

# Deadly and Dangerous Facts

Navy SEALs are trained for missions at sea, in the air, or on land. While many who join the U.S. Navy dream of becoming SEALs, few make the cut.

During the filming of *The Wizard of Oz*, both the actress who played the Wicked Witch and her stunt double ended up getting burned. Ouch!

Just how dangerous is race car driving? It's about thirty times more dangerous than playing football!

Smoke jumpers fight wilderness forest fires, and they have to be tough. To make it past the first day of training, they have to be able to do seven chin-ups, do forty-five sit-ups, do twenty-five push-ups, and run 1.5 miles (2.4 kilometers) in fewer than eleven minutes.

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