



INDOOR & OUTDOOR

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**FIRE PRECAUTIONS**

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Many fixtures and appliances inside and outside of a home can lead to a fire. Thankfully, educating yourself on fire safety can help prevent house fires. Let's take a look at indoor and outdoor fire prevention tips we can take.

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## Indoor Fire Prevention Tips

Indoor fires are **very common**. Two of every five home fires start in the kitchen with unattended cooking being a factor in one-third of home cooking related fires. Heating equipment such as space heaters or wood stoves are often the second leading cause of home fires, fire deaths and fire injuries. Electrical fires and candles are also causes for indoor fires. Here are some tips to prevent indoor fires:

- When an adult is cooking in the kitchen, make sure they never leave the **stove** unattended.
- Never leave flammable items such as clothes or bedding near lit **candles**.
- Always remind the adult in the room to turn off any **space heaters** or **portable air conditioners**.
- Don't plug too many items into an **extension cord**.
- Never play with a **lighter** or **matches**.
- Never leave a burning fire in your **fireplace** unattended.

## Outdoor Fire Prevention Tips

**Natural disasters**, **wildfires** and **flammable debris** are just a few ways fires can start outside your home. In the event of a natural disaster, any gas leaks may cause a fire. Wildfires should be taken into consideration for those residing in heavily forested areas. To prevent a fire starting outdoors, it is important to take the following precautions:

- Make sure your home is equipped with **gutter guards**. Without gutter guards, flammable debris can build up and pile on your roof leaving your home at risk for a fire. Ask an adult whether or not your home has gutter guards.
- Be aware of any **broken gas lines** or **vehicles** with gas leaks.
- Never leave an **outdoor fire** burning unattended.

# Fire Safety Facts

## DID YOU KNOW


  
 OF HOME FIRE DEATHS RESULT FROM  
**FIRES**  
*reported between*  
**11P.M. AND 7P.M.?**


**334**  
**CHILDREN**  
 DIED IN HOME FIRES.

**WORKING SMOKE ALARMS**  
 REDUCE THE CHANCES OF DYING IN A FIRE BY *nearly* **50%**

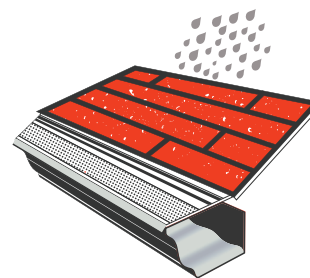
## Fire Prevention Checklist

Check off the items on our fire prevention checklist to make sure you are prepared if a fire were to occur in your home:

- Do you have working smoke alarms on each level of your home?
- Does your family have a fire escape plan?
- Does your family have an outdoor meeting place?
- Do you know what a smoke alarm sounds like?
- Do you know what to do when you hear a smoke alarm?
- Have you practiced stop, drop and roll?
- Do you know what gas smells like?
- Do you know what to do if you smell gas?

## Words to Know

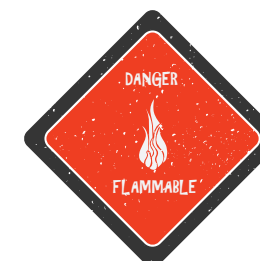
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GUTTER GUARDS	FLAMMABLE	FIRE EXTINGUISHER	



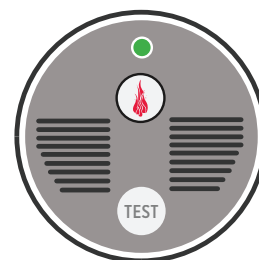
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FIRE	SMOKE	OUTDOOR	LIGHTER
SAFETY	GAS	INDOOR	MATCHES
WATER	GUTTER	WILDFIRES	FIREPLACE
TIPS	STOP	FLAMMABLE	DEBRI
ESCAPE	DROP	STOVE	LEAFFILTER
ALARM	ROLL	CANDLES	RAIN

# COLOR ME HOUSE



## NO PEEKING!

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7. STOP, DROP, & ROLL

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