

**Duration:** 30 mins

**Course level:** Introductory

**Delivery method:** Online

## Introduction

**Fire is the single biggest danger facing people in the work place, and almost all fires are avoidable. Understanding how to prevent fire, and how to tackle small fires, can help save lives and property.**

**Fire Safety** is a simple, easy-to-follow course. It helps employees understand some of the causes of fire in the work place, and explains how to use the correct extinguisher for different types of fire.

Staff who are better equipped to prevent and deal with fires will help ensure the safety of their colleagues and visitors. Their increased awareness could prevent fire-related injuries and fatalities, and costly fire damage.

## Who is the course for?

This course is suitable for all members of staff and all types of business. The easy to follow, step-by-step format of this course means people can work at their own pace. No prior knowledge or experience is needed and there are no formal entry requirements.

## What will you get from this course?

When you have completed this course, you will be able to:

- understand the health hazards caused by fire
- recognise the elements of the 'fire triangle'
- identify the meaning of different fire warning signs and where they should be displayed in the work place
- understand different types of fire extinguisher and the types of fire they should be used to tackle.

## Course features

**Fire Safety** uses audio, text and animations to illustrate its main points. As you work through the course interactive exercises test your knowledge and understanding.

At the end of the course there is a multiple choice test. You can take this test as many times as you want.

You can start your course straight away and access it at any time, providing you have access to a computer with an internet connection. The course is available for six months from the date first accessed.

## Course modules

### 1. Introduction

Reducing the Risk of Fire through Good Housekeeping

### 2. Fire Triangle

What is the Fire Triangle?  
What Makes Up the Fire Triangle?  
The Main Causes of Fire

### 3. Fire Signs

Importance of Fire Safety Signs  
Different Signs

### 4. Evacuation

Correct Procedure  
Safe Evacuation Tips  
Assembly Points

### 5. Extinguishers

Different Types of Extinguishers  
How to Tackle a Small Fire

### 6. Housekeeping

Good Housekeeping Tips  
How to Identify Areas of Concern  
Smoking and Flammable Liquids

## Other courses you might be interested in

Manual Handling  
Computer Safety  
Electrical Safety

Introduction to Health and Safety  
at Work

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