Firefighter II Skill 10.11

Displace the dashboard [NFPA 1001, 6.4.1]

Directions

For this skills evaluation checklist, students will work as a team to displace the dashboard. Local agency procedures and protocols must always be followed.

Equipment & Materials

Vehicle Cribbing

Cutting tool Appropriate PPE

Spreaders Jack or hydraulic ram

Tools and equipment as required by the authority having jurisdiction (AHJ)

Objective

Displace the dashboard

Skills Evaluation Checklist

NOTE: This skill is also known as rolling the dashboard.

	Task Steps	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
1.	Remove the front door.			
2.	Make relief cuts behind the strut mounts to eliminate movement of the front end of the vehicle during this operation.			
3.	Peel back the plastic interior finish and peek inside looking for potential hazards, such as airbags and retractors, before cutting.			
4.	Cut the upper portion of the A-post.			
5.	Cut the bottom portion of the A-post.			
6.	Position jacking or ram device between base of the B-post and to an area just above the top hinge on the A-post.			
7.	Operate the jacking or ram device to move the dashboard.			

The student must successfully complete all task steps to obtain a "PASS" rating.