

Study Plan — *Locks, Safes and Security: An International Police Reference* (2nd ed.)  
User Story Cards (Template + Detailed Examples)

## Contents

## How to write effective user stories (quick guide)

**Template** *As a <persona>, I want to <capability> so that <outcome/value>.*

**BDD Acceptance Criteria** use **Given/When/Then**:

**Given** the preconditions    **When** the action/event occurs    **Then** the observable outcome happens.

**Quality tags** add small “pills” for non-functional goals (Security, Safety, Reliability, Accessibility, Privacy, i18n, etc.).

**Definition of Ready / Done** appear at the bottom of each card to keep scope clear and testable.

## Part I — Fundamentals of Locks, Safes, and Security / A. General Introduction to Locks and Keys

LSS-01 — The Lock: Four Thousand Years of Technology

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Summarize major eras in lock evolution; map materials/tolerance limits to security properties; identify recurring attack/defense patterns.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
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**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study The Lock: Four Thousand Years of Technology so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

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- Create a one-page timeline with 8 milestones and a security lesson per milestone.
- Capture photos/diagrams of 3 historical mechanisms with callouts on how design constrained attacks.
- Write a 150-word takeaway on why 'assurance' ≠ 'complexity' in lock history.
- File notes in your study repo; tag 'Foundations'.

## LSS-02 — The Last Twenty-Five Years

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Explain modern shifts: precision manufacturing, electromechanical systems, disclosure culture; contrast ‘features’ vs ‘assurance’.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
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- Select 3 modern mechanisms; for each, list one design advance and one residual risk.
- Summarize how standards/testing changed vendor claims in 200 words.
- Draft 3 procurement questions that surface assurance (not marketing).
- Update glossary with 10 modern terms.

## LSS-03 — Definitions of Terms

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Master core terminology (keying, tolerances, shear line, false gate, manipulation); distinguish reliability vs security vs safety vs usability.
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- Build a glossary of  $\geq 40$  terms with a simple diagram for 10 of them.
- Create flashcards (CSV/Anki) for all terms.
- Write 5 trick-question pairs that force distinguishing reliability, safety, and security.
- Lint the glossary for ambiguous wording.

## LSS-04 — Tools and Supplies

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Classify tools (diagnostic, destructive, non-destructive, evidence handling); define lawful use and documentation practices.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
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- Create a tools matrix: tool → lawful purpose → risks → PPE → evidence implications.
- Draft storage/transport SOP (locked cases, serial logging, audits).
- Assemble a training kit checklist with vendor part numbers.
- Add a 'permission & safety' pre-check to each future lab.

## LSS-05 — Materials and Processes

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Relate metallurgy and machining to defeat resistance; identify common failure modes; connect tolerances to attack surface.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
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- Compare two cylinders (different alloys); measure play and document wear.
- Record micro-photos of pins/wafer edges after 100 cycles.
- Summarize how heat-treat and surface finish change tool marks.
- Add 'material notes' section template to your case notes.

## Part I / B. Keys and Keying Systems

LSS-06 — The Development of Keys

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Describe key evolution (bit→lever→wafer/pin→dimple/laser→electronic) and relate form factors to decoding/duplication risk.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study The Development of Keys so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

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- Photograph 6 key types; annotate bitting/wards/features.
- Table: key type → typical bypasses/risks → allowable contexts.
- Draft signage for 'no photography' policy around sensitive keys.
- Update glossary: 10 key form-factor terms.

## LSS-07 — Producing Blank Keys

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Explain blank manufacturing and why profile differences matter; identify QC attributes that affect longevity and fit.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study Producing Blank Keys so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

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- Microscope compare 3 blanks; tabulate dimensional variance.
- Document 'close but wrong' profile failure symptoms.
- Write a purchasing checklist: metallurgy, profile, vendor QC, lot tracking.
- Add 'blank provenance' field to key logs.

