

Work Safe Assignment

You will be doing two things to prepare for the Worksafe written test.

1. You will need to work through the Independent Learning Guide and supplemental materials
2. Click on the 20 links in the Worksafe review material.

NOTE: Do not do any of the assignments, but make sure you visit all sites and learn the material.

When you have finished both tasks, see your WEX teacher to write your WorkPlace Safety Quiz and receive your Workplace Safety Certificate.

1.

Look at the ['Worksafe Independent Learning Guide'](#) .

Also look at the ['Rights and Responsibilities'](#) site.

Please view the video-[Lost Youth](#).

2.

WORKSAFE REVIEW MATERIAL FOR THE TEST:

Read the following questions and then go to the link for the answer. You can make notes for yourself. Do **not** hand in the answers.

1. What are the [top three injuries](#) that happen to young workers? Do you think lifting objects is #1 because young workers think they are strong and not vulnerable?
2. Does it appear that [young workers are more likely to be injured in the first six months on the job?](#)
3. If you are not working due to an unsafe condition or tool, does it appear that you should both [refuse to work and talk to your supervisor?](#)

4. Does it appear that [your right to refuse unsafe work is guaranteed by occupational health and safety regulations?](#)
5. Does it appear [that it is your responsibility to train other workers?](#)
6. As you [read regulation excerpt 3.23](#), does it seem that employers are required to train each worker, or do they need to have a number of people before they have to train anybody?
7. Does it seem that an employer needs to train all of the workers to perform [first aid?](#) Look at page 2 of this document.
8. In the document about rights and responsibilities, do you see any reference to the employer being able to take [money from you for training?](#)
9. From the interactive guide, near slide # 8, do you see any reference to supervisors having [safety rights](#), which regular workers do not?
10. Is investigating unsafe conditions a responsibility of the supervisor? Look at page 3 of [this](#) document.
11. Read [this](#) decision and decide if work rules apply to apprentices.
12. [Employers must keep work vehicles safe](#). When they are doing this, do they have to ensure that a qualified person inspects the vehicle prior to the first shift?
13. Can a person work above [3 metres](#) without fall protection?
14. Is it ok for a [first aid](#) attendant to be under 16 years of age?
15. It is your responsibility to provide your own PPE. [What is PPE?](#)

16. Do you think Worksafe BC sees [bullying](#) as a workplace matter? Do they have regulations about it?
17. When someone is [working alone](#), there are certain things employers need to do. Do you see all of the following employer requirements within regulation 4.22.1 (2)?
- having the worker 19 years of age or older
 - premises monitored by video surveillance
 - good visibility in and out of the premises
 - a time lock safe
18. What does [MSI](#) stand for? Do all of these injuries seem to qualify as MSI?
- Back Strain
Sprained Wrist or ankle
Tendinitis
Carpal tunnel Syndrome
19. There are a [number of things](#) you can do to ensure that your work area is safer as you work.
Do you see anything mentioned about reporting to Worksafe BC as a general strategy?
20. The worker has the right to refuse [unsafe work](#). Review the rights of the worker on slide #8.