Safe Work Procedure – Fire Extinguisher

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DO NOT use this equipment unless you are authorised to use it and, have been instructed in its safe use and operation









IMPORTANT: In case of a fire, seek assistance from the wardens

POTENTIAL HAZARDS:

· Include manual handling, burns, smoke inhalation and harmful vapours

PRE-OPERATIONAL SAFETY CHECKS

- If an emergency situation occurs alert the authorities
- Do not use unless you have been trained in the operation of the fire extinguisher
- Confirm correct type of extinguisher for the fire
- · Alert others to your intentions

OPERATIONAL SAFETY

- Pull the safety pin from unit and aim at the base of the fire only
- Never aim contents at fellow persons
- Operate with the wind behind you
- Be aware of your surroundings use all your senses including sight and smell

POST-OPERATION:

- Store in appropriate wall mount with clear signage
- Ensure six monthly checks carried out
- · Report any problems
- Report any fire incidents

A		Ordinary Combustibles	Wood, Paper, Cloth, Etc.
В		Flammable Liquids	Grease, Oil, Paint, Solvents
C		Live Electrical Equipment	Electrical Panel, Motor, Wiring, Etc.
D		Combustible Metal	Magnesium, Aluminum, Etc.
K	W _	Commercial Cooking Equipment	Cooking Oils, Animal Fats, Vegetable Oils

