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# Don't let candles spoil the mood

Candles come in all shapes, sizes and scents, but whichever you use, the same safety advice applies.

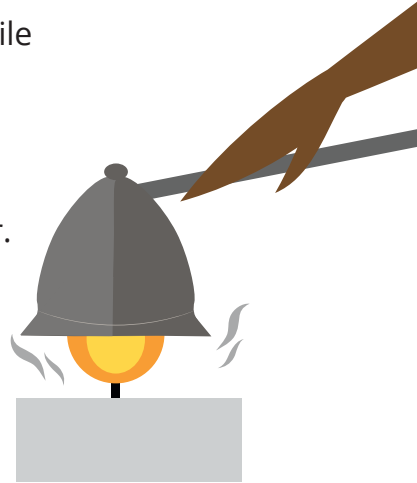
# Candle Safety Tips

## Where should I put my candles?

- Keep out of reach of children and pets.
- Never place candles close to furnishings as they could catch fire.
- Avoid touching or moving candles while lit as hot wax can easily spill.

## Snuff out the chance of fire:

- Always use candles in a secure holder.
- Extinguish all candles before going to bed.
- Use a candle snuffer to extinguish candles.



## Check, and check again:

- Even if you think candles are extinguished, check again.
- Consider battery powered candles as an alternative.

To find out more, visit our candle safety page on our website, under 'Your Safety.'

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