

Adopt-A-Firefighter Games

TEACHERS GUIDE

These games help students become familiar with the equipment firefighters need to fight fires and respond to other emergencies. The games are designed for various grades and levels of ability. Please choose the ones that suit your group. Games can be played as a class, by small groups, or individually.

PRE-K through GRADE 2:

Adopt-A-Firefighter Bingo

1. Play the games after reading the Firefighter Photo Biographies and focusing on the Equipment Pictures - discussing each piece of equipment, its name and how it is used by the firefighters and fire scouts (see next page). What are the similarities and differences between the jobs the Israeli firefighters do and the firefighters in your community? Discuss how firefighters help the community and how they also work together as a team. Relate to *Kol Yisrael arevim zeh bazeh* and *Pikuach Nefesh*.
2. There are 20 different Bingo Cards. Print out one Bingo Card for each student. Mount on oaktag and/or laminate if you wish. Use buttons or coins as markers. Print out an extra card and cut out each square. Use these squares to call out the equipment.
3. Pick one call-out square (or let a student pick one). Players cover each square called with a marker. The first student to cover three squares (horizontally, vertically or diagonally) wins!

Matching Games

1. **Adopt-A-Firefighter Matching Puzzle:** Print out two Bingo Cards for each puzzle. Mount on oaktag and/or laminate if you wish. Cut out individual squares from one card. Keep the other card as the puzzle board. Students can play individually or in pairs, placing each picture over its match.
2. **Adopt-A-Firefighter Matching Card Games:**
For 2-4 players: Print out four Bingo Cards. Mount on oaktag and/or laminate if you wish. Cut out individual squares from each card. Play *Memory* or "Go Fish!"

GRADES 3 through 5:

Adopt-A-Firefighter Bingo

1. Play the games after reading the Firefighter Photo Biographies and focusing on the Equipment Pictures - discussing each piece of equipment, its name in English and Hebrew, and how it is used by the firefighters and fire scouts (see next page). What are the similarities and differences between the jobs the Israeli firefighters do and the firefighters in your community? Discuss how firefighters help the community and how they also work together as a team. Relate to *Kol Yisrael arevim zeh bazeh* and *Pikuach Nefesh*.
2. There are 20 different Bingo Cards. Print out one Bingo Card for each student. Mount on oaktag and/or laminate if you wish. Use buttons or coins as markers. Print out an extra card and cut out each square to use as a call-out card. Optional: Write the name of each piece of equipment in Hebrew beneath the picture.
3. Pick one call-out square (or let a student pick one). Call out the equipment in English and/or Hebrew. Players cover each square called with a marker. The first student to cover three squares (horizontally, vertically or diagonally) wins!

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For 2-4 players: Print out four Bingo Cards. Mount on oaktag and/or laminate if you wish. Write the name of each item under each picture in Hebrew. Cut out the individual squares from each card. Play Memory or "Go Fish!" *Flash Cards:* Print out one Bingo Card. Mount on oaktag and/or laminate if you wish. Cut out each square. Write the name of each piece of equipment in Hebrew on the back of the card,

Firefighting Equipment



boots - *magafayim* - מגפיים
protect firefighters' feet from water

personal air tank - *meichal avir ishi* - מיכל אויר אישי
protect firefighter from smoke inhalation

helmet - *kasda* - קסדה
protect firefighters' heads from falling objects

thermal camera - *matzlayma termi* - מצלמה טרמי
help firefighters locate people in burning buildings

firefighters' coat - *me'il tekifa* - עיל תקיפה
protect firefighters bodies and arms

firefighters' pants - *michnas tekifa* - מכנס תקיפה
protect firefighters bodies and legs

fire truck - *kaba'it* - כבאית
many Israeli firefighters use compact fire trucks
for forests and narrow streets

personal breathing mask - *michshar neshima prati* - (מנפ) מכשר נשימה פרטי
protects firefighters from smoke inhalation

