

Grades K-2



FIRE FIGHTER'S Safety Guide 2021



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Create a fire safe home and enjoy fun activities and more with Poki and the team!



Aloha Junior Fire Fighter!

Fire safety is important everywhere, but even more so in your home. While fires can happen at any time or anywhere, you can help yourself and your family stay safe at home by being ready. Join me and fellow fire fighters in completing the activities in this booklet to learn what you can do to be prepared in case of a fire.

Home fire safety is a team effort. This year, Fire Fighter Mana and I have brought our friend, Fire Fighter Maliu, to help us learn about smoke alarms! Please join us in welcoming her, and let's all be safe together!

Poki



Read the **Message from the Hawaii State Fire Council (SFC)** in the Fire Fighter's Safety Guide for Grades 3-6 on the inside front cover.



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Smoke Alarms

Smoke alarms detect smoke and make a loud sound to warn us of a fire and give us time to escape. This is why it is important to place smoke alarms in your home. Smoke alarms should be inside each bedroom where you sleep and on every level of your home. On levels without bedrooms, place alarms in the living room and/or near the stairway.

What about the kitchen? Smoke alarms should be installed at least ten feet from a cooking appliance to avoid false alarms when cooking.

Where do I place the alarm? Smoke alarms should be placed high on walls or ceilings (remember, smoke rises). Measured from the top of the alarm, wall-mounted alarms should be placed no more than 12 inches below the ceiling.

Don't install smoke alarms near doors, ducts, or windows. Never paint smoke alarms because paint can prevent alarms from working.

How far from the ceiling should Fire Fighter Maliu place this smoke alarm?

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Fire Fighter Maliu should **NOT** install a smoke alarm near:

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How many feet away from the stove should she install a smoke alarm?

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ACTIVITY:
Help Fire Fighter Maliu place smoke alarms in the right place.

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Smoke alarms should be tested every month to ensure they are working to protect us. Press the test button on each smoke alarm. If it does not make a beeping sound, the smoke alarm's battery must be changed or the smoke alarm may need to be replaced.



Poki's Tip for Adults

Too busy? Simply set a smartphone notification to remind you to test your smoke alarms each month. Safety first!



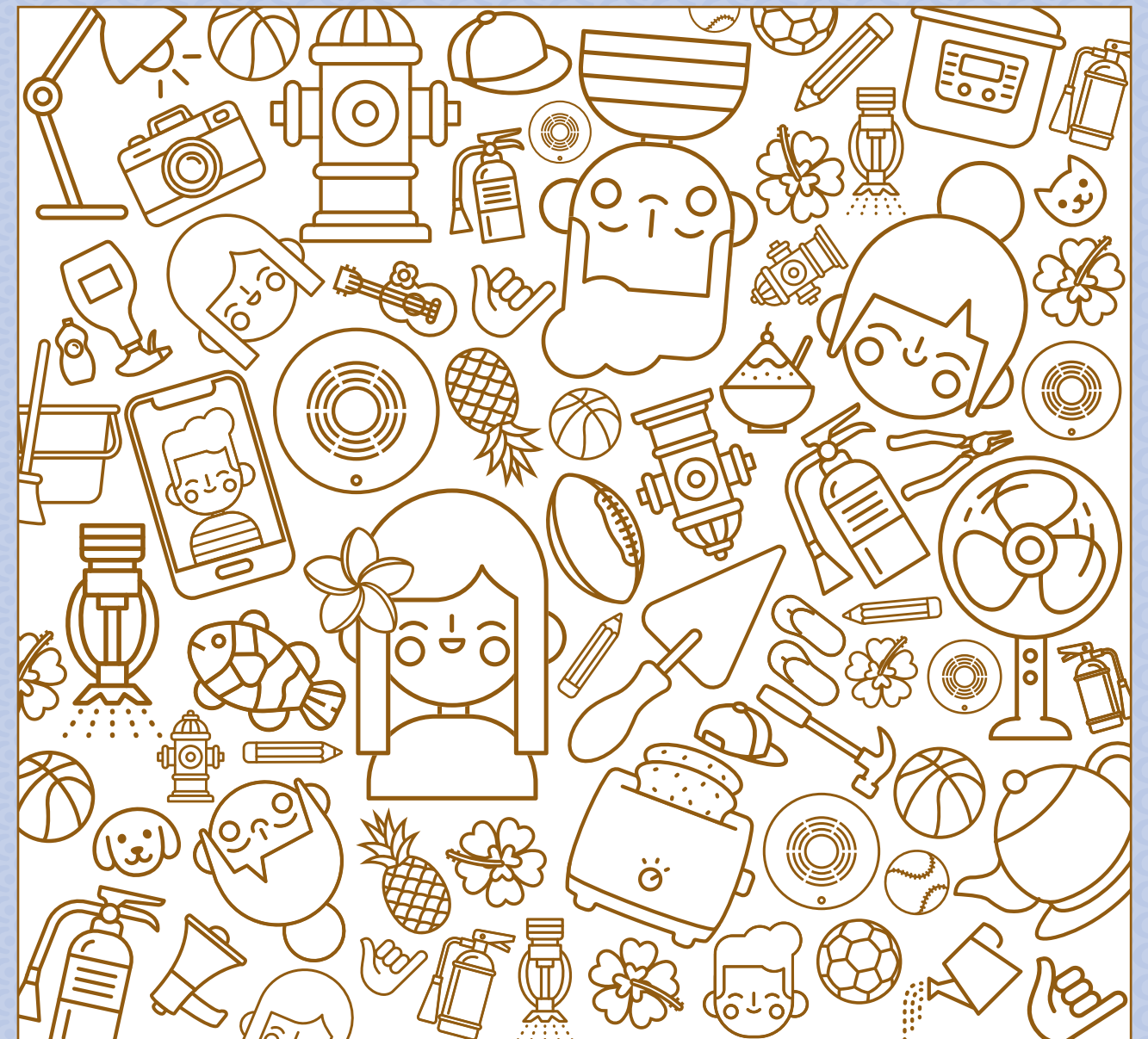
Part of being a Junior Fire Fighter is using your observation skills. Learn to spot fire safety tools in everyday life on this page. See how many items you can find in the picture below.