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Contrast manual vs code vs electronic cutting workflows; plan chain-of-custody for forensic defensibility.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study Methods of Cutting Keys so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

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- Draw workflow diagrams for manual vs code vs electronic cutters.
- Write evidence-preserving key issuance & record policy.
- Create a log template with operator, machine, code source, and test results.
- Draft calibration schedule for cutters (intervals, gauges).

## LSS-09 — Producing Keys for Specific Locks

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Outline evidence-preserving approaches to lawful key production; recognize risks of indirect decoding (wear/optics/impression).
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

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- Document three non-invasive measurement techniques on your trainer.
- List evidence signatures expected from each technique.
- Write a 'do-not-attempt' checklist for unowned property.
- Record a practice session with photos and chain-of-custody notes.

## LSS-10 — High-Security Locks and Keys

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Identify features (sidebars, telescoping pins, rotating elements, paracentric profiles); map objectives to real assurance.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study High-Security Locks and Keys so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

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- Compare 3 high-security platforms: features, known issues, lifecycle costs.
- Draft policy for key control (issuance, audit, emergency revoke).
- Summarize why 'high-sec' ≠ 'immune' in 150 words.
- Create procurement questions probing security features vs bypass history.

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Explain master keying, hierarchies, cross-keying risks; model issuance/audit/revocation.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
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**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study Keying Systems so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

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- Design a small building keying plan (5 doors, 3 roles).
- Add revocation playbook and lost-key response SOP.
- Map key symbols to physical doors; verify no unintended cross-keying.
- Create audit checklist for quarterly review.

## LSS-12 — Basic Lock Configurations: Hardware

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Identify cylinder, cam, housing forms; map configuration to failure/attack surfaces.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
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<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study Basic Lock Configurations: Hardware so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

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- Disassemble two housings; diagram interfaces and wear points.
- Checklist fit/finish: plug clearance, cam travel, retaining clip.
- Photo catalog of components with part numbers.
- Write replacement procedure with torque specs.

## Part I / C. Basic Locking Mechanisms

### LSS-13 — The Warded Lock

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Describe warding principles and conceptual bypasses; recognize acceptable low-risk contexts.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

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- Document ward geometry on a trainer; show why certain keys work.
- List three deployment contexts where warded tech is acceptable.
- Capture photos of tool marks typical of warded keys.
- Draft signage advising against warded locks for restricted areas.

## LSS-14 — Lever Tumbler Locks

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Explain levers, gates, stump/bolt, curtain; relate tolerances and lift order to resistance.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study Lever Tumbler Locks so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

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- Measure lever travel and gate alignment at open/closed on a trainer.
- Create failure tree: overset, underlift, false gate, binding order.
- Record notes on temperature effects on lift repeatability.
- Update glossary with 8 lever-lock terms.

## Part I / D. Specialized Locking Systems and Applications

LSS-15 — Wafer Locks

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Contrast single vs double-sided wafers; identify wear patterns and failure modes.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

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- Inspect two wafer cores; capture wear maps and decode hints.
- Draft maintenance interval and lube policy for fleet locks.
- Write a short brief on automotive wafer vulnerabilities (lawful use only).
- Prepare customer guidance for low-risk deployments.

## LSS-16 — Pin Tumbler Locks

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Explain pin stacks, tolerances, security pins; relate pinning charts to service and rekeying.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

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- Re-pin a trainer to three bitting levels; note feel differences.
- Document how spool/serrated pins change feedback.
- Write rekeying SOP with pinning chart template.
- Add risk note on master-pin proliferation.

## LSS-17 — Traditional Mechanical Locking Systems

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Survey cam, rim, mortise, padlocks, cabinet mechanisms; map to deployment and risk tier.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

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- Build a selection guide: mechanism → best-fit use cases.
- Photo/measure three padlocks; compare shackle and body materials.
- Write environmental suitability notes (corrosion, dust, ice).
- Add spare-parts BOM for each mechanism.

