



Important Fire Safety Information

Fire emergency procedures are posted on the back of the main door in every apartment. Please read these carefully and note the location of the fire extinguishers and emergency exits. There are at least two fire drills during the year and your participation is compulsory. Failure to evacuate the building when the fire alarm is ringing will result in disciplinary action.

General Fire Safety Never tamper with the firefighting equipment (e.g. the fire extinguisher, fire blanket, etc.) or the alarm system (smoke detectors, the red fire buttons).

Do not tamper with, or prop open, the doors within the Accommodation Blocks. These are fire doors. Special instructions for escape in the event of fire are posted on the back of each apartment door. Smoking is not permitted in any part of the Halls of residences.

Fire alarm, heat sensors and smoke detection systems are installed throughout residences. These systems are tested on a quarterly basis and access is required to all rooms fitted with detectors. Testing periods will be advised in advance on the notice boards in each house. Residents must participate in fire drills irrespective of false alarms. Treat all fire alarms as an emergency. If you hear the fire alarm, exit the building as quickly as possible without running or panicking.

In the event of a fire **DO NOT** use the lifts/elevators. Fire extinguishers are on hand on each of the corridors and in each kitchen. Each kitchen also has a fire blanket. Every apartment has fire safety instructions in the kitchen and hallway with directions to the fire assembly point.

GHR operate a zero tolerance approach to those who tamper with emergency equipment.