

SNOWBOARDING WRITTEN TEST

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- 1.) Discuss winter sports safety, and show that you know first aid for injuries or illnesses that could occur while skiing, including hypothermia, shock, dehydration, sunburn, fractures, bruises, sprains, and strains. Tell how to apply splints.

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- 2.) Explain why every skier should be prepared to tender first aid in the event of a skiing accident.

- 3.) Explain the procedure used to report an accident to the local ski patrol for the area where you usually ski.

- 4.) A. Tell the meaning of the "Your Responsibility Code" for skiers and snowboarders. Explain why you must follow this code.

B. Explain the Smart Style safety program. Tell why it is important and how it applies to skiers and snowboarders in terrain parks and pipes.

C. Explain the precautions pertaining to avalanche safety, including the responsibility of individuals regarding avalanche safety.

D. Tell the meaning of the Wilderness Use Policy. Explain why each skier and snowboarder must adopt this policy.

A. Discuss forward fall injuries. Tell about prevention and what action must be taken in the event of any type of injury or accident.

C. Explain the use of different binding methods. Explain the need for leashes.

D. Discuss the four types of snowboards.

F. Explain how to ride two types of lifts beside chair.

G. Explain the international trail-marking system.

H. Name the steps in waxing your board.

M. Name the major snowboarding organizations in the United States and describe their functions.