



# CAMPUS FIRE SAFETY

## for students

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## COOKING & KITCHEN FIRE SAFETY

**Did you know that cooking is one of the most common causes of fires...**

**Especially if you are cooking with oil.**

- Stay in the kitchen while you are frying, grilling, or broiling food.
- Cook only when you are alert, not sleepy or drowsy.
- Keep your cooking area clean and uncluttered.
- Keep anything that can catch fire away from your stovetop.
- Keep a lid nearby when you're cooking to smother small grease fires.
- For an oven fire turn off the heat and keep the door closed.

- For a microwave fire, keep the door closed and unplug the unit.
- Never pour water on a grease fire.



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