

**Reference No**

201/080

**Duration**

2 days

**Location**

RNAS CULDROSE

**IELTS**

5.5

**Frequency**15 courses  
per year

# FIREFIGHTING AND HELICOPTER OPERATING (AIR 233)

**AIM OF COURSE**

To train senior and junior ratings in all aspects of flight deck operations, aircraft fire fighting and aircraft crash rescue.

**OUTLINE SYLLABUS**

- ◆ Specialised aircraft fire fighting equipment, as applicable to class of ship (revision)
- ◆ Flight deck and fire fighting arrangements
- ◆ Flight deck and general fire prevention precautions
- ◆ Fire fighting protective clothing, care and maintenance
- ◆ Rescue procedures, emergency break-in points, door jettison, fire access panels, marking, release of aircrew
- ◆ Fire hazards associated with Aircraft Armament
- ◆ Practical fire fighting and simulated rescue, using all flight deck fire fighting equipment
- ◆ Helicopter danger areas. Dress on the flight deck. Safety precautions on the flight deck, Foreign Object Damage and prevention
- ◆ General awareness when working with aircraft, importance of individual flight safety contributions
- ◆ Practical flight deck operations, acting as flight deck member. Practical lashing drills
- ◆ Helicopter Inflight Refuelling (HIFR) procedure/Vertical Replenishment (VERTREP) procedures