



DON'T

- ✗ Put towels, potholders or dish rags near a stove burner.
- ✗ Wear loose-fitting clothes when you cook.
- ✗ Reach across the top of the stove when you are cooking.
- ✗ Put cookies, candy or other treats in the cabinets above the stove as young children may try to reach them and accidentally start the burners, start a fire or have their clothes catch on fire.
- ✗ Store spray cans near the stove.
- ✗ Let small children near an open oven door. They can be burned by the heat or by falling onto the door or into the oven.
- ✗ Lean against the oven to keep warm.
- ✗ Use towels as potholders. They may catch on fire.
- ✗ Overload an electrical outlet with several appliances or extension cords. The cords or plugs may overheat and cause a fire.
- ✗ Use water to put out a grease fire. **ONLY** use an appropriate fire extinguisher, baking soda, salt or a tight lid. Remember to always keep a box of baking soda near the stove.



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