



OHIO FIRE ACADEMY

FIREFIGHTER I COMPENTENCY EVALUATION

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Objective(s): 5.5.2 **Primary Task:** REPLACE A BROKEN SWIVEL GASKET NFPA 1001 Standard, 2008 Edition

Skill No. 1001ff1-101 **PERFORMANCE CRITERIA AND INSTRUCTIONS**

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with several sections of fire hose (multiple sizes), with one section containing a broken swivel gasket.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a selection of various gaskets to complete this task.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.
4. The candidate shall have 10 minutes to complete this task.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

“The candidate shall identify and demonstrate procedures for replacing a broken swivel gasket.”

PERFORMANCE

	CRITICAL STEP	YES	NO
1. The candidate shall identify a broken swivel gasket.	©		
2. The candidate shall select the proper gasket to replace the broken gasket.	©		
3. The candidate shall demonstrate the method in which the gasket is replaced.	©		
4. The candidate shall place the fire hose back in service.			
Reference: IFSTA Essentials of Firefighting 5th Edition, Chapter 13	TOTAL		

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Objective(s): 5.5.1 Primary Task: KERNMANTLE ROPE INSPECTION NFPA 1001 Standard, 2008 Edition

Skill No. 1001ff1-102 PERFORMANCE CRITERIA AND INSTRUCTIONS

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with a Kernmantle Rope.
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.
3. The candidate shall have 10 minutes to complete this task.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

“The candidate shall identify procedures for inspecting Kernmantle Rope.”

PERFORMANCE	CRITICAL STEP	YES	NO
1. Inspects for obvious damage, cuts, nicks, or abrasions.	©		
2. Tactilely inspects by putting slight tension on the rope.	©		
3. Inspects for dirt, shards of glass, metal shavings, wood splinters, or foreign objects.			
4. Inspects for lumps, depressions, soft spots, foul smells, irregularities in shape or weave, and discoloration to outer sheath.	©		
Reference: IFSTA Essentials of Firefighting 5 th Edition, Chapter 7	TOTAL		

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Objective(s): 5.5.1 Primary Task: LAID ROPE INSPECTION NFPA 1001 Standard, 2008 Edition

Skill No. 1001ff1-103 PERFORMANCE CRITERIA AND INSTRUCTIONS

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with a Laid Rope.
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.
3. The candidate shall have 10 minutes to complete this task.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

“The candidate shall identify procedures for inspecting Laid Rope.”

PERFORMANCE	CRITICAL STEP	YES	NO
1. Identifies problem areas with synthetic laid ropes; soft, crusty, stiff, or brittle spots, or areas of excessive stretching.	©		
2. Inspects for damage, cuts, nicks, abrasions, and chemical damage.	©		
3. Inspects for dirt, shards of glass, metal shavings, wood splinters, or foreign objects.			
4. Untwists and checks internally.	©		
Reference: IFSTA Essentials of Firefighting 5th Edition, Chapter 7	TOTAL		

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Objective(s): 5.5.1 **Primary Task:** CLEAN AND CHECK VENTILATION TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT
NFPA 1001 Standard, 2008 Edition

Skill No. 1001ffI-104 **PERFORMANCE CRITERIA AND INSTRUCTIONS**

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with cleaning tools and ventilation equipment in which to perform this skill.
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.
3. The candidate shall have 10 minutes to complete this skill.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

“The candidate shall identify procedures for cleaning and checking ventilation equipment.”

PERFORMANCE	CRITICAL STEP	YES	NO
1. Given cleaning tools, identifies cleaning methods of ventilation equipment.	©		
2. Identifies correct use of cleaning solvents.	©		
3. Identifies various parts of provided ventilation equipment.			
4. Wears proper PPE for cleaning equipment.	©		
5. Identifies cleaning methods according to manufactures or departmental guidelines.			
Reference: IFSTA Essentials of Firefighting 5th Edition, Chapter 9	TOTAL		

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Objective(s): 5.5.1 **Primary Task:** CLEAN AND CHECK SALVAGE EQUIPMENT NFPA 1001 Standard, 2008 Edition

Skill No. 1001ff1-105 **PERFORMANCE CRITERIA AND INSTRUCTIONS**

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with cleaning tools and salvage equipment in which to perform this skill.
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.
3. The candidate shall have 10 minutes to complete this skill.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

“The candidate shall identify procedures for cleaning and checking salvage equipment.”

