

# POST-TEST

## Scaffold and Ladder Safety Training



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Please complete the following questions

- 1. An extension ladder must extend \_\_\_\_ feet above the landing to provide a handhold for getting on and off the ladder.**
  - a. 1 ft.
  - b. 3 ft.
  - c. 6 ft.
  - d. 2 ft.
- 2. Inspections of scaffolds must be conducted:**
  - a. By a competent person
  - b. Before each work shift
  - c. After scaffold is erected or modified
  - d. All of the above
- 3. If a ladder is found to be defective on the jobsite, you should:**
  - a. Use the ladder to get through your task and be sure to replace it later
  - b. Make the repairs on the spot
  - c. Mark or tag the ladder as defective and take it out of service
  - d. Continue using the ladder until it gets really bad
- 4. Fall protection (i.e. guardrails or personal fall arrest system) is required on scaffolds when the working height reaches:**
  - a. 10 ft.
  - b. 6 ft.
  - c. 4 ft.
  - d. 12 ft.
- 5. Which of the following is NOT true about ladders?**
  - a. Stepladder must be used in a fully open position on firm level ground
  - b. Extension ladders must extend 3' above a work level.
  - c. Stepladders can be used in a leaned position as long as someone is holding the ladder
  - d. Extension ladders must be set at a 4:1 ratio for safe use.
- 6. When using an aerial lift which is not a requirement.**
  - a. Unit must be operated by a trained and authorized person
  - b. Lift must be able to hold three people in the basket
  - c. Must wear personal fall arrest system (PFAS) while in the basket
  - d. Must remain at least 10' away from high voltage power lines

7. Which of the following **CANNOT** be used under the base of a scaffold to provide stable footing?
- Masonry blocks or bricks
  - Screw-jacks (Leveler legs)
  - Mud Sills
  - None of the above
8. All scaffolds must be able to hold its own weight plus \_\_\_\_ times the intended load.
- 2
  - 10
  - 7
  - 4
9. Which of the following safe work practices will prevent falling while working from ladders?
- Face the ladder when ascending or descending
  - Maintain three points of contact
  - Keep your body centered on the ladder
  - All of the above
10. Who is required to supervise the erection or dismantling of a scaffold?
- Supervisor
  - Competent Person
  - Qualified Person
  - Any worker will do
11. When selecting a ladder based on its duty rating, which is **NOT** taken into consideration?
- Worker's weight
  - Tools needed for the task
  - Duration worker will occupy ladder
  - Materials needed for task
12. What is the maximum distance the front edge of **most** scaffolding can be from face of work?
- 14 in.
  - 18 in.
  - 22 in.
  - 12 in.
13. Ladders are needed if access to scaffolds is more than:
- 1 ft.
  - 2 ft.
  - 3 ft.
  - 4 ft.
14. Workers on or below scaffolds must be protected from falling objects by:
- Toeboards
  - Mesh
  - Screens
  - All of the above
15. Scaffolds with a height to base ratio of more than \_\_\_\_ must be restrained from tipping.
- 3 to 1
  - 6 to 1
  - 5 to 1
  - 4 to 1

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