

Fire Safety

S: Smoke alarms.

Make sure you have at least one on every floor.

T: Test your smoke alarms weekly.

Test your smoke alarm weekly, or ask someone to check it for you.

O: Obvious dangers.

Look for fire risks like overloaded sockets, candles and unattended appliances.

P: Plan your escape route.

Keep access routes clear and have your keys at the ready.





Fire Safety on Camp

On the patrol site

- Use a altar fire to prevent damaging the ground; it is easier and safer to cook on
- When planning your site, the positioning of the fire is important. Keep the fire as far as possible away from tents and firewood.
- Set up a fire point with fire extinguishers and fire blankets.

Building a fire safely elsewhere

- Choose a clear area
- Ensure there are no overhanging branches
- Try and choose somewhere with a natural windbreak
- Use fire ring or make one with with stones
- Keep gathered firewood away from fire



DON'T

- leave your fire unattended or allow it to grow into a bonfire
- build a camp fire in extremely windy conditions