Write the number in the blank circle next to the name of the object.

A diagram with a blue background featuring a repeating pattern of white circles. Four white circles are arranged in a 2x2 grid. To the right of each circle is a label in a dark blue, sans-serif font. The labels are: 'Fire Extinguishers' (top-left), 'Fire Hydrants' (top-right), 'Smoke Alarms' (bottom-left), and 'Sprinklers' (bottom-right).

- Fire Extinguishers
- Fire Hydrants
- Smoke Alarms
- Sprinklers



Answers: 6 Fire Extinguishers, 4 Fire Hydrants, 5 Smoke Alarms, 3 Sprinklers



**There is a fire!
It's an emergency.
Everyone is out
of the house.**

**Poki's Tip
for Adults**

Be sure your address is
clearly visible on your house.
This will make it easier for
fire fighters to respond to
your location.

Don't Stall, Call 911!

If there is a fire, leave the house first, then call 911.
Stay calm and don't hang up until the operator says
you can. **Never call 911 as a test.**



CUT OUT AND PLACE IN A SPOT WHERE YOU CAN ALWAYS SEE THE INFORMATION.



ACTIVITY: Complete your important information below.

Before you call 911, know your **first and last name**, **home address**, or the **phone number of someone who takes care of you**, such as a parent, grandparent, aunt, or uncle.
Be sure to tell the operator why it is an emergency.

