

Fire Action Notice

‘Stay Put’ Policy

There is a ‘Stay Put’ policy in force in this block.

If you are not directly affected by a fire you should delay your evacuation and remain in your flat unless you are told otherwise.

Fire action

If fire breaks out in your flat:

- Leave the room where the fire is straight away, then close the door if safe to do so
- Tell everyone in your home and get them to leave immediately. Close the door of your flat behind you
- Do not stay behind to put the fire out
- When safe, call the fire and rescue service: 999 or 112
- Wait outside, away from the building

If you see or hear of a fire in another part of the building

- Your building is designed to contain a fire in the flat where it starts. This means it will usually be safe for you to stay in your own flat, if the fire is elsewhere.
- However, you must leave immediately if smoke or heat affects your home, or if you are told to leave by the fire and rescue service
- If you have any concerns or worries you should get out the building
- If there is a need to evacuate the building, the fire and rescue service will normally instruct and supervise this

To call the fire and rescue service

- Ring 999 or 112
- When the operator answers give your telephone number and ask for FIRE
- When the fire and rescue service reply give the address where the fire is
- Do not end the call until the fire and rescue service has repeated the address correctly, and have all the information they require.