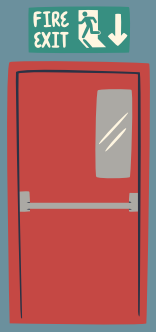
Fire Safety for Students

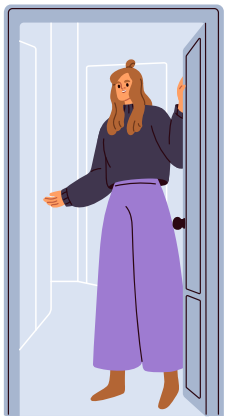


Know your escape route

Get to know your building's evacuation plan; ask your building manager, warden or student accommodation team.

Your fire assembly point is:

Outside in the Ampitheatre



General fire safety best practices for your flat

1. Keep doorways and hallways free from obstructions.
2. Keep fire doors closed and never wedge them open.
3. Never cover a heater or dry your clothes on them.
4. Never cover a smoke detector.
5. Report any faults with fire doors or equipment to us as soon as you spot them.

If a fire starts, sound the alarm using the nearest alarm call point and call 999. Evacuate the building calmly and alert staff.



Take care when cooking

1. Don't stack things on top of the microwave, cover vents, or put anything metal inside the microwave. This could cause it to overheat, set on fire, or even explode!
2. It's never a good idea to cook after a heavy night out or to leave your cooking unattended. You may fall asleep or forget about it.
3. Switch on your extractor fan when you cook.
4. Don't use large amounts of oil or let the microwave, oven or grill get too dirty! A build up of fat and grease is a major cause of kitchen fires.





Tech and charging

1. If you're buying any second hand tech goods, check that they have been PAT tested and that any cables and leads are intact and not frayed with any exposed wires.
2. Use a maximum of one plug in each socket. Don't overload extension leads with too many electrical goods.

Please bring any electrical items to reception for PAT Testing.

If you are unsure about anything covered here, please reach out to our friendly team.

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