



Home Fire Escape Plan

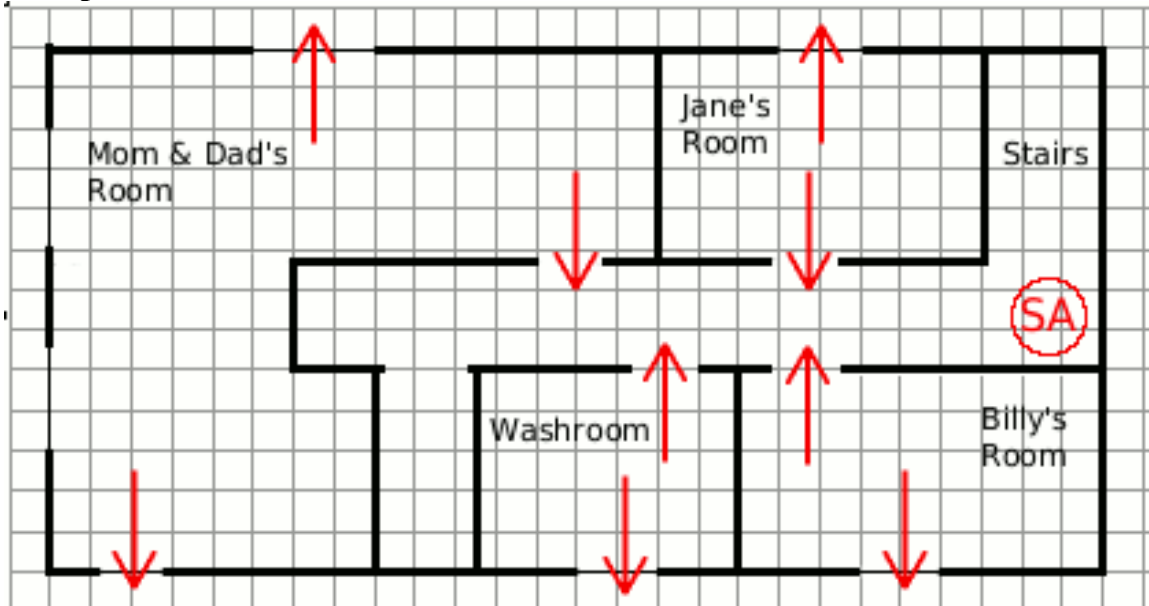
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Instructions for creating your plan

1. Print out a copy of the grid below for each level in your home and draw a floor plan. Don't worry; the floor plan doesn't need to be exact.
2. Mark the location of each smoke alarm.
3. Identify and mark two possible exits from each room. Doors and windows are escape exits from your home.
4. It may be helpful to label each room to make it easier for children to familiarize themselves with the plan.

Sample Floor Plan With Smoke Alarms and Exits Marked



You may also find it handy to keep the following in mind:

- An easily accessible flashlight should be kept in every room, especially bedrooms.
- A flexible ladder should be available for safe exit from second story windows.
- Parents should plan ahead for who will be responsible for each of the children. This will save precious seconds if there is a fire.
- Make sure everyone knows where to meet outside.
- Make sure everyone follows the "get out and stay out rule".



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Which parent is responsible for which child?

For families with children, especially young children, it's important to plan ahead and determine which parent will be responsible for getting each child to safety in the event of a fire. Use the table below to create that plan.

Parent	Child

Meeting Place

After leaving the house, we will meet at the following location:

Important Numbers & Post-Escape Actions

You've made it out safely, now what do you do? Who do you call? Use the space below to write down the phone numbers you'll need and make a few notes on what you plan to do after meeting up.
