

# Electrical safety quiz

Test your electrical safety knowledge by taking the quiz below.

Circle the correct answer to each question or statement.

1. Smoke alarms in your home should be tested how often to ensure they work properly?

- A. Once a month
- B. Twice a year
- C. Once a day

2. It is safe to run extension cords under carpet or rugs in your home.

- A. True
- B. False

3. What should you do if you are outdoors and hear thunder?

- A. Hide under a tree
- B. Seek shelter indoors and wait at least 30 minutes
- C. Stand still

4. It is safe to leave the kitchen with a burner on, as long as it's a short amount of time.

- A. True
- B. False

5. How far should items be kept away from space heaters?

- A. At least 1 foot
- B. At least 5 feet
- C. At least 3 feet

6. Overloaded outlets can overheat and cause a fire.

- A. True
- B. False

7. When using an electrical appliance, how far should you keep it from any water?

- A. 10 feet
- B. 5 feet
- C. 3 feet

8. It is okay to play near downed power lines, as long as you are careful.

- A. True
- B. False



Please complete the information below and mail your entry to: Attn: Electrical Safety Contest, Firelands Electric Cooperative, P.O. Box 32, New London, OH 44851.

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Parents'/Guardians' Names \_\_\_\_\_

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Email \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_