THE NATIONAL COUNCIL ON FIREWORKS SAFETY

FIREWORK SAFETY TEST: ANSWERS

- 1. Read the warning or caution label carefully and follow all directions.
- 2. Always buy from a reliable seller.
- 3. Always light outdoors away from combustible material, buildings and plants.
- 4. Water.
- 5. Light only one firework at a time.
- 6. Never try to re-light a firework.
- 7. No.
- 8. Wait for 15 to 20 minutes and then dump the firework in a bucket of water and let it soak.
- 9. If at all possible, don't store fireworks. If you have to store them, store them in a cool dry place and keep them out of the reach of children.
- 10. Soak them in a bucket of water before disposing of them in a trashcan.
- 11. Carry fireworks in their original bag or box.
- 12. No part of your body should be over the firework while lighting it.
- 13. Eye protection should be worn when lighting fireworks.
- 14. Illegal explosives are really dangerous and should never be used.
- 15. It is never safe to point or throw fireworks at other people or animals.
- 16. Ask a reliable seller or your local police or fire department.
- 17. Close adult supervision is always needed.
- 18. One. All other fireworks should be kept at a safe distance so they don't accidentally becomelighted.
- 19. Except for sparklers, a portfire should be used to like fireworks. A match or lighter is required for sparklers.
- 20. No. Have a designated lighter.