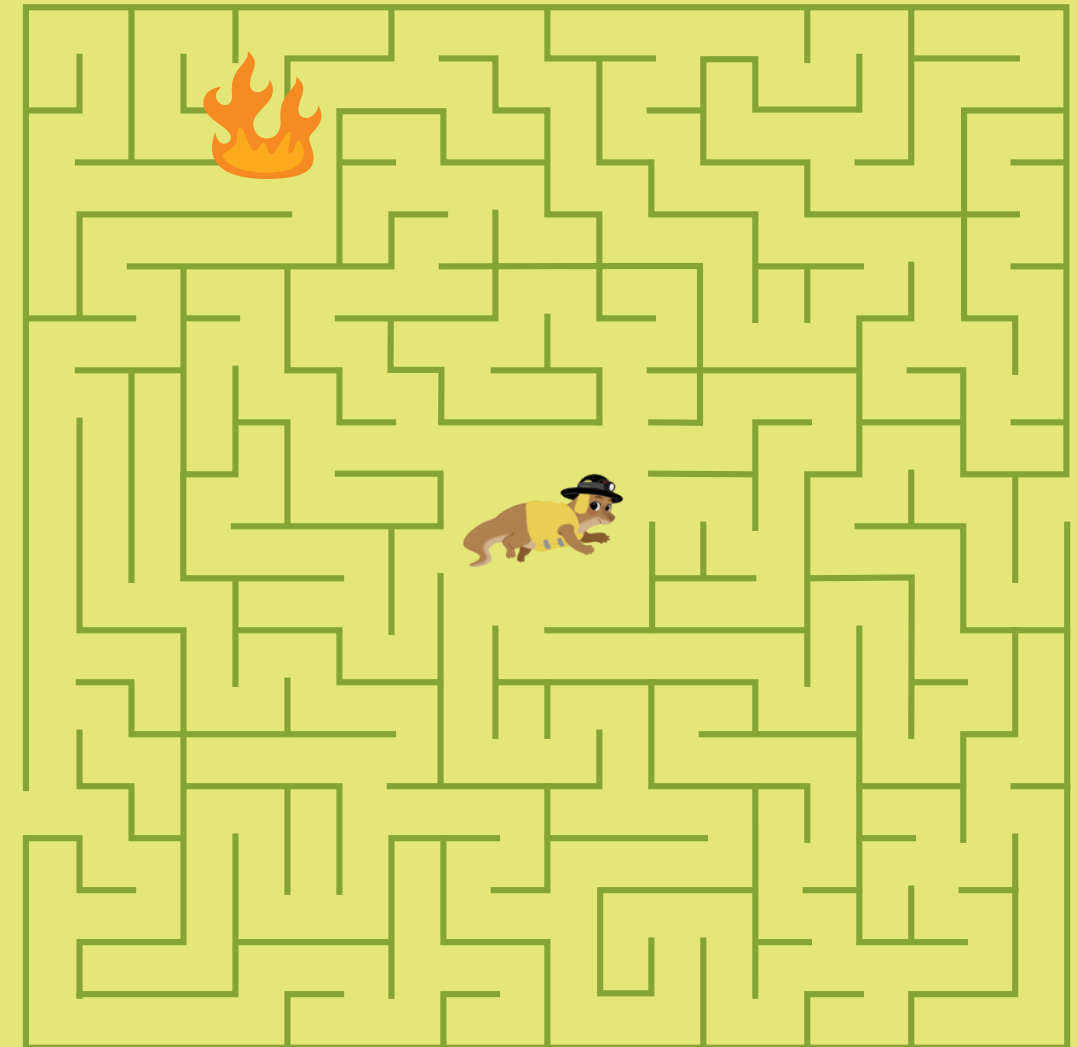
My first and last name is:

My address is:

My emergency phone number is:



ACTIVITY: Help Fire Fighter Mana find his way to his family's safe meeting place at the mailbox or the trees across the street.



Get out!

Always know at least **two ways out of your home** in case one is blocked. Practice escaping with adults through a window instead of the door. If you are in a building or live in a condominium or apartment, always take the stairs in an emergency.

Decide on a safe meeting place with your family, and practice your escape plan with your family so everyone knows what to do in case of a fire!



**Poki's Tip
for Adults**

In case of an emergency,
choose a safe meeting
place outside your home,
like a mailbox, tree, or
neighbor's house.

Stay Low and Go!

If you see or smell smoke or hear a smoke alarm, **STAY LOW AND GO!**
When you stay low to the ground and crawl, you can see AND breathe better.

If you hear a smoke alarm, **GET OUT AND STAY OUT** using your home escape plan.