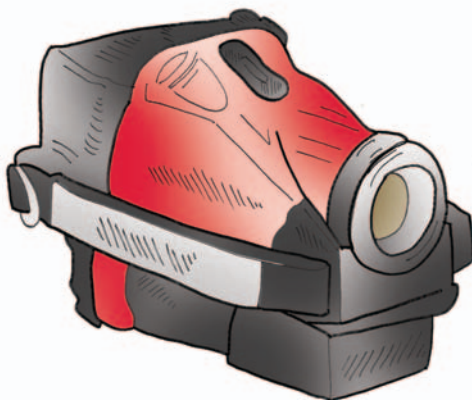
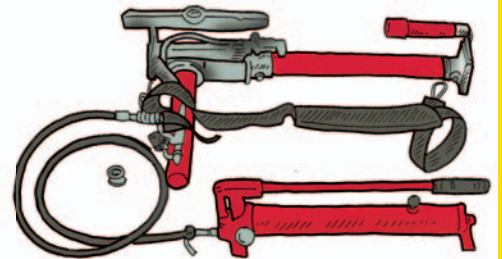
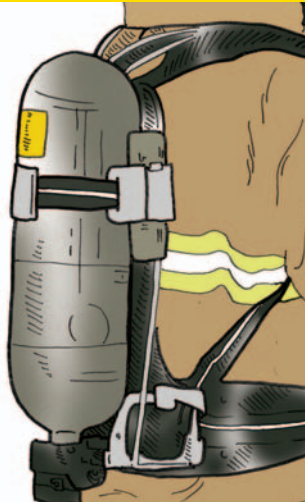
hydraulic door opener - *poretz delet hedroli* - פורץ דלת הידרולי
allows firefighters to open difficult to open doors



