

C Sawyer Evaluator

A Sawyer as a **C Sawyer Evaluator** may conduct formal instruction and proficiency evaluations for all sawyer certification levels. Sawyer Evaluators have a demonstrated ability for advanced instruction and an advanced understanding of Forest Service saw directives.

Skill Level	Responsibilities and Limitations	Training	Knowledge	Skills
C Sawyer Evaluator	<p>May conduct formal instruction and proficiency evaluations for all sawyer certification levels.</p> <p>Has successfully completed training to organize and conduct advanced sawyer certification sessions in the field and has received a recommendation from the Regional Saw Program Manager, which is supported by demonstrated advanced saw knowledge and skills and, in most cases, certification as a C Sawyer—Felling and Bucking for at least 3 years.</p>	<p>Formal Instruction: required</p> <p>Demonstrated Field Proficiency: variable</p> <p>Total Training: to be determined by Regional Saw Program Manager (or that person’s designee)</p> <p>Prerequisites: First Aid and CPR</p>	<p>Must be recommended for the training by the immediate supervisor, a line officer, or the Saw Program Coordinator.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Able to effectively demonstrate and teach safety, advanced sawing techniques, field skills, and hazard assessment decision-making processes. • Able to understand, use, and communicate applicable federal regulations regarding the use of saws in the workplace and Forest Service saw directives to other sawyers and staff. <p>Knowledge of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Administrative duties and responsibilities. • Teaching and evaluation methods and techniques for evaluating A, B, and C Sawyers. 	<p>Has demonstrated ability for advanced instruction, hazard assessment, and instruction in complex sawing techniques and an advanced understanding of Forest Service saw directives. Has demonstrated good judgment in assessing complex situations and own skill limitations and in safely completing sawing tasks.</p> <p>Field Evaluation: Demonstrated knowledge of techniques for providing instruction in brushing, bucking, felling, and limbing techniques in highly complex situations. Demonstrated ability to provide instruction in safe use of a saw in highly complex situations.</p>

