

TIPS FOR PARENTS AND GUARDIANS

MAKE FIRE SAFETY A PRIORITY!

Fire Safety Tips

- Don't play with matches or lighters
- If your clothes are on fire STOP, DROP & ROLL
- To escape in a fire FALL & CRAWL
- Practice an escape plan and know 2 ways out
- NEVER go back inside a burning building
- Once you are outside DIAL 9-1-1
- Check smoke detector batteries monthly

Smoke Alarm UPKEEP

- Replace your batteries SPRING & FALL.
- Position your detectors away from vents & fans.
- Place a detector on every level of your home.
- Test your smoke alarm at night to see if your child will wake up.
- Replace all smoke alarms every 10 years.
- Consider installing a home sprinkler system.

Fire Facts

- A small fire can turn deadly in 1 to 2 minutes.
- Someone is injured in a fire every 30 minutes.
- 80% of fire related deaths occur in the home.
- Smoke detectors double your chance of surviving.
- Smoke and toxic gases kill more people than flames.

TEST YOUR SMOKE DETECTOR MONTHLY

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