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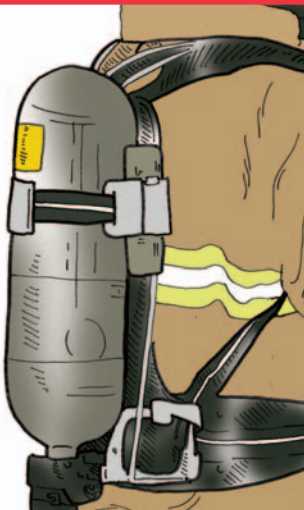
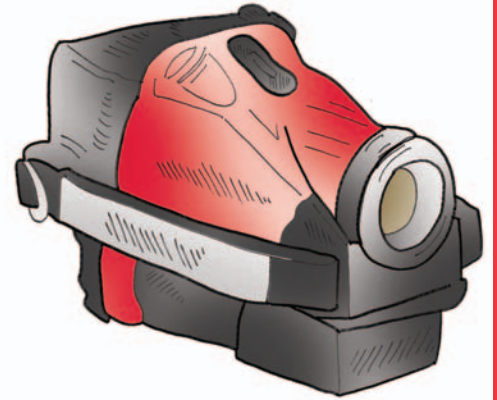
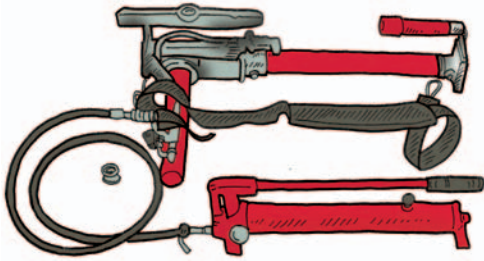
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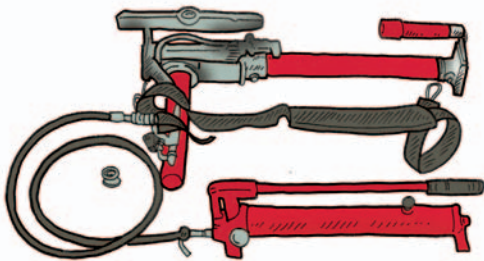
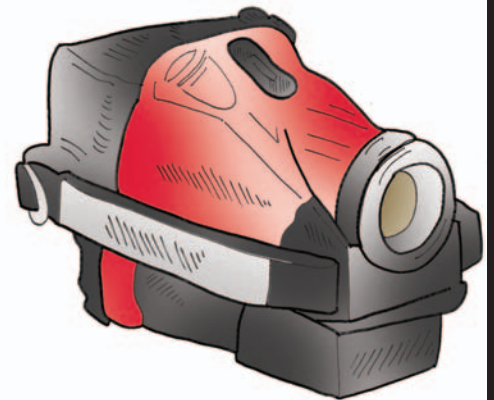
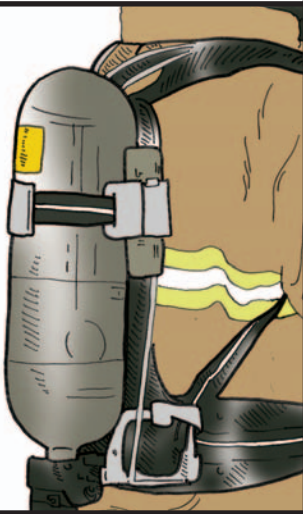
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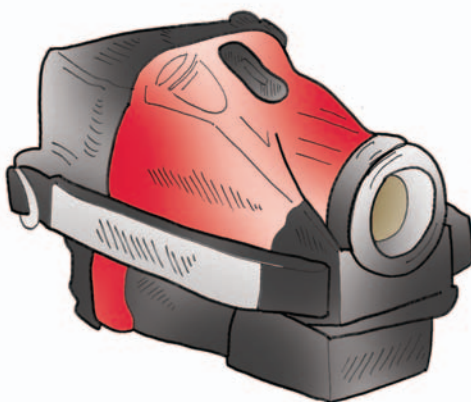
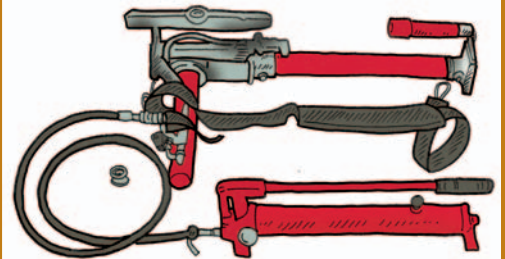
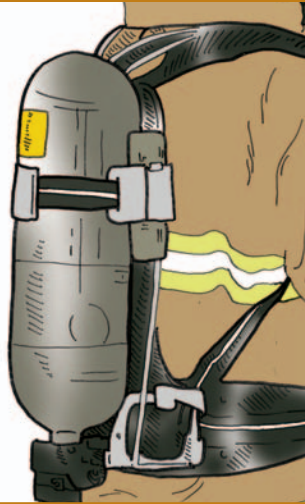