## LSS-18 — Electromechanical Locks

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Identify solenoids, motors, sensors, power/logic dependencies; discuss fail-safe vs fail-secure tradeoffs.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study Electromechanical Locks so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

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### Acceptance Criteria (BDD)

**Scenario** Happy path

**Given** authorized training equipment and this chapter's reading notes

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**Definition of Ready:** Persona clear; AC drafted; Dependencies known; Estimate set. • **Definition of Done:** All ACs pass; Tests green; Security/a11y checks; Docs updated; Deployed flagged.

- Draw power & fault tree for a sample smart lock.
- List failure modes for battery-backed designs.
- Draft emergency egress plan and test schedule.
- Security baseline checklist: firmware, creds, audit.

## LSS-19 — Magnetic Locks

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Distinguish electromagnet vs permanent-magnet systems; explain holding force ratings and egress code considerations.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study Magnetic Locks so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

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**Definition of Ready:** Persona clear; AC drafted; Dependencies known; Estimate set. • **Definition of Done:**

All ACs pass; Tests green; Security/a11y checks; Docs updated; Deployed flagged.

- Calculate holding force for a given door and traffic scenario.
- Write inspection & cleaning SOP to maintain holding force.
- Compile code/egress requirements summary for your jurisdiction.
- Plan for power loss scenarios with response steps.

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Summarize auth models (rolling code, challenge-response); identify attack classes (replay, relay, jamming).
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study Wireless Exchange of Coded Information so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

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**When** the hands-on objectives and tasks on this card are completed and evidence is recorded

**Then** the stated outcomes are observable (artifacts committed to repo, checklists/templates produced)

**Definition of Ready:** Persona clear; AC drafted; Dependencies known; Estimate set. • **Definition of Done:**

All ACs pass; Tests green; Security/a11y checks; Docs updated; Deployed flagged.

- Create a test plan that validates anti-replay features on a demo system.
- Diagram threat paths for relay/jamming and mitigations.
- List logging requirements for incident response.
- Draft RF hygiene checklist (antenna, shielding, update policy).

## LSS-21 — Intelligent Keys and Locks

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Describe credential lifecycle (provision→use→revoke); explain audit/evidence logging requirements.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study Intelligent Keys and Locks so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

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- Draft a key-revocation SOP, including emergency disable.
- Define least-privilege roles and scope for users and admins.
- Design log retention and tamper-evidence controls.
- Write a lost-credential response runbook.

## LSS-22 — Programmable Locks and Keys

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Explain firmware, key space, update integrity; plan secure configuration baselines and backups.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study Programmable Locks and Keys so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

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**Then** the stated outcomes are observable (artifacts committed to repo, checklists/templates produced)

**Definition of Ready:** Persona clear; AC drafted; Dependencies known; Estimate set. • **Definition of Done:** All ACs pass; Tests green; Security/a11y checks; Docs updated; Deployed flagged.

- Write a configuration hardening checklist for a programmable cylinder.
- Define update/signing process and rollback plan.
- Create backup/restore procedure and test it on a trainer.
- Add inventory fields for firmware and config versions.

## LSS-23 — Specialized Industry Applications

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Map regulated environments (utilities, healthcare, cash handling) to lock requirements; identify environmental constraints.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study Specialized Industry Applications so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

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**Scenario** Happy path

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**When** the hands-on objectives and tasks on this card are completed and evidence is recorded

**Then** the stated outcomes are observable (artifacts committed to repo, checklists/templates produced)

**Definition of Ready:** Persona clear; AC drafted; Dependencies known; Estimate set. • **Definition of Done:** All ACs pass; Tests green; Security/a11y checks; Docs updated; Deployed flagged.

- Pick one sector; produce a two-page security profile & control map.
- List compliance artifacts needed (standards, tests, audits).
- Draft deployment checklist per environment conditions.
- Write vendor questions unique to the sector.

## Part II — Methods of Entry / A. Investigation

LSS-24 — Investigation & Evidence Involving Locks and Keys

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Conduct scene-safe documentation; preserve/package/label lock & key evidence.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study Investigation & Evidence Involving Locks and Keys so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

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**Definition of Ready:** Persona clear; AC drafted; Dependencies known; Estimate set. • **Definition of Done:** All ACs pass; Tests green; Security/a11y checks; Docs updated; Deployed flagged.

