

**TITLE : CETA – PERFORM BASIC FIRE-FIGHTING**



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<b>SAQA US ID</b>	<b>12484</b>	<b>CORE</b>		
	Perform Basic Fire Fighting			
<b>NQF Level</b>	02	<b>SGB</b>	Manufacturing and Assembly Processes	
<b>Credits</b>	4	<b>Notional Hours</b>		40
<b>Duration</b>	<b>Candidate</b>	<b>Knowledge</b>	<b>Practical</b>	<b>Workplace</b>
	<b>Novice</b>	2 days	1 day	2 days / 16 hours
	<b>RPL (Re-fresher)</b>	1 day	1 day	N/A
	<b>Re-certification</b>	½ day	½ day	N/A
<b>Ratio of candidates to assessor</b>	20:1		20:1	1:1

**NOTE:** The Certificate will be issued after submission of the logbook

<p align="center"><b><u>PURPOSE OF THE COURSE</u></b></p> <p>Qualifying learners can select and use the appropriate firefighting equipment to extinguish or control fires in the workplace. The skills, values and knowledge reflected in this unit standard are required by people in the field of manufacturing and engineering</p>	<p align="center"><b><u>PRE-REQUISITES</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Communication at NQF Level 1.</li> <li>• Mathematical literacy at NQF Level 1</li> <li>• Copy of an ID certified not more than 3 months</li> </ul>
<p align="center"><b><u>SPECIFIC OUTCOMES OF THE COURSE</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Discuss and explain procedures for dealing with fires in the workplace</li> <li>• Identify the type of fire, its context and select the appropriate firefighting procedure</li> <li>• Identify, select and check appropriate firefighting and safety equipment</li> <li>• Fight containable/extinguishable fires</li> <li>• Retreat from fire site and hand over to appropriate personnel</li> <li>• Report/record status of fire and equipment</li> </ul>	<p align="center"><b><u>ESSENTIAL EMBEDDED KNOWLEDGE</u></b></p> <p>The qualifying learner will be able to understand and explain relevant aspects of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Firefighting equipment</li> <li>• Symbols on firefighting equipment</li> <li>• Safety equipment</li> <li>• Identifying the nature of a fire</li> <li>• Ideal condition of firefighting equipment</li> <li>• Factors that change the nature of a fire</li> <li>• Implications of using defective firefighting equipment</li> <li>• Implications of failing to correctly detect the nature and context of a fire</li> <li>• Firefighting methods</li> <li>• Procedures for monitoring a fire</li> <li>• Retreat procedures for all kinds of fires</li> <li>• Handover procedures</li> <li>• Recording and reporting procedures</li> <li>• Applicable safety, health and environmental protection legislation</li> <li>• Applicable organisational policies and procedures</li> <li>• Applicable chemistry of fire: the triangle of combustion, elimination factors, transmission or spread</li> <li>• Relationship between the nature and context of a fire and the firefighting technique applied</li> </ul>

**RPL Evidence Requirements Prior to Enrolment**

- Curriculum Vitae
- Testimonial

**Logbook supporting evidence requirements: s  
\* compulsory and \*\* additional supporting evidence.**

- Completed and signed equipment Checklists \*
- Completed and signed Risk Assessment \*
- Clocking records. \*\*