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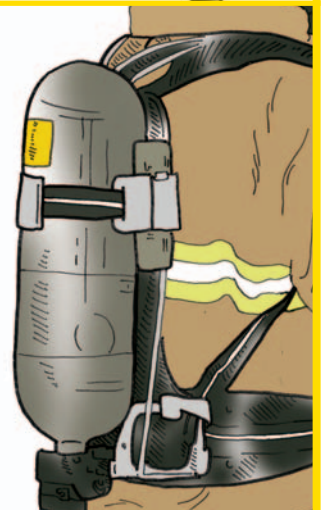
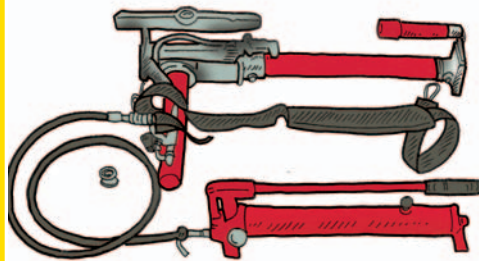
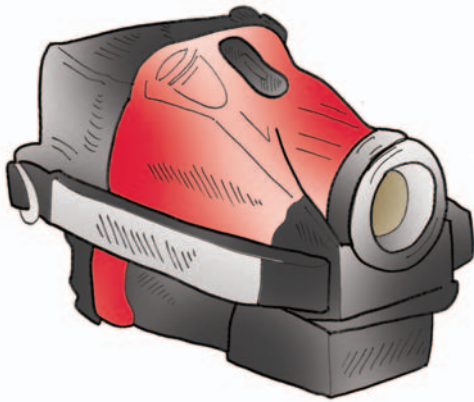
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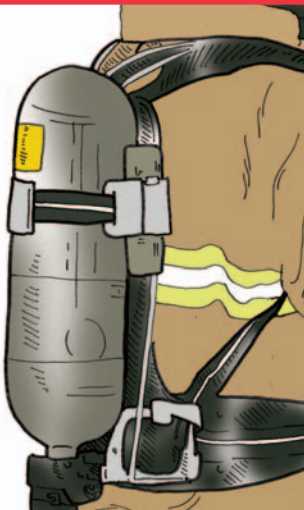
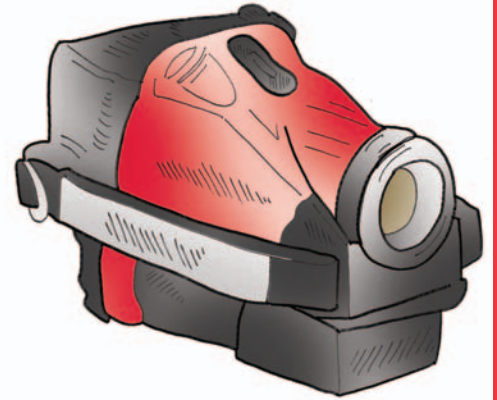
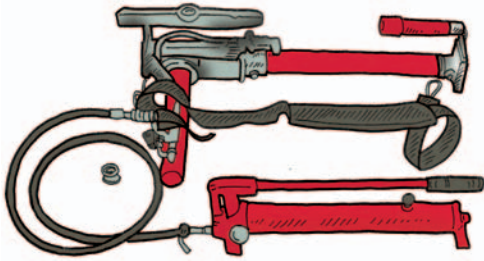
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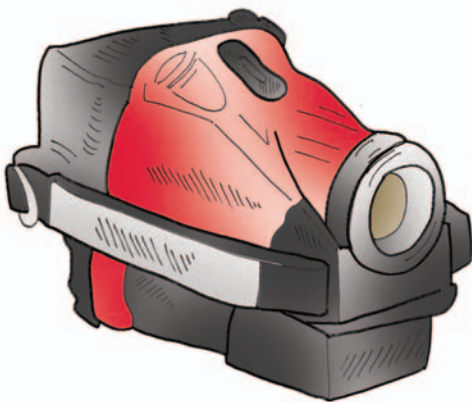
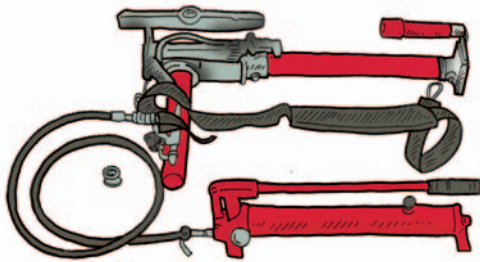
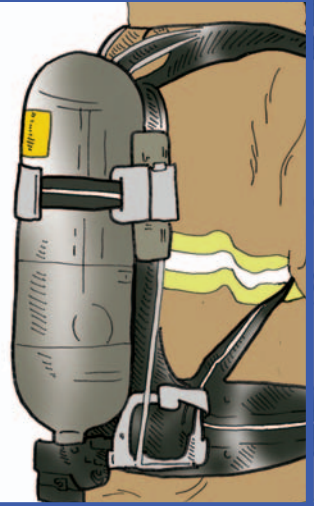
