

WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE
HUNTER EDUCATION DIVISION



FIELD SKILLS TRAINING AND EVALUATION FORM

The primary purpose of any field skills activity is to train students in safe and proper firearms handling skills. All eight basic handling skills must be demonstrated and explained to the student by the Hunter Education Instructor.

Policy: Teaching of the eight basic handling skills is not to be treated as a pass/fall activity, with some exceptions. Those exceptions are:

- Failure to respond to training for the same handling skill on at least three occasions (three strikes and you are out).
- Student attitude.
- One occurrence of egregious muzzle-control (egregious is defined as blatant or outstandingly bad)

Instructions: Mark for each station those handling skills where the student failed to take appropriate training guidance or direction from the Hunter Education Instructor. Not all handling skills will apply to each station. Steps taken to correct improper handling skills or attitude must be documented in the "Notes" section. Grounds for student failure must also be documented in the "Notes" section. Issues with handling skills or attitude demonstrated by students while moving between stations should be reflected under the next station.

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INSTRUCTOR NAME AND CERTIFICATION #: _____

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