



Skill Evaluation Slate

1. Equipment assembly, adjustment, preparation, donning and disassembly
2. Pre-dive safety check (BWRAF)
3. Deep-water entry
4. Buoyancy check at surface
5. Snorkel-regulator/regulator-snorkel exchange
6. Five-point descent, using buoyancy control to stop descent without contacting the bottom
7. Regulator recovery and clearing*
8. Mask removal, replacement and clearing*
9. Air depletion exercise and alternate air source use (stationary)
10. Alternate air source-assisted ascent
11. Free flowing regulator breathing
12. Neutral buoyancy, rise and fall – using low pressure inflation
13. Five-point ascent
14. Controlled Emergency Swimming Ascent
15. Orally inflate BCD to hover for at least 60 seconds
16. Underwater swim without a mask
17. Remove and replace weight system underwater
18. Remove and replace scuba unit underwater
19. Remove and replace scuba unit on the surface
20. Remove and replace weight system on the surface
21. Head-first surface dive, snorkel out of mouth.
22. Disconnect low pressure inflator
23. Re-secure a loose cylinder band
24. Perform an emergency weight drop

* To earn a 5, diver must demonstrate skill while neutrally buoyant.

Evaluation Criteria

- 1 – participant unable to perform exercise
- 2 – exercise performed with significant difficulty or error
- 3 – exercise performed correctly, though too quickly to adequately exhibit (or illustrate) details of skill
- 4 – exercise performed correctly and slowly enough to adequately exhibit (or illustrate) details of skill
- 5 – exercise performed correctly, slowly and with exaggerated movement (appeared “easy”)

Evaluated Skills

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