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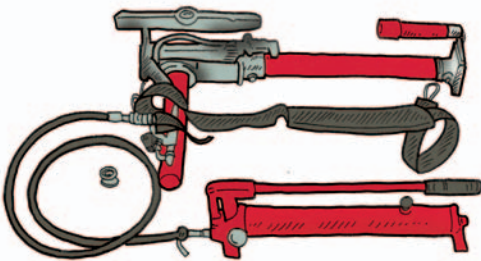
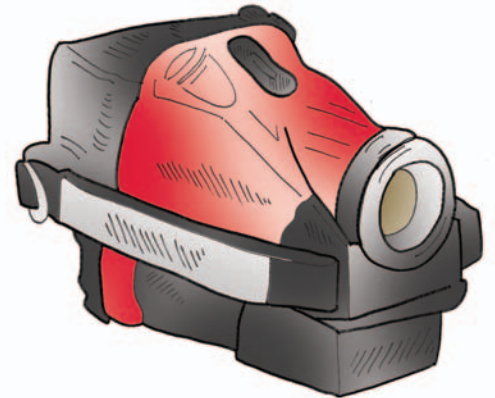
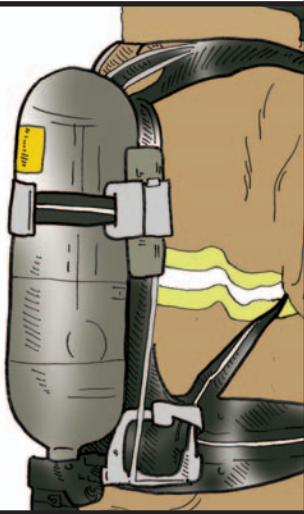
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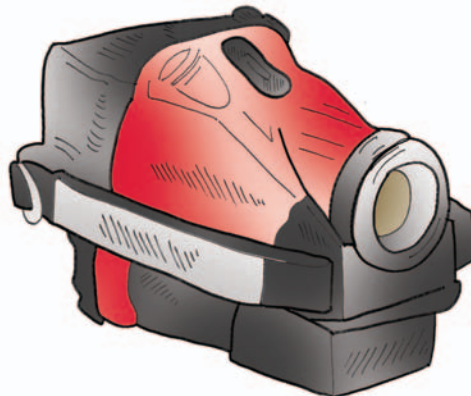
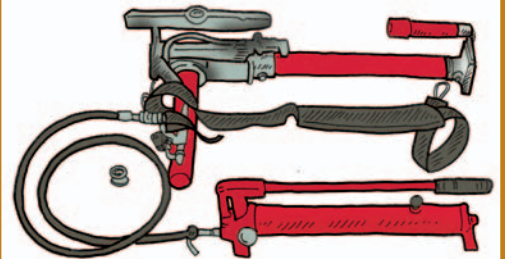
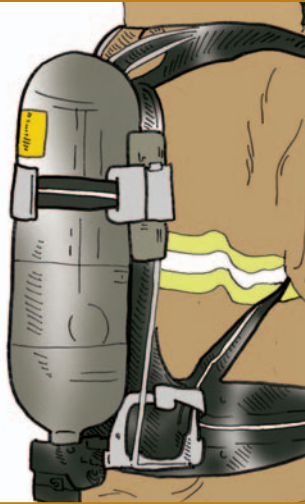
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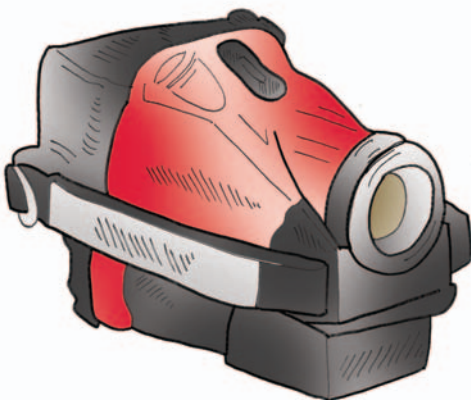
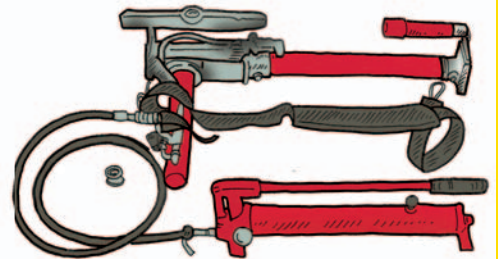
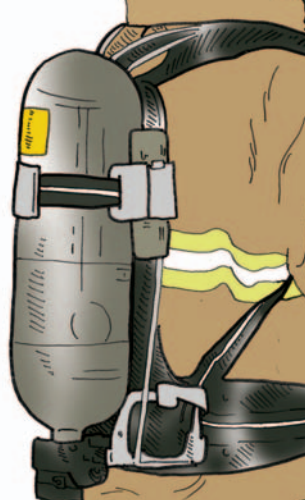
