

## LADDER SAFETY POST TEST

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

1. The Duty Rating of a ladder refers to \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. the type of work that can be performed on the ladder
  - b. years of service the ladder will provide
  - c. the weight the ladder will safely support
  
2. The strongest duty rating is \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. Type IAA
  - b. Type IA
  - c. Type III
  
3. What should you do if you find a broken ladder?
  - a. try to fix it yourself
  - b. mark it as broken and take it out of service
  - c. you can use it, if it will only be for a few minutes
  
4. Step ladders can be used like straight ladders if they are long enough.
  - a. true
  - b. false
  
5. If the top of an extension ladder is 20 feet above the ground, how far from the wall should the base be?
  - a. 4 feet
  - b. 5 feet
  - c. 6 feet
  
6. When accessing an elevated surface with a ladder, the top of the ladder should be \_\_\_\_\_ the surface.
  - a. 6 feet above
  - b. even with
  - c. 3 feet above
  
7. Climbing the back side of a step ladder is permissible when your weight is below the ladder's Duty Rating.
  - a. true
  - b. false

8. Turning up the feet on an extension ladder on soft ground can improve stability.
  - a. true
  - b. false
  
9. Aluminum ladders are approved for use around overhead power lines.
  - a. true
  - b. false
  
10. You can use your body as the third point of contact with a ladder if you must use both hands to perform a task.
  - a. true
  - b. false