in general terms fire and life safety presentation.</li> <li>k. Demonstrate the ability to make and document a fire and life safety presentation.</li> <li>l. Describe in general terms, facts about fire station tour procedures.</li> <li>m. Demonstrate the ability to conduct a fire station tour.</li> </ul>					
20. Apparatus					
Familiarization  a. The firefighter shall be able to identify various types of automotive fire apparatus: Engine, Rescue, Brush, Quick Attack, Tender, Command, Ambulance.  b. Additionally, the firefighter shall identify the Animas Fire & Rescue apparatus as well as name, location, and use of equipment and hose loads on the apparatus.					
21. Rescue  Demonstrate the proper techniques					
of searching for victims.  a. The firefighter, given the proper information, shall list two objectives to be achieved while searching for victims in a building on fire.  b. The firefighter, given a small one story building with blacked out					
facepiece, shall demonstrate the establishing of search pattern for the building and multiple rooms that are involved.  * Tasks were derived from the study of	piective of the Int	ernational Fir	e Service Tra	ining Association	

<sup>\*</sup> Tasks were derived from the study objective of the International Fire Service Training Association Essentials of Fire Fighting Curriculum (fourth addition)

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TRAINEE NAME	TRAINEE POSITION

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#### Described of Event:

Use of this block is optional. It is intended to be used as an additional means of determining whether the conditions under which the evaluation was conducted where appropriate. Examples of entries under this column are: wildland fire incident name, address of structure fire, type/location of incident other than fire, etc.

# Evaluator's Qualification:

- L Competent at level (or higher) being evaluated
- Q Qualified based on other professional experience or qualification
- O Other (specify)