



# Is Your Room Safe?

## Fire Safety at Roger Williams University

Fires in residence hall settings have the potential to spread fire, heat and smoke throughout the building affecting the safety of all occupants. It is your responsibility to act in a safe manner at all times. Always be aware of what is going on around you.

### What should you do if you find yourself in a fire situation?

- Feel the door for heat before opening
- Close the door behind you
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- Get out of the building and then call public safety (x3333)
- If you can't get out, get someone's attention
- Provide information to public safety and local fire department if you can



Smoking is not allowed in any Residence Hall . Smoking is only Allowed in the gazebos



Cooking is the leading cause of fire injuries on college campuses

Grease fires happen when collections of oil or grease on a stove, oven or fryer get hot enough to ignite. Grease fires are extremely dangerous because the fuel source (the grease) is a liquid, and easily splashed. Grease fires burn very hot and can quickly spread to cabinets or other flammable areas of the kitchen.

DO NOT USE WATER ON A GREASE FIRE!

The easiest way to smother a grease fire is to cover it with a pan lid. Be careful with glass lids; they can break from the extreme heat of open flame.

### Prohibited Items:

- Candles, incense, oil lamps
- Halogen lamps or lights
- Live/cut trees or wreathes
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Holiday lights need to be removed after the holiday and cannot be strung from the ceiling. A maximum of two strands of lights may be connected. Lights must be hung by plastic hooks only. NO TACKS.

Multi-plug adapters and power strips shall be used in accordance with their listing

The causing of a false fire alarm, unnecessary discharging of a fire extinguisher, calling in a bomb scare or any tampering with the fire safety system (i.e., sprinkler system, smoke detectors, pullboxes, fire escape ladders, fire extinguishers, etc.) may result in immediate removal of the student from University housing and possibly in the student being separated from his or her family and community.

Microwaves, toaster ovens, hot plates, fry pans, indoor grills and other cooking appliances are only allowed in private kitchens at Almeida, Bayside and North Campus Residence Extension corc



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In case of emergency contact Public Safety  
Extension 3333 or 401-254-3333