

FIREARMS

Firearms Safety (70)

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Course Description:

The Firearms Safety course is for members of the public who wish to learn about the safe use of firearms. The course is primarily for new firearms licence applicants who are required to undergo a course of firearms safety training and pass a theoretical test on firearms safety as per Regulation 14 of the Arms Regulations 1992. The course is delivered under a contract on behalf of the NZ Police.

Course Includes:

Participants will receive instruction on:

- The seven basic rules of firearms safety
- Firearms law
- How to operate multiple firearms actions
- How to use firearms safely in the field
- Firearms maintenance
- Appropriate recreational use of firearms

Course Prerequisites:

Open entry, must be 16 to obtain a firearms licence

Course Level:

Introductory

Duration:

This course can range from two to three hours

Recommended Course Resources:

The New Zealand Police Arms Code

This is the primary reference for this course. It will be made available to all course participants as part of the course cost.

Further Information:

Bookings for this course are made through the local New Zealand Police or Police Arms Office. Participants need to book their place on a course prior to attending.