



## Burning Candles

Don't be in the mood for a fire.

Candles are pretty to look at but that's an open flame. It can easily ignite anything that can burn. Blow out all candles when you leave the room or go to bed. Avoid the use of candles in the bedroom and other areas where people may fall asleep. Keep candles at least a foot away from anything that can burn. Never leave a child alone in a room with a burning candle. Place candles in sturdy holders on a level, uncluttered surface. When lighting a candle, keep your hair and loose clothing away from the flame. Use battery-powered lighting during a power outage.

Following these precautions when using candles will keep your property safe and prevent injuries.

And that's smart safety!

For additional information or guidance, contact your safety office.