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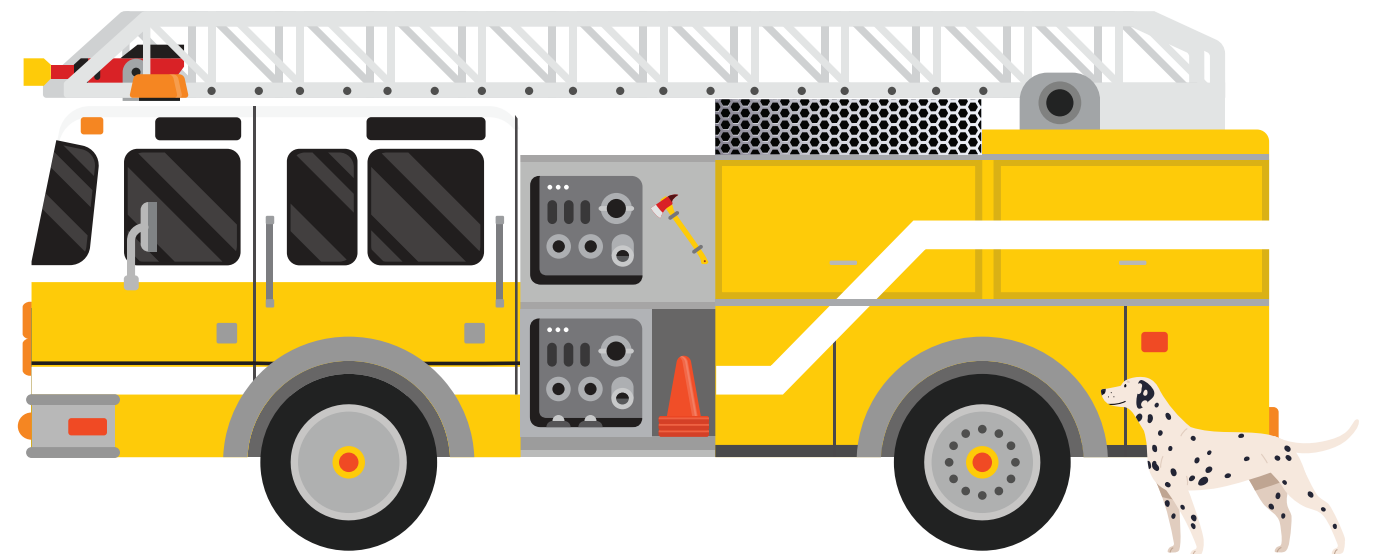
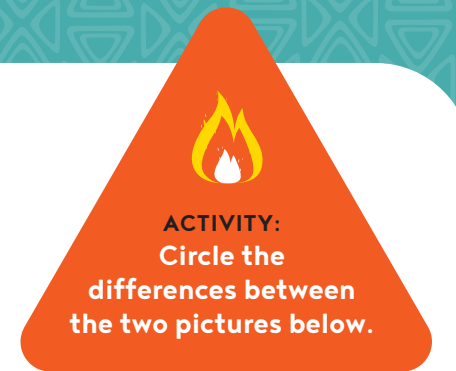
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Fire Fighter Mana's secret message:

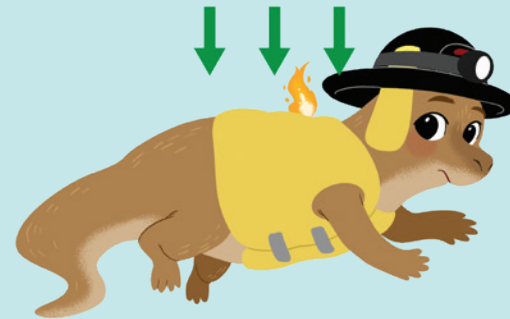
Can you spot seven differences?

There are seven differences between the fire trucks below. Look closely!





Stop where you are.



Drop to the ground
and cover your face.



Roll side to side until
the flames are out.



Stop, Drop, and Roll!

If your clothes catch on fire, don't run!



ACTIVITY:
Search for the
words in this puzzle.

Word Search

Find and circle 13 hidden words
in this puzzle!

T	E	S	T	V	F	A	N	D	Q
S	L	T	T	I	U	L	9	1	1
O	K	O	W	G	K	A	A	E	B
F	9	P	R	E	L	R	P	N	L
O	M	E	E	T	A	M	R	O	H
V	F	1	Q	W	L	U	W	H	C
L	D	J	R	I	O	G	O	J	A
K	D	R	O	P	W	M	U	I	L
N	N	I	L	S	V	O	T	Q	L
T	F	9	L	B	D	N	N	N	K



TEST
ALARM
CALL
911

GET
OUT
MEET

LOW
AND
GO

STOP
DROP
ROLL



