



Fire safety

PLEASE DO NOT:

- Block any fire exit routes
- Leave cooking unattended, especially when using cooking oil as this is a common cause of fire
- Smoke inside the property
- Overload plug sockets, and be sure to switch off electrical equipment you are not using.

Call-outs for the fire alarm will be charged for if the cause is found to be carelessness or vandalism including setting off the fire alarm unnecessarily by you or your visitors.

Please do not remove any fire signs, prop open any fire doors or remove any door closers as this is a fire safety issue and they are there for your own wellbeing. If these items are ignored it will be taken very seriously.

Your fire evacuation procedure can be found on the attached Fire Risk Assessment. Please also familiarise yourself with the fire plan overleaf.

Please remember smoking is not permitted in the property.



STRICTLY PROHIBITED ITEMS

- Cookers, toasters, grills, kettles, refrigerators and heaters of any type are not allowed in your bedroom, as these constitute a serious fire risk
- Chip pans and deep fat fryers
- Candles, joss/incense sticks/halogen lights
- Fireworks
- Pets
- Firearms of ANY type and for ANY use
- Weapons i.e. knives, crossbows, etc
- Any highly flammable liquids or items (i.e. petrol, firelighters, etc).

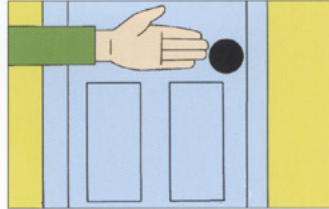


FIRE PLAN

Plan A - How to get to safety



1. Under the smoke, then you won't choke. Stay low at all times.



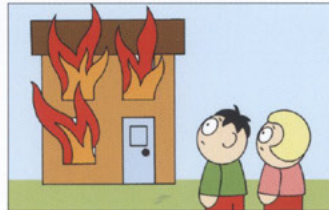
2. Get the door felt, so you don't melt. Use the **back** of your hand.



3. If the door feels cold it is safe to go through. Go through and close the door for 20 minutes more and to stop the smoke spreading.



4. On the way out shout **FIRE** to wake everyone up. Don't stop for anything or anyone.

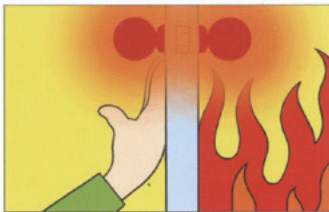


5. Get out, stay out and call the Fire Brigade out. Their number is 999.



6. Don't return or you will burn.

Plan B - What to do if fire is blocking your escape



a) If the door is hot you shouldn't go through it as the fire might be on the other side.



b) Place something soft and thick at the bottom of the door to stop smoke getting in.



c) Go to the window and open it. Then shout **FIRE** to raise the alarm. The Fire Brigade will come and rescue you.

What if your clothes catch fire?



STOP



DROP



ROLL