

Background

This document contains instructions to aid the lead evaluator in properly and consistently greeting the candidates and informing them of what will be expected during the administration of skills testing. The scrip contained below will be read to the candidates by the lead evaluator while the candidates are in staging.

Pre Exam Script

(To be read by the lead evaluator, filling the blank spaces as specified.)

My name is (lead evaluator states his/her name). On behalf of State Fire Training and (evaluator states the name of the ARTP or ALA hosting the skills examination) I would like to welcome you. We will be evaluating your performance today on the following skills (evaluator states skill sheet numbers and the title of the each skill; for example, "Skill Sheet 2-2.1, Don, Doff and Prepare Structural Personal Protective Equipment for Reuse.")

You will be required to successfully complete these skills with no errors. If you do not complete the skills in accordance with the published State Fire Training skill sheet, or if you commit a safety error while performing the skill, you will receive a failing score.

If you fail any skill in your first attempt, your skill sheet will be reviewed by the Lead Evaluator to determine if you are eligible to receive a second attempt to successfully complete the skill prior to the end of this skills examination session.

Once you complete each skill, the evaluator will ask you to review and sign the skill sheet on which he/she has recorded your score.

After you complete each skill, you will remain at the skill station until you are escorted back to the staging area.

Do you have any questions? (Evaluator answers questions the candidate may have.)