

Candidate: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Skill Drill 9-14**  
**Fire Fighter I, 5.1.2**  
**Hoisting an Axe**

**Evaluator Instructions:** The candidate shall be provided with section of utility rope and an axe.

**Task:** Hoist an axe.

**Performance Outcome:** The candidate shall be able to properly hoist an axe.

**Candidate Directive:** "Properly hoist the axe using the rope."

No.	Task Steps	First Test		Retest	
		P	F	P	F
1.	Wears PPE and gloves.				
2.	Ties a figure eight on a bight to make a small loop.				
3.	Places loop over axe handle near head of axe.				
4.	Passes standing part of rope around head of axe.				
5.	Places standing part of rope parallel to axe handle.				
6.	Ties two half hitches along axe handle.				
7.	Prepares to raise axe.				

**Retest Approved By:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Retest Evaluator:** \_\_\_\_\_

Evaluator Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

Candidate Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

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