



MASTER PARACHUTE TECHNICIAN EXAM INSTRUCTIONS AND SAMPLE QUESTIONS

INSTRUCTIONS

- The exam is a closed book exam and must be done in accordance with NZPIA procedures, particularly chapter 2.7 of the Documents, Standards and Procedures Manual.
- All the questions in this exam are mandatory. The Examiner may also choose to supplement these with questions from the Basic and Senior PT exams.
 - **NOTE:** For candidates cross crediting from a non-NZPIA Master PT rating, the Examiner will select a further 20 or more questions from the Basic and Senior PT exams for the candidate to answer, with particular emphasis on requirements that may differ from those of the non-NZPIA rating (e.g. Regulations, Privileges, Records, Defect/Incident Reporting)
- There is no time limit for this exam.
- The passing grade is 70%.
- In the event a passing grade is not achieved, the candidate may retake the exam up to two more times without penalty. If the exam is failed three times the candidate may not re-take the exam again for a period of at least three months.

SAMPLE QUESTIONS

- 1 Which of the following states the privileges of a Master Parachute Technician certificate?
- 2 Which of the following is not an accepted way to maintain the currency of a Master Parachute Technician?
- 3 Regulations require Master Parachute Technicians to keep a record of alterations they make to which of the following?
- 4 An alteration to which of the following does not require a record entry?
- 5 The loose end of webbing used in a parachute harness should be secured by – ?
- 6 What is the most accepted process used when cutting nylon webbing?
- 7 What affects the strength of a sewn seam?
- 8 The elasticity of a properly constructed seam or stitching depends upon which of the following?
- 9 Which of the following statements, if any, are correct?
- 10 Why should the elasticity of a seam or stitching be slightly greater than that of the fabric it joins?