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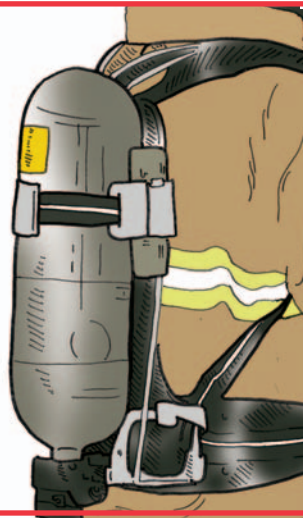
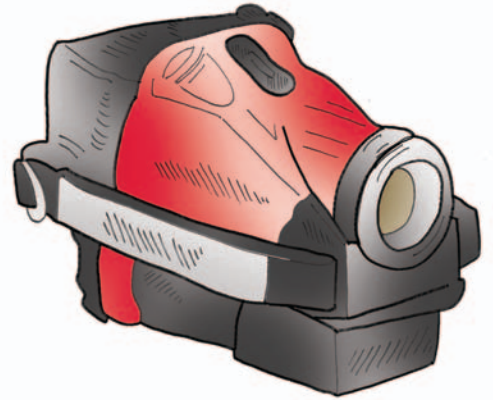
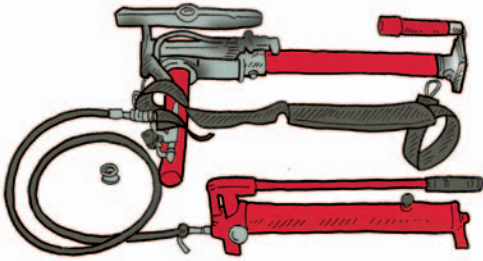
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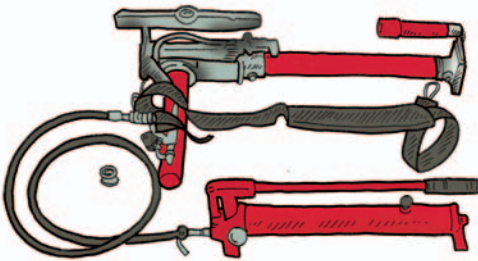
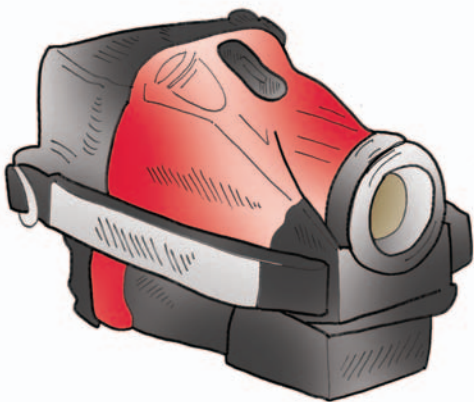
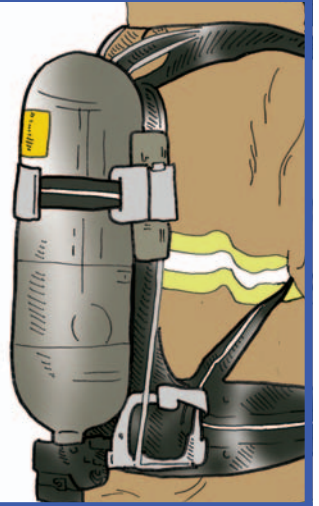
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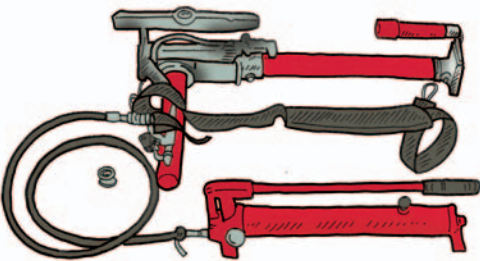
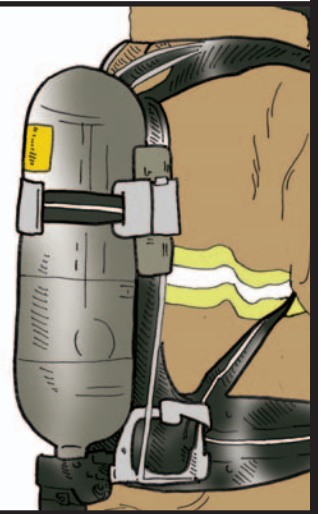
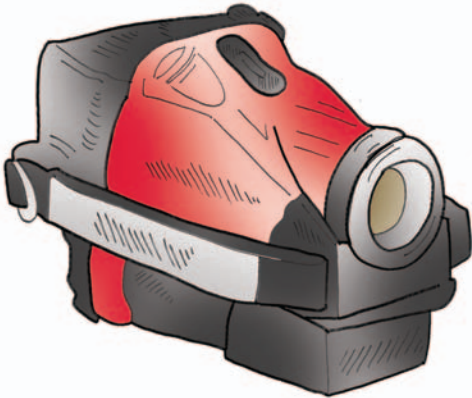
