

**INSTRUCTIONS**  
 Include sketches, diagrams  
 and notes in your answers.

# MECHANISMS - INTERACTIVE KNOWLEDGE MAP

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**INSTRUCTIONS**  
 Place an 'X' alongside each  
 'flame', as you complete  
 each exercise

START  
YOUR  
TRAINING

1. DESCRIBE 4  
TYPES  
OF MOTION

2. WHAT IS A  
CAM?

3. SKETCH AND  
NAME 4 CAM  
PROFILES

4. SKETCH AND DESCRIBE  
A PRACTICAL APPLICATION  
OF A SNAIL CAM

9. HOW COULD THE  
FIREMAN 'LIFT' WATER  
FROM A RIVER, TO PUT  
OUT THE FIRE?

7. HOW DOES A  
CRANK AND SLIDER  
WORK?  
8. WHEN COULD  
A RATCHET  
MECHANISM  
BE USEFUL?

6. WHAT IS A  
LINEAR  
CAM?

5. HOW DOES AN  
ECCENTRIC CAM  
WORK?

10. SKETCH AND DESCRIBE  
4 LINKAGE MECHANISMS

11. HOW COULD A TREADLE  
MECHANISM BE USED?

12. SKETCH AND DESCRIBE  
A MECHANISM SUITABLE  
FOR A TOOL BOX

13. DRAW A DEVICE  
THAT HELPS THE  
FIRE DEPARTMENT  
REACH FIRES

FINISH

15. DESCRIBE AND SKETCH  
A PRACTICAL APPLICATION  
OF SPRINGS

14. DESCRIBE AND SKETCH  
3 TYPES OF SPRING

