



# Fire and Life Safety

## educational programs for elementary and secondary school students

### **Kindergarten- Grade 1:**

**School visit** includes a fire safety story and games such as “What’s Hot & What’s Not” and “Tools vs. toys.” (20 minutes) “Safety is an integral part of being healthy, so young children need to start learning how to identify safe and potentially unsafe situations, how to handle them, and when to ask for help.” **YRDSB The Full-Day Early Learning –KindergartenProgram2010-11DraftVersion**

**\*Free resources available from the updated “Learn Not to Burn” program (recommended by Curriculum Services Canada) for Pre-K, Kindergarten and Gr. 1 teachers (each teacher/class will get their own copy of the activity book) in King Township.**

### **Grade 2:**

**Travelling Sparky program.** Students learn about fire safety and take home a Sparky doll. The participating families complete a home safety checklist and the students contribute to a class journal. (20 minutes).The “Travelling Sparky” program covers the following areas of the curriculum: reading, writing, art, community helpers, health and safety.

### **Grade 3:**

**Risk Watch presentation.** Various topics such as playground, water and fire safety are covered. (20-30 minutes) Personal Safety and Injury Prevention “C2.2 apply their understanding of good safety practices by developing safety guidelines for a variety of places and situations outside the classroom (e.g., guidelines for water safety; safe routes and practices for going to school; home fire safety and emergency plans; safe camping checklists; guidelines for safe Internet use; guidelines for personal hygiene and the prevention of infectious diseases; wildlife safety precautions; guidelines for managing allergies; Halloween safety practices; rules for behaviour around guide dogs, other service animals, and animals in general) [CT]” **The Ontario Curriculum Grades 1-8 Health and Physical Education**

## **Grades 2-6**

**Safety Trailer visit.** Children learn how to be safe in the kitchen, “Get low and Go”, and how to practice a home escape plan. (Time varies depending on group numbers)

## **Grade 9**

**Fire and Life Safety Presentation.** (60 minutes) Topics include safe cooking and electrical appliance safety. *Personal Safety and Injury Prevention.* Learning in this content area is intended not only to reduce adolescents’ injuries but also to equip them to recognize, assess, and manage potentially dangerous situations. Personal safety topics focus on developing skills to identify, prevent, and resolve issues in areas such as bullying, peer assault, child abuse, harassment, and violence in relationships. These skills can be applied in both face-to-face situations and online environments. Injury prevention topics focus on areas such as road safety (including pedestrian, bicycle, and vehicle safety); concussion prevention, identification, and management; seasonal safety rules; sun and UV protection; home safety; fire safety; safety when volunteering and working; and first aid. **The Ontario Curriculum, Grades 9-12: Health and Physical Education, 2015 (revised)**

## **Grade 11**

**Advanced Fire and Life Safety Presentation.** (70 minutes) Topics include preventing burns, home and electrical appliance safety. The lesson concludes with a Fire Safety bingo game.

## **Special Needs**

A customized and non-threatening presentation created to best suit the needs and abilities of the students. (Time varies depending on group numbers)

**Please contact Shelley Langer (905) 833-4088 if you would like to book a Fire and Life Safety Presentation or if you have any questions.**

