

RockSport Top Rope Test

Name (Please Print) _____

Date Of Birth ___/___/_____

** I certify that I have not received any belay instruction during this test. I understand that if I receive any unauthorized help, I cannot pass this test. If I do not pass this test, I must wait until at least the next business day to test again. Initials: _____

- Please note that by initialing, you are confirming that you know and are capable of all tasks below:

Climber Side:

_____ Climber understands how to correctly wear and correctly secure harness.

_____ Climber understands and displayed how to correctly tie a figure-eight follow through knot.

_____ Climber understands and correctly tied into their harness with a figure- eight follow through knot.

_____ Climber understands and displayed how to correctly identify all “checks” on climber and belayer to ensure both parties are set up properly and safely.

_____ Climber understands and displayed how to correctly use all proper script communication.

Belayer Side:

_____ Belay set up:

- Rope fed properly through belay device and brake can be described and demonstrated.
- Carabiner is locked.

_____ Belayer understands and displayed how to correctly identify all “checks” on climber and belayer to ensure both parties are set up properly and safely.

_____ Belayer understands and displayed commands: prior to, during and after climb.

_____ Belayer understands and displayed how to belay with proper technique and use of brake hand. Ensuring brake hand never leaves brake strand; “pull brake under slide” (PBUS) technique.

_____ Belayer understands and displayed how to correctly lower climber.

_____ Belayer must remain in control of brake strand at all times.

_____ Belayer understands that the rope being doubled over will add friction to the system and affect how slack feels.

This test was taken on _____ / _____ / _____ With a GriGri 2 to pass RockSport’s Top Rope Test.

- I agree to follow all guidelines set forth in this test and rules of the gym. RockSport reserves the right to revoke my belay certifications at any time.
- I understand that RockSport mandates the use of figure-eight follow through knots.
- I understand that I have passed RockSport’s top rope test & received satisfactory answers to any questions and concerns I have.
- I understand that this certification only applies to Rocksport.
- I confirm that by signing this I recognize that rock climbing is inherently dangerous and release Rocksport from all possible fault and liability in the event of an injury and all other forms of litigation.

Signature: _____

Staff Signature: _____