



HEREFORD & WORCESTER  
**HWFR**  
FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICE

# Home Workbook



Roary the Fire Lion says  
**'Stay Safe From Fire'**

Name: .....

Parent/Carer Signature: .....

Teacher Signature: .....

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# Adult Information

Hereford & Worcester Fire and Rescue Service has delivered a session to your child at school designed to keep you safe from fire at home. Please help your child complete this workbook and return it to school as part of their Key Stage 2 work. It will then be returned home for you to keep for information. When completed please sign the front cover.

Answers can be found online at the following address:  
[www.hwfire.org.uk/your\\_safety/education\\_young.html](http://www.hwfire.org.uk/your_safety/education_young.html)

Is someone in your home more vulnerable due to age or restricted mobility, sight / hearing? If you have any concerns you can request a free Home Fire Safety Check by ringing the community safety team on **0800 032 1155**.

All information is covered by confidentiality and data protection policies.

**Please help your child to write their full address below so they can repeat it in an emergency.**

<p><b>Address :</b> .....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p><b>Post Code :</b> .....</p> <p><b>Telephone number :</b>.....</p>
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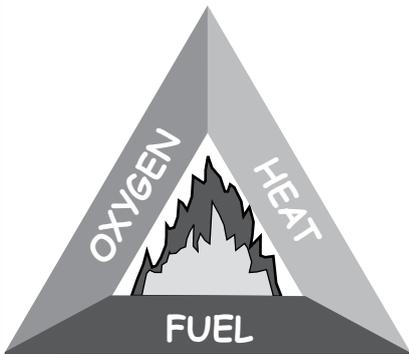


Roary the Fire Lion says,  
'Learn your address'

# Fire Risk

Look around your home. You will see that many fire hazards exist, such as the cooker in the kitchen.

## Fire Triangle



What fire hazards can you spot in your home? Make a list here.

.....	.....
.....	.....
.....	.....

Which room in your house is the most at risk of having a fire?

Why?

What should you do last thing at night to help keep you safe from fire?

Roary the Fire Lion says, 'Spot the fire risk'



# Electrical Safety

A number of fires that happen in the home are caused by electrical appliances.

Can you add the right words from the list below?

High Off Overloaded Pull out Sockets Twice

Fires can start when plug \_\_\_\_\_ are \_\_\_\_\_ or when items are left on too long. When you have finished using something you should switch it \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ the plug. You should do this at least \_\_\_\_\_ a day: last thing at night and when you leave the house during the day. Bedrooms are a \_\_\_\_\_ risk as we use lots of electrical items there. So to help keep you safe from electrical fires you should :



**Switch it off !**



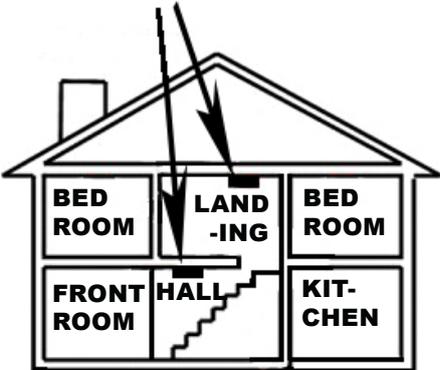
**Pull it out !**



Roary the Fire Lion says,  
'Keep safe from  
electrical fires'

# Smoke Alarms

Have a family meeting and enjoy answering the quiz together.  
Can you score the maximum of 10 points?

	Do you have Smoke Alarms? a. Yes b. No	Scores a. 2 b. 0
	Are they put on the ceiling? a. Yes b. No	a. 2 b. 0
	How often are they tested? a. Every year b. Every week	a. 0 b. 2
	When is the battery changed? a. When it runs out b. At least once a year	a. 0 b. 2
<p><b>PLACE ONE SMOKE ALARM ON EVERY FLOOR</b></p> 	Do you have the recommended number of Smoke Alarms in your house?  a. No b. Yes	a. 0 b. 2
<b>Safety Scores Total</b>		

Roary the Fire Lion says,  
'Working smoke alarms  
save lives'



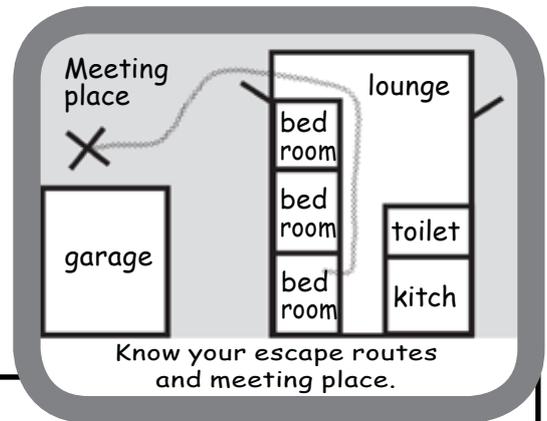
# Escape Plans

Talk to your family and agree a night time emergency escape plan.