- Build an evidence collection checklist tailored to locks/safes.
- Draft photo sequencing guide (angles, lighting, scale).
- Create packaging labels and chain-of-custody template.
- Write a contamination-avoidance SOP.

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Read manufacturer specs to form hypotheses; plan non-altering test methods.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study Forensic Exam: Specifications, Operation, Security so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

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**When** the hands-on objectives and tasks on this card are completed and evidence is recorded

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- Collect/manufacture spec sheets; extract testable claims.
- Write an examination plan that preserves evidentiary surfaces.
- Define pass/fail criteria aligned to claims and standards.
- Review plan with counsel/chain-of-custody requirements.

## LSS-26 — Forensic Exam: Tool Marks & Trace Evidence

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Recognize class vs individual characteristics; choose lighting, casting, microscopy.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study Forensic Exam: Tool Marks & Trace Evidence so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

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### Acceptance Criteria (BDD)

**Scenario** Happy path

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**When** the hands-on objectives and tasks on this card are completed and evidence is recorded

**Then** the stated outcomes are observable (artifacts committed to repo, checklists/templates produced)

**Definition of Ready:** Persona clear; AC drafted; Dependencies known; Estimate set. • **Definition of Done:** All ACs pass; Tests green; Security/a11y checks; Docs updated; Deployed flagged.

- Practice oblique lighting photography on known test marks.
- Cast a non-evidentiary impression and label it properly.
- Create a reference library of tool mark exemplars.
- Document microscope settings for reproducibility.

## LSS-27 — Forensic Examination: Keys

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Evaluate keys for wear/duplication artifacts; maintain custody and comparison controls.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study Forensic Examination: Keys so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

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### Acceptance Criteria (BDD)

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**When** the hands-on objectives and tasks on this card are completed and evidence is recorded

**Then** the stated outcomes are observable (artifacts committed to repo, checklists/templates produced)

**Definition of Ready:** Persona clear; AC drafted; Dependencies known; Estimate set. • **Definition of Done:** All ACs pass; Tests green; Security/a11y checks; Docs updated; Deployed flagged.

- Compare a new key vs a worn key; note measurable differences.
- Checklist for documenting duplication artifacts and burrs.
- Define fit-test protocol that avoids altering evidence.
- Write retention policy and destruction process post-case.

## Part II / B. General Introduction to Bypass

LSS-28 — General Introduction to Bypass

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Classify bypass families; tie each to conditions and expected evidence signatures.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study General Introduction to Bypass so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

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### Acceptance Criteria (BDD)

**Scenario** Happy path

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**When** the hands-on objectives and tasks on this card are completed and evidence is recorded

**Then** the stated outcomes are observable (artifacts committed to repo, checklists/templates produced)

**Definition of Ready:** Persona clear; AC drafted; Dependencies known; Estimate set. • **Definition of Done:** All ACs pass; Tests green; Security/a11y checks; Docs updated; Deployed flagged.

- Build a decision tree: pre-conditions → allowable method classes.
- Define 'stop conditions' that force escalation/notification.
- Write a legal/ethical disclaimer for training labs.
- Create a template for post-test reporting and lessons learned.

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Explain how tolerances enable manipulation and how security pins respond; identify lawful training scenarios.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study Picking so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

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#### Acceptance Criteria (BDD)

**Scenario** Happy path

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**When** the hands-on objectives and tasks on this card are completed and evidence is recorded

**Then** the stated outcomes are observable (artifacts committed to repo, checklists/templates produced)

**Definition of Ready:** Persona clear; AC drafted; Dependencies known; Estimate set. • **Definition of Done:** All ACs pass; Tests green; Security/a11y checks; Docs updated; Deployed flagged.

- Maintain a logbook of trainer sessions (mechanism, observations).
- Record feedback differences across security pin types.
- Define safety/permission controls for any live-site testing.
- Summarize ethical guidelines and prohibited scenarios.

