

INSPECTION CONSENT

INSPECTIONS AND SEARCHES

At different moments during the training or activity, the cadet may be subjected to an inspection of his/her sleeping accommodations, luggage, kit, equipment, locker(s) or storage area(s). These will be conducted or supervised by a Canadian Armed Forces member, and will serve to verify that:

- the cadet' sleeping accommodations, locker(s) and storage area(s) are clean and orderly;
- the cadet is carrying the proper equipment and it is in good condition and properly maintained;
- the cadet's health and safety is not at risk; and
- the cadet does not have prohibited, restricted or unauthorized items in his/her possession, as listed in this document, the joining instructions or other information document provided under separate correspondence.

If found, prohibited and restricted items will be handed to the applicable police agency (military or civilian) with some exceptions, while unauthorized items shall either be confiscated for the duration of the training or activity or sent back to the cadet's home at the parents expense, whichever is more practical and economical with some exceptions.

Corrective measures could be taken against a cadet for failing any criteria or search or for refusing to submit to an inspection, in accordance with CATO 15-22 Conduct and Discipline – Cadets, up to and including being expelled from the training or activity.

If needed, searches of a cadet's person, property, lockers, luggage, kit or sleeping area for the purposes of discovering contraband, illicit or stolen property, or some evidence of guilt to be used in the prosecution of an offence, will be conducted only by the Military Police or a civilian police agency.

PROHIBITED AND RESTRICTED ITEMS

Since the following items are prohibited or restricted by law, a cadet may not have them in his / her possession during an approved activity:

- a. alcoholic beverage;
controlled substance including, but not limited to:
(1) an illicit drug, and
(2) prescription medication not in the cadet's name;
NOTE
A cadet may be tasked to carry prescription medication for other members of the division, platoon or flight.
- c. explosive substance and ammunition;
pornographic material;
- d. tobacco product (for electronic cigarettes, refer to UNAUTHORIZED ITEMS below); and
- e. weapon, including but not limited to:
(1) firearm (any type),
(2) knife that opens automatically by gravity or centrifugal force or by hand pressure applied to a button (also called a switch blade), spring or other device in or attached to the handle of the knife,
(3) brass knuckles, ninja stars, nunchucks, etc., and
(4) handcuffs.

UNAUTHORIZED ITEMS

A cadet may not have the following unauthorized items in his / her possession during an approved activity, unless otherwise authorized or issued by the training or activity OIC:

- a. altered ankle / parade boots;
- b. cutlass or sword;
- c. knife or dagger;
NOTE
A cadet may carry a kirpan or Sgian Dubh in accordance with elemental dress instructions.
- d. laser pointer;
- e. lighter, combustible product and fire starting product or equipment;
- f. machete, axe or saw;
- g. motor vehicle (any type), unless otherwise authorized by the training or activity OIC;
- h. companion animal;
- i. an electronic cigarette, including a cartridge containing nicotine solution; and
- j. reusable razor blades normally used in safety or straight blade razors.
NOTE
Disposable and cartridge replacement razors are acceptable.

Unauthorized items shall either be confiscated for the duration of the training or activity or sent back to the cadet's home at the parents' expense, whichever is more practical and economical, except for companion animals which shall be sent back.

SECTION 1 – ACTIVITY DETAILS			
Name	Location	From	To
Basic Description			
SECTION 2 – CADET’S ACKNOWLEDGEMENT			
I, the undersigned, hereby acknowledge that I will be subjected to inspections and, if applicable, searches for reasons and under the conditions described above during the activity identified in Section 1.			
Applicant’s Name	Applicant’s Signature	Date (yyyy-mm-dd)	
SECTION 3 – PARENTAL CONSENT			
I, the undersigned, hereby consent to my child being inspected and, if applicable, searched for reasons and under the conditions described above during the activity identified in Section 1.			
Parent’s Name	Parent’s Signature	Date (yyyy-mm-dd)	