How long would it take you to get to safety?

Draw a diagram of your escape plan.

Or you can do this on line at:  
<http://www.burninstitute.org/fbp/factsheets/plan.html>



Blank area for drawing an escape plan.

What is the motto of the Fire and Rescue Service?

G \_ \_ O \_ \_ , S \_ \_ \_ O \_ \_ ,

C \_ \_ \_ T \_ \_ F \_ \_ \_ S \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ O \_ \_



Roary the Fire Lion says,  
'Now practise your  
fire escape plan'

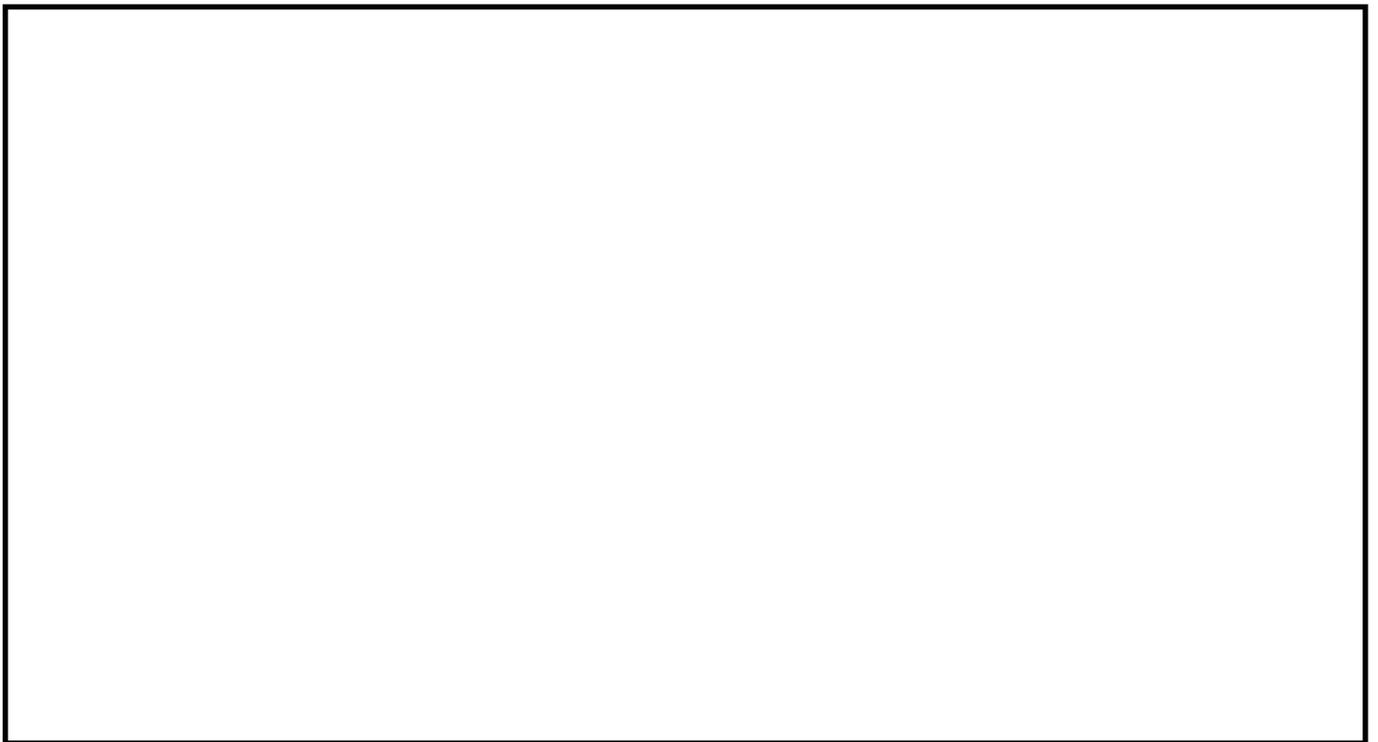
# Emergency Calls

We use 999 to make an emergency call. But did you know that you can also call 112 in an emergency. This is also the number to use if you are on holiday in Europe.

If you have to make an emergency call it is important to stay calm, listen to the questions you are asked and give clear answers. You should be able to give your full address.

Take a good look at the front of your house. If you had to call in an emergency how would you describe it to the fire service? Are there any landmarks like a church or postbox nearby?

**Draw your house**



# Hoax Calls

Firefighters are sometimes called out to emergencies that do not exist.

These are called Hoax Calls.

Hoax calls can cost lives. If a fire crew is called to an emergency that doesn't exist, it may not get to a real emergency quickly enough.

Hoax calls waste a lot of time.

Never make, or let anyone you know make, a hoax call.

You can get into serious trouble if you do.

Hoax Calls C \_ \_ \_ \_ L \_ \_ \_ \_

Roary the Fire Lion says,  
'Well Done! I'm sure you  
and your family will now  
Stay Safe From Fire'



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