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Describe principles, evidence patterns, and lawful training setups; plan evidence-preserving tests.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study Impressioning so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

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**When** the hands-on objectives and tasks on this card are completed and evidence is recorded

**Then** the stated outcomes are observable (artifacts committed to repo, checklists/templates produced)

**Definition of Ready:** Persona clear; AC drafted; Dependencies known; Estimate set. • **Definition of Done:**

All ACs pass; Tests green; Security/a11y checks; Docs updated; Deployed flagged.

- On a sacrificial trainer, document surface changes after staged impressions.
- List conditions that invalidate results (contamination, tool changes).
- Write a 'no live-site' policy statement for impressioning.
- Add disposal procedure for impressioning materials.

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Explain sources for decoding (visual, mechanical, electronic) and evaluate traces/risks.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study Decoding: Theory, Procedures, Technologies so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

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#### Acceptance Criteria (BDD)

**Scenario** Happy path

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**When** the hands-on objectives and tasks on this card are completed and evidence is recorded

**Then** the stated outcomes are observable (artifacts committed to repo, checklists/templates produced)

**Definition of Ready:** Persona clear; AC drafted; Dependencies known; Estimate set. • **Definition of Done:**

All ACs pass; Tests green; Security/a11y checks; Docs updated; Deployed flagged.

- Create a decoding risk matrix (signal needed, traces left, constraints).
- Define validation steps to confirm decoded values.
- Draft operator training checklist and dual-control steps.
- Write incident response triggers if decoding is suspected.

## Part II / C. Destructive Entry

LSS-32 — Destructive Entry: Tools & Techniques

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Identify destructive categories and justification; plan safety controls and evidence preservation.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study Destructive Entry: Tools & Techniques so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

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### Acceptance Criteria (BDD)

**Scenario** Happy path

**Given** authorized training equipment and this chapter's reading notes

**When** the hands-on objectives and tasks on this card are completed and evidence is recorded

**Then** the stated outcomes are observable (artifacts committed to repo, checklists/templates produced)

**Definition of Ready:** Persona clear; AC drafted; Dependencies known; Estimate set. • **Definition of Done:** All ACs pass; Tests green; Security/a11y checks; Docs updated; Deployed flagged.

- Draft a destruct-entry authorization form and approval workflow.
- Create a JSA (Job Safety Analysis) with PPE & hazards.
- Outline evidence capture during destructive work (photos, fragments).
- Write an after-action report template.

## Part III — Locks, Safes, Vaults, Secure Areas

LSS-33 — Origins, Development & Design of Safes/Vaults/Strong Rooms

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Distinguish resistance classes; explain burglary vs fire vs mixed-mode ratings.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study Origins, Development & Design of Safes/Vaults/Strong Rooms so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

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### Acceptance Criteria (BDD)

**Scenario** Happy path

**Given** authorized training equipment and this chapter's reading notes

**When** the hands-on objectives and tasks on this card are completed and evidence is recorded

**Then** the stated outcomes are observable (artifacts committed to repo, checklists/templates produced)

**Definition of Ready:** Persona clear; AC drafted; Dependencies known; Estimate set. • **Definition of Done:** All ACs pass; Tests green; Security/a11y checks; Docs updated; Deployed flagged.

- Build a buyer's guide mapping use cases to rating standards.
- Compare two safe construction approaches (materials, seams, fillers).
- Define installation checklist (anchoring, environment, egress).
- Draft service/inspection cadence and record form.

## LSS-34 — Combination Locks

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Explain tumblers, flys, fences, dialing tolerances; identify failure modes and audit considerations.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study Combination Locks so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

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### Acceptance Criteria (BDD)

**Scenario** Happy path

**Given** authorized training equipment and this chapter's reading notes

**When** the hands-on objectives and tasks on this card are completed and evidence is recorded

**Then** the stated outcomes are observable (artifacts committed to repo, checklists/templates produced)

**Definition of Ready:** Persona clear; AC drafted; Dependencies known; Estimate set. • **Definition of Done:** All ACs pass; Tests green; Security/a11y checks; Docs updated; Deployed flagged.