PERFORMANCE	CRITICAL STEP	YES	NO
1. Given cleaning tools, identifies cleaning methods of salvage equipment	©		
2. Identifies correct use of cleaning solvents.	©		
3. Identifies various parts of provided salvage equipment.			
4. Wears proper PPE for cleaning equipment.	©		
5. Identifies cleaning methods according to manufactures or departmental guidelines.			
Reference: IFSTA Essentials of Firefighting 5th Edition, Chapter 17	TOTAL		

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Objective(s): 5.5.1 **Primary Task:** MAINTAIN LOGBOOK FOR RESCUE ROPE NFPA 1001 Standard, 2008 Edition

Skill No. 1001ff1-106 **PERFORMANCE CRITERIA AND INSTRUCTIONS**

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with a Scenario, Rope and a Rope Log.
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.
3. The candidate shall have 10 minutes to complete this skill.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

“The candidate shall demonstrate procedures for recording data for a rescue rope.”

PERFORMANCE	CRITICAL STEP	YES	NO
1. Candidate completes rope log.			
2. Log was completed accurately.	©		
3. Candidate only completed sections that information was available for, did not assume any information.	©		
4. Report was neat and legible.			
5. Report is signed for verification.	©		
Reference: IFSTA Essentials of Firefighting 5th Edition, Chapter 7	TOTAL		

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Objective(s): 5.5.2

Primary Task: Mark Defective Hose

NFPA 1001 Standard, 2008 Edition

Skill No. 1001ff1-107

PERFORMANCE CRITERIA AND INSTRUCTIONS

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with a roll of defective hose and supplies for marking this hose as defective (example: O.O.S. tag, pen, marker, hose record) and a scenario.
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.
3. The candidate shall have 10 minutes to complete this skill.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

“The candidate shall identify procedures for marking defective hose out-of-service.”

PERFORMANCE	CRITICAL STEP	YES	NO
1. Labels hose out-of-service with approved tag.	©		
2. Hose Record was completed accurately.	©		
3. Record was neat and legible.			
4. Record was signed for verification.	©		
Reference: IFSTA Essentials of Firefighting 5th Edition, Chapter 13	TOTAL		

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Scenario

For the purpose of this scenario, you have been given the task of marking a section of 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ " hose, number 125, out-of-service.

Reason for marking out-of-service: Hose failed your annual hose test. Hose jacket failed.



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Objective(s): 5.5.2
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Primary Task: Wash Fire Hose Using a Hydrant Hose Washer

Skill No. 1001ff1-108

PERFORMANCE CRITERIA AND INSTRUCTIONS

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with a section of 1½” hose.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a hydrant fire hose washer.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.
4. The candidate shall have 10 minutes to complete this task.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

“The candidate shall demonstrate procedures for washing a fire hose using a hydrant fire hose washer.”

PERFORMANCE	CRITICAL STEP	YES	NO
1. Candidate shall select a fire hydrant that has sufficient water pressure and flow, and is out of vehicular traffic pattern.			
2. Candidate shall hook-up fire hose washer to a fire hydrant.			
3. Candidate shall turn on fire hydrant.			
4. Candidate shall insert fire hose into hose washer and “feed” hose into washer at a sufficient speed to clean hose.	©		
5. Candidate shall check fire hose to verify that fire hose is clean.	©		
Reference: IFSTA Essentials 5th Edition, Chapter 13	TOTAL		

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Objective(s): 5.5.2 **Primary Task:** Wash Fire Hose Using a Hose Washing Machine
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Skill No. 1001ff1-109 **PERFORMANCE CRITERIA AND INSTRUCTIONS**

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with a 1 ½” fire hose.
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.
3. The candidate shall have 10 minutes to complete this task.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

“The candidate shall demonstrate procedures for washing a fire hose using a hose washing machine.”

PERFORMANCE	CRITICAL STEP	YES	NO
1. Candidate should verify that hose washer has a water source and electric hooked-up and turned on.			
2. Candidate should check and adjust as necessary the hose racks for appropriate size of fire hose.			
3. Candidate should close drain and fill tub with warm water.			
4. Candidate should place fire hose in tub of water.			
5. Candidate should open cover on washer, exposing brushes and route fire hose through brushes.			
6. Candidate should close cover and turn on hose washer brushes and water spray.			
7. Candidate shall wash fire hose.	©		
Reference: IFSTA Essentials 5th Edition, Chapter 13	TOTAL		

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Objective(s): 5.5.2 **Primary Task:** Dry Fire Hose NFPA 1001 Standard, 2008 Edition

Skill No. 1001ff1-110

PERFORMANCE CRITERIA AND INSTRUCTIONS

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with a section of 1½” or 2½” fire hose and a hose dryer.
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.
3. The candidate shall have 10 minutes to complete this task.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

“The candidate shall demonstrate procedures for drying a wet fire hose in a hose dryer.”