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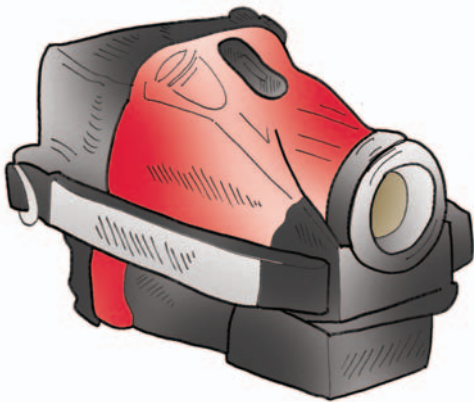
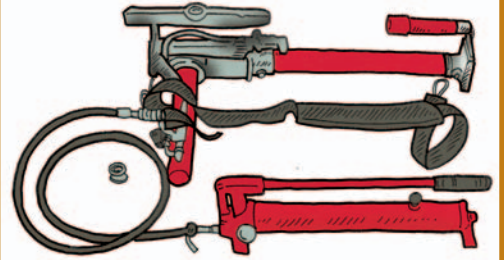
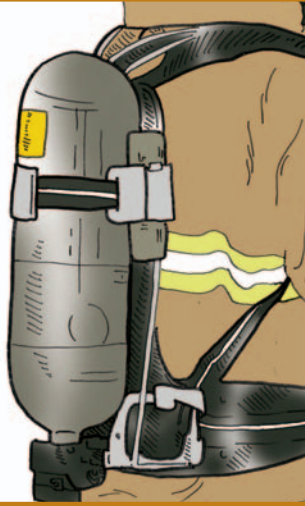
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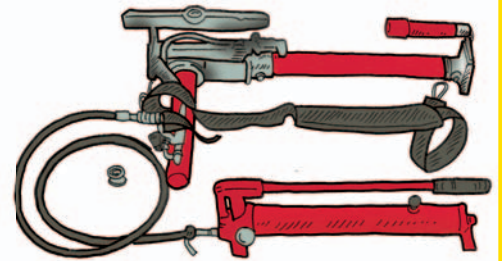
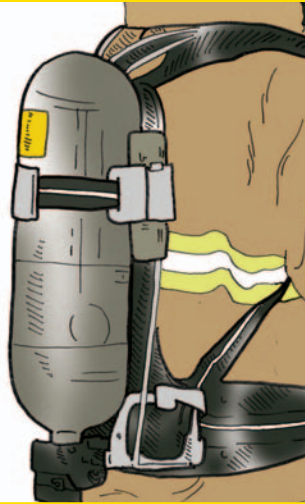
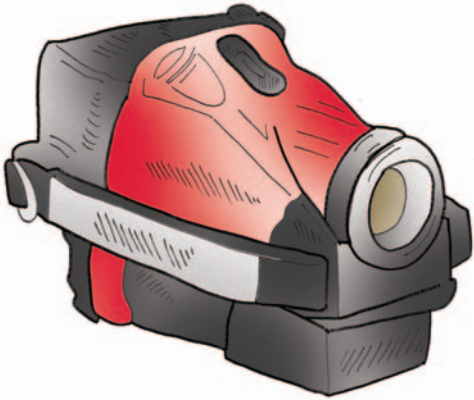
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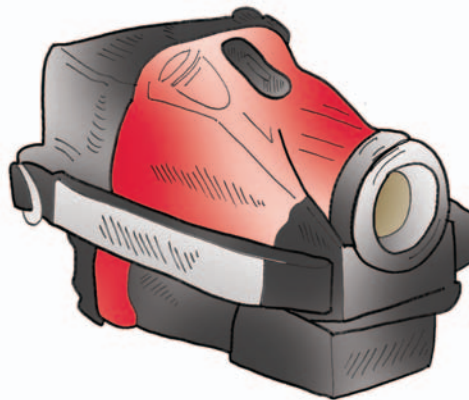
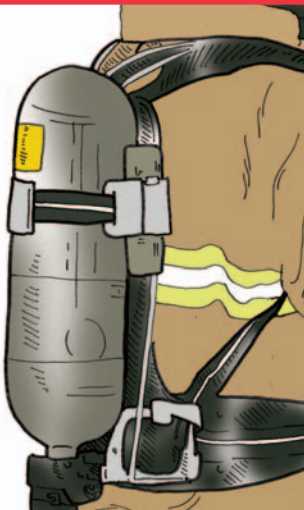
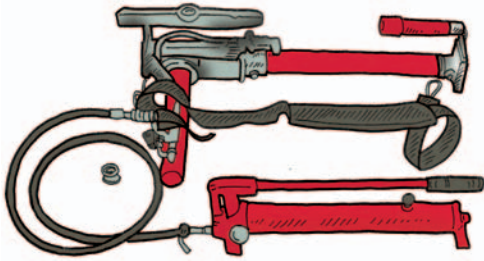