- Using a legal dial trainer, chart tolerance windows at different speeds.
- Write SOPs for combination changes and custody of records.
- Define evidence indicators for manipulation attempts.
- Create an operator training quiz (10 questions).

## LSS-35 — Destructive Entry of Safes

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Describe destructive categories and hazard controls; plan scene safety and post-entry documentation.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study Destructive Entry of Safes so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

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### Acceptance Criteria (BDD)

**Scenario** Happy path

**Given** authorized training equipment and this chapter's reading notes

**When** the hands-on objectives and tasks on this card are completed and evidence is recorded

**Then** the stated outcomes are observable (artifacts committed to repo, checklists/templates produced)

**Definition of Ready:** Persona clear; AC drafted; Dependencies known; Estimate set. • **Definition of Done:** All ACs pass; Tests green; Security/a11y checks; Docs updated; Deployed flagged.

- Write a full JSA and permit checklist for forced entry warrants.
- Define fragmentation/heat/noise control barriers and PPE.
- Prepare a photography and debris labeling plan.
- Draft post-entry repair/securement steps.

## LSS-36 — Non-Destructive Methods of Entry (Safes)

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Summarize manipulation/testing approaches and prerequisites; anticipate error sources.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study Non-Destructive Methods of Entry (Safes) so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

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### Acceptance Criteria (BDD)

**Scenario** Happy path

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**Then** the stated outcomes are observable (artifacts committed to repo, checklists/templates produced)

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- Create a manipulation session record form (inputs, hypotheses, outcomes).
- Define quiet-environment and instrument calibration requirements.
- Write an escalation path when signal is ambiguous.
- Add ethics note: training only on owned/authorized equipment.

## Part IV — Security

LSS-37 — Standards and Testing

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Navigate standards bodies and protocols; translate ratings to deployment/procurement requirements.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study Standards and Testing so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

**Non-Functional** Performance Security Reliability Safety Documentation

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- Build a compliance matrix: component → applicable standard/test.
- Collect citations for each standard; note acceptance criteria.
- Draft acceptance-testing scripts for incoming hardware.
- Write vendor attestation questions and evidence requests.

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Perform threat modeling; prioritize mitigations with cost/benefit and mission impact.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study Security: Analysis and Reduction of Risk so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

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- Deliver a risk register with  $\geq 10$  identified risks and owners.
- Map threats to layered controls and detection.
- Define KPIs/KRIs and reporting cadence.
- Write a 'top 5 improvements' memo.

## LSS-39 — Security: Physical and Protective Measures

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Layer perimeter, portal, detection, response, and policy controls; plan maintenance and change control.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study Security: Physical and Protective Measures so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

**Non-Functional** Performance Security Reliability Safety Documentation

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- Produce a layered-defense diagram for a facility entrance.
- Create preventive maintenance schedule and checklists.
- Write visitor management and contractor access procedures.
- Draft change-control form for physical changes.

<b>Epic / Feature</b>	Locks, Safes & Security Study Plan
<b>Business Value</b>	Explain sensing modalities, alarm paths, supervision, and testing; integrate with response and forensics.
<b>Priority / Estimate</b>	Priority: Must SP: 3
<b>Persona</b>	lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator
<b>Dependencies</b>	Training locks you own or have explicit permission for; basic tools; safety/PPE; logbook.
<b>Assumptions / Risks</b>	All activities are lawful, ethical, and documented; no practice on unowned property. <b>Risks</b> Injury, property damage, or legal risk if misused; manage with SOPs and approvals.

**Story** *As a lawful trainee / security engineer / investigator, I want to study Alarm Systems so that I can apply its concepts to lawful training, forensic documentation, and secure deployments.*

**Non-Functional** Performance Security Reliability Safety Documentation

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- Draft an alarm validation & false-alarm reduction SOP.
- Define supervision/heartbeat checks and alerting thresholds.
- Create drill/response playbooks and training schedule.
- Table: sensor type → failure modes → tests.