

Bonfire Night and Firework Safety



BONFIRE NIGHT AND FIREWORK SAFETY



Bonfire Night takes place in the UK on 5th November to commemorate the day in 1605 when Guy Fawkes, a member of the Gunpowder Plot group, was arrested for plotting to blow up the Houses of Parliament.



It has become a tradition to set off fireworks on this date to represent the explosives that were prevented from being used to kill King James I and Members of Parliament.



DID YOU KNOW? INTERESTING FIREWORK FACTS





A rocket can reach a speed of
150 miles per hour.

Sparklers cause more injuries than any other type of firework.



A sparkler can reach a temperature of up to 2000 degrees C – ten times hotter than an oven. Three sparklers burning together produce the same intensity of heat as a blow torch!



Last year, over 1000 children and adults needed to go to hospital after having accidents involving fireworks.



Half of all firework accidents happen to children under the age of 16.



DARKER NIGHTS ARE HERE...

**FIREWORK
MISUSE IS**

MAD!



**MISUSE AND UNDERAGE POSSESSION OF
FIREWORKS IS DANGEROUS -**
your actions could have severe consequences



FIREWORKS CAN BE VERY DANGEROUS

**TO KEEP SAFE YOU NEED TO FOLLOW SOME
RULES**

**THESE RULES ARE CALLED THE FIREWORK
CODE**

**IF YOU BREAK ANY OF THESE RULES YOU
COULD GET SERIOUSLY INJURED**

THE FIREWORK CODE



Be a Bright Spark
Teach Your Family The

FIREWORK CODE

- 1 KEEP FIREWORKS IN A CLOSED BOX – take them out one at a time and put the top back at once!
- 2 FOLLOW THE INSTRUCTIONS ON EACH FIREWORK CAREFULLY – read them by torchlight NEVER a NAKED FLAME!
- 3 LIGHT END OF FIREWORK FUSE AT ARM'S LENGTH – preferably with a safety firework lighter or fuse wick
- 4 NEVER THROW FIREWORKS!
- 5 STAND WELL BACK!
- 6 NEVER RETURN TO A FIREWORK ONCE LIT – it may go off in your face!
- 7 NEVER PUT FIREWORKS IN YOUR POCKET!
- 8 KEEP PETS INDOORS!

NEVER FOOL WITH FIREWORKS!

THE FIREWORK CODE



Stand well back
from fireworks
and bonfires.

THE FIREWORK CODE



Wear gloves when using sparklers.

Enjoy the bonfire!



Enjoy the fireworks!



Follow the firework code and have a safe and happy bonfire night!



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Guy Fawkes and the Gunpowder Plot

The images in the collage include: a man in a black cloak and hat (Guy Fawkes) in a dark setting; several wooden barrels stacked together; a scene from a play showing a man lying on the ground; and a display of colorful fireworks exploding at night.

Guy Fawkes and the Gunpowder Plot

45 Slide Simple Text Lesson / Assembly Powerpoint Presentation

Bonfire Night and Guy Fawkes Quiz

The images in the collage include: a man in a black cloak and hat (Guy Fawkes) in a dark setting; a large bonfire with flames; a Guy Fawkes mask; and a newspaper clipping with the headline 'GUNPOWDER Plot'.

Guy Fawkes and Bonfire Night Quiz

50 Question Powerpoint Quiz

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