PERFORMANCE	CRITICAL STEP	YES	NO
1. Candidate shall open hose dryer and remove hose drying rack.			
2. Candidate shall place wet fire hose on drying rack in an acceptable manner.	©		
3. Candidate shall replace drying rack with wet fire hose into hose dryer.			
4. Candidate shall close-the doors to the hose dryer and turn on heater/blower for a sufficient amount of time to dry hose.	©		
Reference: IFSTA Essentials 5th Edition, Chapter 13	TOTAL		

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Objective(s): 5.3.10
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Primary Task: Advancing a Charged Attack Line Up or Down Stairs and Attacking Fire

Skill No. 1001ff1-111

PERFORMANCE CRITERIA AND INSTRUCTIONS

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with a charged 1½”, 1¾” or larger fire hose with nozzle.
2. The candidate shall be given a building or prop with an interior and/or exterior stairways.
3. The candidate shall be informed as to the location of the fire, either upstairs or down stairs.
4. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the task.
5. The candidate shall have 10 minutes to complete this skill.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

“The candidate, given the fire hose provided, shall demonstrate procedures for advancing the hose up or down a stairway to the fire location and attacking the fire.”

PERFORMANCE	CRITICAL STEP	YES	NO
1. Wears appropriate PPE per manufacturer’s recommendation.	©		
2. Effectively advances hose line with partner to the stairs.	©		
3. Bleeds the air out of the hoseline and checks pattern.	©		
4. Safely advances hose up or down stairway to the fire location.	©		
5. Feels the door with the back of hand, if door is present.			
6. Stays low while entering the doorway or fire area.	©		
7. Advances to and attacks the fire.	©		
Reference: IFSTA Essentials 5th Edition, Chapter 15	TOTAL		

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Objective(s): 5.3.10 **Primary Task:** Advancing a Uncharged Attack Line Up or Down Stairs and Attacking Fire
NFPA 1001 Standard, 2008 Edition

Skill No. 1001ff1-112 **PERFORMANCE CRITERIA AND INSTRUCTIONS**

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with an uncharged, 1½”, 1¾” or larger fire hose with nozzle.
2. The candidate shall be given a building or prop with an interior and/or exterior stairways.
3. The candidate shall be informed as to the location of the fire, either upstairs or down stairs.
4. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the task.
5. The candidate shall have 10 minutes to complete this skill.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

“The candidate, given the fire hose provided, shall demonstrate procedures for advancing the hose up or down a stairway to the fire location and attacking the fire.”

PERFORMANCE	CRITICAL STEP	YES	NO
1. Wears appropriate PPE per manufacturer’s recommendation.	©		
2. Effectively advances hose line with partner to the stairs.	©		
3. Safely advances hose up or down stairs to the fire location.	©		
4. Bleeds the air out of the hoseline and checks pattern.	©		
5. Feels the door with the back of hand, if door is present.			
6. Stays low while entering the doorway.	©		
7. Advances to and attacks the fire.	©		
Reference: IFSTA Essentials 5th Edition, Chapter 15	TOTAL		

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Objective(s): 5.3.13 **Primary Task:** Remove Flooring NFPA 1001 Standard, 2008 Edition

Skill No. 1001ffI-113 **PERFORMANCE CRITERIA AND INSTRUCTIONS**

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with a pick head axe, flashlight, salvage cover, and other hand tools as necessary.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a structure, or prop, on which this operation may be demonstrated.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the task.
4. The candidate shall have 10 minutes to complete this skill.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

“The candidate, provided with a pick head axe and salvage cover, shall demonstrate procedures for removing flooring to expose and extinguish hidden fire.”

PERFORMANCE	CRITICAL STEP	YES	NO
1. Wears appropriate PPE per manufacturer’s recommendation.	©		
2. Ensures that a charged handline is available.	©		
3. Uses a pick head axe or suitable tool.	©		
4. Selects the place to make the opening.			
5. Locates the rafters by sounding.			
6. Uses chopping strokes to cut the flooring along the rafters.	©		
7. Uses the pick or other hand tool to pull the flooring and sub-flooring from the rafters.	©		
8. Extinguishes any hidden fire.	©		
Reference: IFSTA Essentials 5th Edition, Chapter 17	TOTAL		

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Objective(s): 5.3.13 **Primary Task:** Recognize the Area of Origin and Signs of Arson and Preserve Evidence
 NFPA 1001 Standard, 2008 Edition

Skill No. 1001ff1-114 **PERFORMANCE CRITERIA AND INSTRUCTIONS**

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with a fire scene.
2. The candidate will recognize the area of origin and look for signs of possible arson.
3. The candidate will preserve area of origin and any evidence of arson.
4. The candidate will notify a superior officer of findings or calls for a fire investigator.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

“The candidate, provided with a fire scene, shall recognize the area of origin, look for signs of arson and preserve evidence”.

