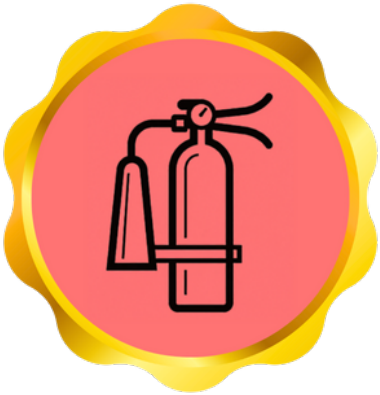

Fire Safety (Pro)

Activities:

Fire Drill:

- [ ] Plan a fire drill for your home. Make sure everyone knows two ways to escape from every room. Include identifying a safe place to gather away from your home.
- [ ] Conduct a fire drill, using your plan.
- [ ] Inspect your home. Is there a clear path to the exits in every room? If not, clear a path 36" (3 feet) wide in each room.

Stop, drop, and roll:

- [ ] Read "If your clothes catch fire" (https://www.cheshirefire.gov.uk/your-safety/in-the-event-of-a-fire/stop-drop-and-roll/).
- [ ] Role play stop, drop, and roll.
- [ ] Make a poster or video illustrating what to do if your clothes catch fire.

Getting help:

- [ ] Role play calling 911.
- [ ] Explain when you should call 911, and when you should not. You may do this out loud, in writing, or by making a chart, a poster, or a video.

Fire Prevention:

- [ ] Read "Is your home a fire hazard?" (http://www.redcross.org/get-help/how-to-prepare-for-emergencies/types-of-emergencies/fire/is-your-home-a-fire-hazard).
- [ ] Inspect your home for hazards, and correct any you find.

Smoke and carbon monoxide detectors:

- [ ] Locate all the smoke detectors in your home.
- [ ] Test the batteries, and change any that need changing.
- [ ] Pick two dates you will change the batteries every year, and write them on your calendar, or put an alarm in your phone.
- [ ] Read about carbon monoxide alarms (http://www.redcross.org/get-help/how-to-prepare-for-emergencies/types-of-emergencies/fire/fire-safety-equipment - Carbon-Monoxide-Alarms).
- [ ] Locate all the carbon monoxide alarms in your home.
- [ ] Test the batteries, and change any that need changing.
- [ ] Pick two dates you will change the batteries every year, and write it on your calendar, or put an alarm in your phone.

Using a fire extinguisher:

- ☐ Read about fire extinguishers (http://www.redcross.org/get-help/how-to-prepare-for-emergencies/types-of-emergencies/fire/fire-safety-equipment#Fire-Extinguishers and scroll down slightly).
- ☐ Explain what PASS means. You may do this out loud, in writing, or by making a poster, a presentation, or a video.
- ☐ Role play using a fire extinguisher.
- ☐ Find out if there is a fire extinguisher in your house, and check the date on it. Talk to someone about replacing it, if the date indicates a new one is needed, or there is no date.

When you have successfully completed all activities, you officially have the Fire Safety Pro skill recognition!