

# Section Battle Drill

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### Battle Preparations

- Check Camouflage** - Break up the outline of the webbing and shoulders using local foliage typical of the country over which the section is to operate.
- Check Weapons** - Make sure they are clean and serviceable. Set sights at 300.
- Check Ammunition** - Make sure it is clean and that magazines are properly distributed.
- Receive Orders** - The section commander will number off the cadets before giving them orders.

#### **Reference Points and Anticipatory Orders**

In the advance to contact, the section commander should be on the lookout as the section moves for new reference points for fire control orders and positions where the section can take cover if it comes under effective enemy fire.

#### **Quick Revision Orders Headings**

Ground  
Situation  
Mission  
Execution  
Service Support  
Command and Signals

**Unnecessary shouting should be avoided while advancing to contact; it only serves to alert the enemy.**

**Summary**  
**Camouflage - Weapons - Ammunition - Receive Orders**