# CSUMB Staff Fire Safety Training



### **EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT**

# CSUMB EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT RESPONSIBILITIES

- Emergency Operation & Contingency Planning
- Recovery/Mitigation Planning
- Emergency Operations Center Management
- Staff Emergency Preparedness Training
  - Campus Community Emergency Preparedness
- Emergency Response Coordination/Support
- Multi-Agency Collaboration
- Emergency Public Information



## **Emergency Notification Systems**









Outdoor Notification System

Emergency
Update Hotline

Ext. 5044

### The Least You Should Know:

- To Report an Emergency Call 9-1-1
- Know Your Building(s) Evacuation Procedures, Exit Routes, Alternatives
- **Locate and Know How to Use Emergency Equipment** 
  - Fire Pull-Stations
  - Fire Extinguishers
  - Emergency Blue Light Telephones
  - Flashlights
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Aid Kits
  - Automatic External Defibrillators AED's
  - Location of a lockable room

## Fire Safety & Fire Extinguishers



#### Presented by CSUMB Police Department - Emergency Management



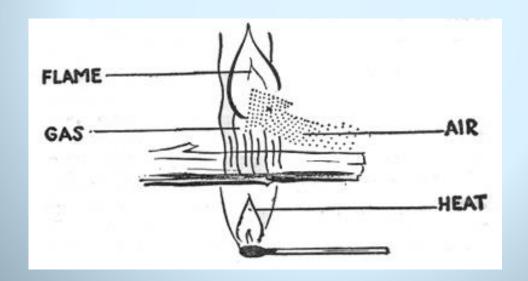
# **Understanding Fire Behavior**





## Fire Chemistry

Definition of Fire: A chemical reaction called Combustion, a rapid oxidization of combustible materials accompanied by a release energy in the form of heat and light



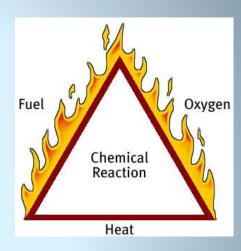


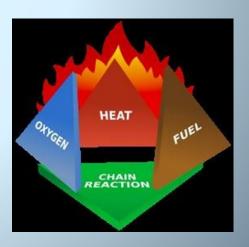
## The Fire Triangle or Fire Tetrahedron

#### The Four Elements of Burning

- Heat
- Fuel
- Oxygen
- Chemical Chain Reaction

Remove 1 element and the fire goes out.







# Fire Chemistry

Fire doubles its size every minute 2X2X2X2









# Fire Chemistry

#### Classes of fire:

- > A: Ordinary combustibles
- > B: Flammable and combustible liquids
- > C: Energized electrical equipment
- > D: Combustible metals











# Class A: Ordinary combustibles (wood, cloth, paper)









### Class B: Flammable liquids (grease, gasoline)







## Class C: Energized electrical equipment.







Class D: Combustible metals (magnesium, titanium, zirconium, sodium, and

potassium).





# **Pictographs**

Most fire extinguishers will have a pictograph label telling you which types of fire the extinguisher is designed to fight.

For example, a simple water extinguisher might have a label like this...







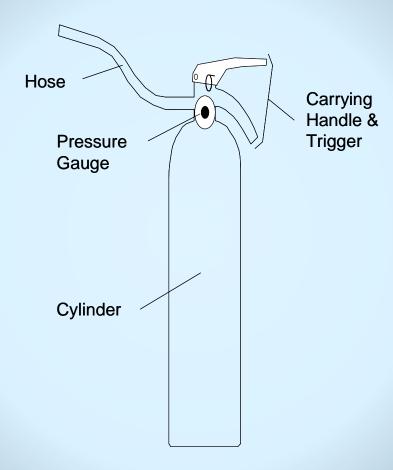
...which means it should only be used on Class A fires.



# Portable Fire Extinguishers – Your <u>Second</u> Defense Against Fires



# Components of a Fire Extinguisher



Components of a portable fire extinguisher: Hose, carrying handle and trigger, pressure gauge, cylinder

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## How to Use a Fire Extinguisher

P PULL

AM

SQUEEZE

SWEEP



Test the extinguisher before approaching any fire.



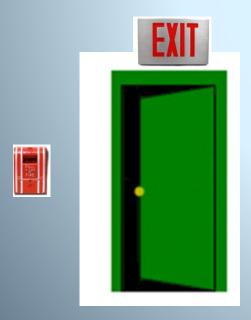
# Rules for Fire Fighting

- Assist any person in immediate danger to safety if it can be accomplished without risk to yourself.
- Call 911 or activate the building fire alarm. The fire alarm will notify the fire department and other building occupants.
- If the fire is small (and only after having done the above 2 things), you may attempt to use an extinguisher to put it out.
- If the fire is quickly spreading, evacuate the building leaving doors and windows closed.



# Rules for Fire Fighting

- In any fire something may explode or produce toxic fumes.
- Always position yourself with an exit at your back before attempting to put out a fire.







## Report Use

- Report any use of a fire extinguisher to FM & EM as soon as possible.
- The extinguisher must be inspected and refilled to make sure it is ready for use in an emergency.

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# **Questions & Comments**



