

# FIRE ESCAPE PLAN



## Create an Escape Plan with your family

You may only have 2 minutes or less to escape a house fire once it starts.\* And according to the Red Cross, only **26%** of families have a fire escape plan in place. Take the time to make one – it can be a fun family activity!

- When escape planning, **remember the twos**:
  - Always know **2 ways out** of every room,
  - Practice **2 times per year** and
  - Practice **2 times of the day** – daytime and nighttime
- **Know who will assist** children and those with mobility/health issues
- Have **escape ladders** in upstairs rooms
- **Get Outside, Stay Outside:** Remember, if the smoke or CO alarm sounds, get outside and stay outside
- **Call 9-1-1:** Make sure everyone in your house knows how to

## The second way out is often a window

Two- and three-story escape ladders provide a quick and safe way for both adults and kids to get out if there are flames on the other side of the bedroom door.



## Don't forget Fur-Ever Friends

Teach everyone in the family what a smoke or carbon monoxide alarm sounds like and what to do if they hear one, which is: **Get outside and call 9-1-1!**

You can even teach your dog how to respond to an alarm.

For more information on fire safety and prevention, visit [Kidde.com](https://Kidde.com) or [NFPA.org](https://NFPA.org).



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