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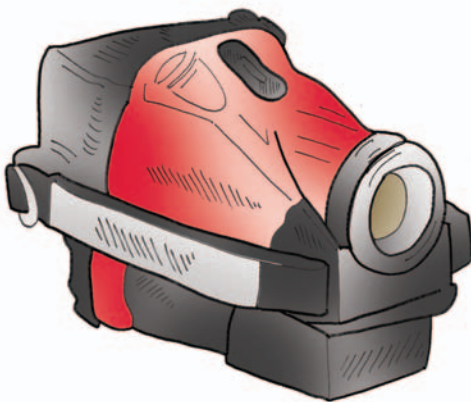
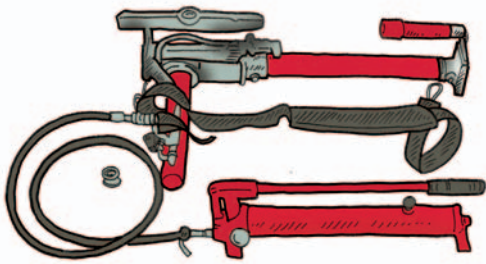
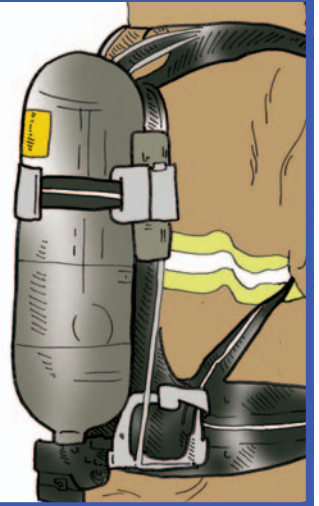
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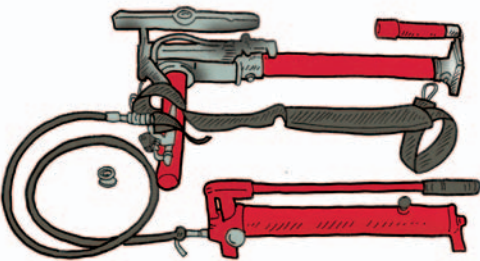
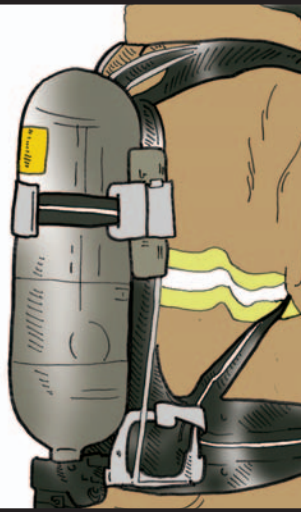
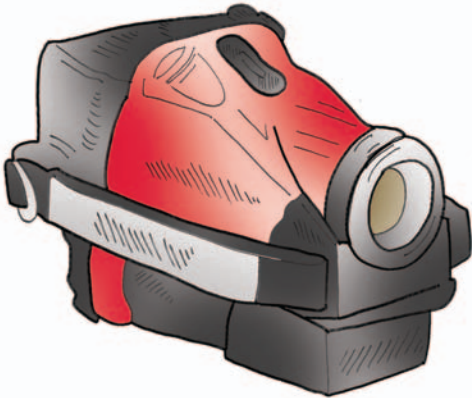
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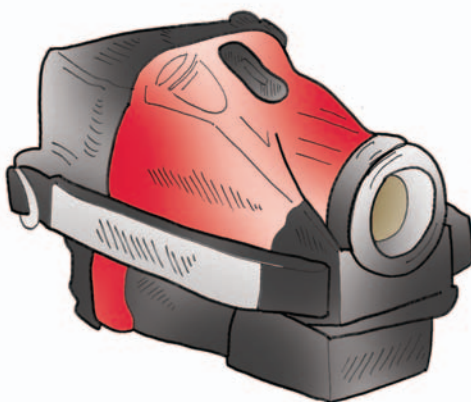
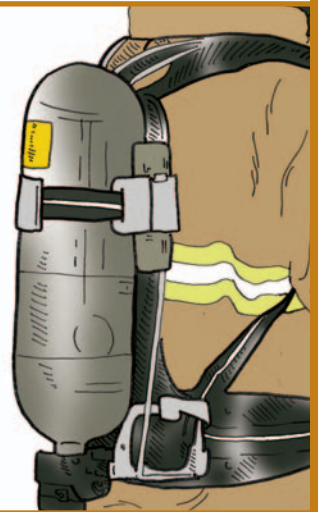
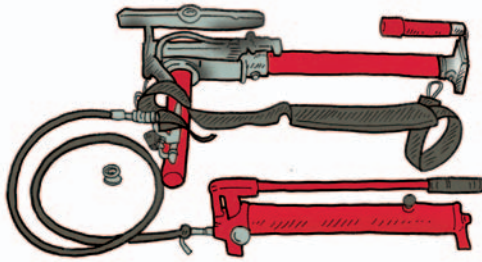
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