EO C122.01 – PRACTISE NAVIGATION AS A MEMBER OF A TEAM

1. **Performance:** Practise Navigation as a Member of a Team

2. **Conditions:**

   a. Given:

      (1) Map, as per activity chosen,

      (2) Supervision, and

      (3) Assistance as required.

   b. Denied: Nil.

   c. Environmental: Any.

3. **Standard:** The cadet shall practise navigation skills, as a member of a team, to include:

   a. orienting a map by inspection; and

   b. determining position.

4. **Teaching Points:**

   a. Conduct a briefing, to include:

      (1) details of the activity, and

      (2) actions to be taken if lost.

   b. Divide the cadets into teams of three or four, and assign to each group a senior cadet.

   c. Supervise the cadets' participation, choosing from the following categories:

      (1) **Navigation using a street map**. Using a street map, groups navigate within a 2 km radius. Predetermined checkpoints are set out on prominent objects located between 150 – 250 m apart and include map tasks, allowing cadets to confirm skills taught.

      (2) **Navigation scavenger hunt**. Using a topographic map, groups navigate to identified points on the map, and have the task of collecting items / information from these points (e.g., napkin from fast food location, with store's permission, river rock, phone number from a sign). Cadets are assigned points based on what items / information they are able to obtain.

      (3) **Photo navigation hunt**. Using a topographic map, groups are given a handout showing a series of photos (e.g., sign, door, bridge, unique tree) taken in the local area. Cadets search out the location of the object in the photo, and record the six-figure GR of that location. Points are assigned based on difficulty of finding the object.

      (4) **Trail map navigation**. Using a trail map, groups follow a route along an organized trail system.

   d. Following completion of the activity, allow cadets time to share their experience, and ask questions about navigation issues they encountered during the activity.

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5. **Time:**

a.	Introduction / Conclusion:	10 min
b.	Practical activity:	80 min
c.	Total:	90 min

6. **Substantiation:** A practical activity was chosen for this lesson as it is an interactive way to allow the cadets to experience navigation in a safe and controlled environment. This activity contributes to the development of navigational skills in a fun and challenging setting.

7. **References:** A2-004 B-GL-382-005-FP-001 Canadian Forces. (1976). *Maps, fields, sketching, and compasses* (Vol. 8). Ottawa, ON: The Department of National Defence.

8. **Training Aids:**

   a. Map, as per chosen activity, and

   b. Compass.

9. **Learning Aids:**

   a. Map, as per chosen activity, and

   b. Compass.

10. **Test Details:** Nil.

11. **Remarks:** This complementary activity can be conducted more than once, in various forms over supported complementary days, or over sessions.

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