



FIREMAN BADGE

(Corresponding badge for under 15 ~ Firefighter badge)

1. Pass or repass the Firefighter badge.
2. Have a knowledge of the history and traditions of the Fire & Rescue Service, how it is organised and functions in (a) your own Brigade area and (b) the remainder of the country.
3. Know the dangers and understand the fire precautions in the home and at the Scout Headquarters relating to domestic heating, cleaning materials, petrol, coal fires, electricity, electric irons, fuses and meters, gas, storage of materials, doors and windows. Plan the fire precautions and seating arrangements for a Scout or similar entertainment, and know why precautions are necessary. Know the dangers of fire at camp and what precautions should be taken.
4. Explain the methods of rescue employed; explain and demonstrate crawling with an insensible person.
5. Demonstrate how to lift and walk with an insensible person by means of the Fireman's Lift.
6. Know the causes of heath and grass fires, and how to deal with an outbreak. Know and demonstrate the function and proper use of a foam extinguisher, and the use of a hose reel (garden hose). Demonstrate the use of a mat for beating or smothering.
7. Demonstrate running out a length of fire hose, connecting to a hydrant and how to hold a branch.
8. Following an inspection of a Fire Station and appliances, be able to answer questions on the working of a fire station and the general use of equipment carried on fire appliances.