



Rifle Shooting

Merit Badge Workbook



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1. Do the following:

Identify and explain each rule for safe shooting.

a. Explain why BB and pellet air guns must always be treated with the same respect as firearms.

b. Describe how you would react if a friend visiting your home asked to see your or your family's firearm(s).

c. Explain the need for, and use and types of, eye and hearing protection. Demonstrate their proper use.

d. Give the main points of the laws for owning and using guns in your community and state.

e. Explain how hunting is related to the wise use of renewable wildlife resources.

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1. Explain the main points of hunting laws in your state and give any special laws on the use of guns or ammunition.

2. • List the kinds of wildlife that can be legally hunted in your state.

2 K. Discuss what points you would consider in selecting a rifle

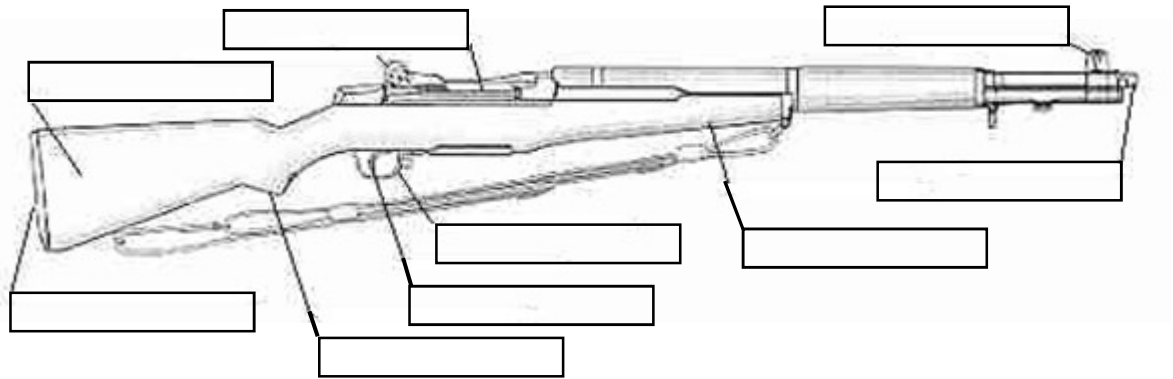
Explain what a misfire, hangfire, and squib fire are, and explain the procedures to follow in response to each.

	What is it?	Procedure to follow in response
Misfire		
Hangfire		
Squib fire		

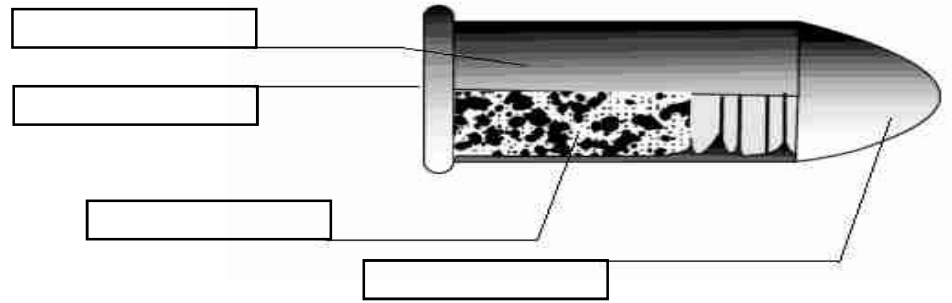
2. Do ONE of the following options:

OPTION A --- RIFLE SHOOTING (Modern Cartridge Type)

a. Identify the three main parts of a rifle, and tell how they function.



c. Identify the two types of cartridges, their parts, and how they function.



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