

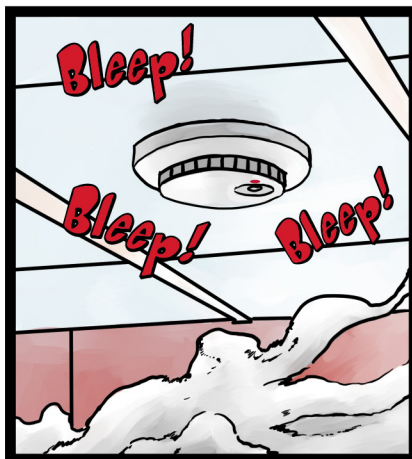


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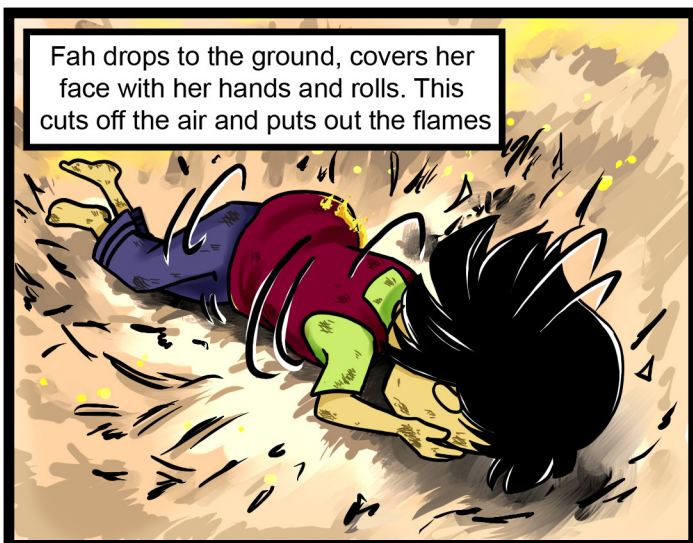
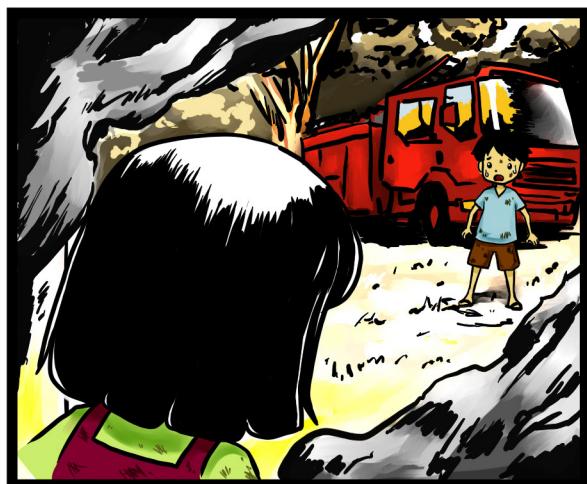
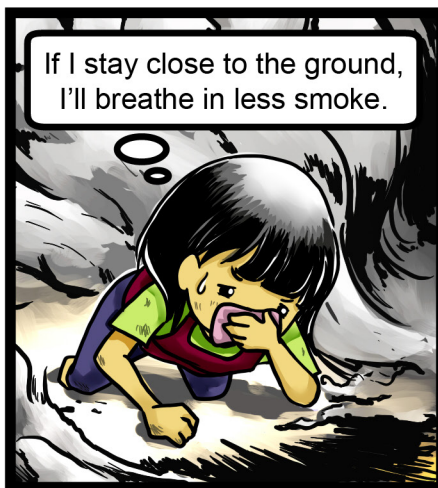
## Fire

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**Below is a list of things to remember if there is a fire. Study it well, these tips could make all the difference for you and your family!**

- Make sure everyone in your household knows where and how to evacuate to
- Always take part in fire drills
- Plan more than one way to exit your location
- Never leave fire unattended
- Make sure all fire tools are easy to access
- If you are advised to evacuate, leave immediately
- If you are not trained and equipped to fight a fire, don't risk your life
- When there is a fire, before opening a door:
  - Check to see if there is heat or smoke coming through cracks around the door. If yes, do not open!
  - Touch the door and doorknob. If it is hot, do not open!
  - If the door is cool, open carefully and follow your escape route
- Keep close to the ground- there is less smoke there
- Even if you're scared, never hide from fire fighters – they will not find you!
- Regularly check that your fire alarm is working
- If your clothes catch fire stop, drop to the ground, cover your face with your hands, and roll



To learn more about disasters, please visit:

[www.redcross.org/prepare/disaster/home-fire](http://www.redcross.org/prepare/disaster/home-fire)

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