PERFORMANCE	CRITICAL STEP	YES	NO
1. Wears appropriate PPE per manufacturer’s recommendation.	©		
2. Ensures that all fire is extinguished.	©		
3. Observes fire scene and identifies area of origin.	©		
4. Notes any evidence of arson.	©		
5. Preserves area of origin and any possible evidence of arson.	©		
6. Notifies a superior officer of findings or calls for a fire investigator.	©		
Reference: IFSTA Essentials 5th Edition, Chapter 18	TOTAL		

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Objective(s): 5.3.14 Primary Task: Covering an Opening in a Structure NFPA 1001 Standard, 2008 Edition

Skill No. 1001ff1-115 PERFORMANCE CRITERIA AND INSTRUCTIONS

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with a variety of equipment to cover an opening, i.e. lath, hammer, nails (various sizes), plywood, heavy plastic, roofing/tar paper, heavy duty roofing knife.
2. The candidate will be told the type of opening to be covered, i.e. roof, window, door, or floor opening.
3. The candidate will select the materials he/she wishes to use.
4. The candidate will properly cover the opening he/she is given.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

“The candidate, given an opening in a structure, shall properly cover the opening”.

PERFORMANCE	CRITICAL STEP	YES	NO
1. Selects the proper materials to keep elements out of the structure.	©		
2. Uses sufficient amount of material to cover the opening completely to keep out the elements.	©		
3. Uses appropriate nails.	©		
4. Tacks the edges down with lath to secure the materials.	©		
Reference: IFSTA Essentials 5th Edition, Chapter 17	TOTAL		

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Objective(s): 5.3.14

Primary Task: Debris Removal

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Skill No. 1001ff1-116

PERFORMANCE CRITERIA AND INSTRUCTIONS

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with any equipment necessary for debris removal, i.e. brooms, shovels, salvage covers, squeegees, portable pumps, mops, buckets, etc.
2. The candidate shall demonstrate the procedures for debris removal.
3. The candidate may verbalize key steps while performing this skill.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

“The candidate, given a scenario or a structure, shall properly remove debris from a structure”.

PERFORMANCE	CRITICAL STEP	YES	NO
1. Wears appropriate PPE per manufacturer’s recommendations.	©		
2. Locates necessary equipment for debris removal.	©		
3. Has a charged handline ready to extinguish any burning debris.	©		
4. Removes debris from structure, locates debris in a suitable location and fashion.	©		
5. <i>May verbally state that caution should be exercised in moving debris in a suspicious fire.</i>			
Reference: IFSTA Essentials 5 th Edition, Chapter 17	TOTAL		

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Objective(s): 5.3.14
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Primary Task: Protecting the Area of Origin for Cause Determination

Skill No. 1001ff1-117

PERFORMANCE CRITERIA AND INSTRUCTIONS

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with any equipment necessary to protect the area of origin for cause determination, i.e. barrier tape, etc.
2. The candidate shall demonstrate the procedures for protecting the area of origin for cause determination.
3. The candidate may verbalize key steps while performing this skill.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

“The candidate, given a scenario or a structure, shall properly protect the area of origin for cause determination”.

PERFORMANCE	CRITICAL STEP	YES	NO
1. Identifies the need to barricade the fire area or structure from entry by unauthorized personnel.	©		
2. Verbalizes the need to prohibit touching or disturbing of potential evidence.	©		
3. Verbalizes the need to leave evidence in place, unless it must be moved to preserve.	©		
4. Preserves evidence in place by:			
a) marking with flags, if possible.			
b) covering footprints with boxes.			
c) covering documents with plastic type materials to prevent further water damage.			
5. Moves evidence, if necessary to preserve.	©		
6. Documents information about evidence location, photographs in place and preserves.	©		
7. Initiates the chain of custody for all evidence taken into custody by the candidate.	©		
8. Turns over all evidence and records to investigator before leaving the scene.	©		
Reference: IFSTA Essentials 5th Edition, Chapter 18	TOTAL		

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