



BEING PREPARED FOR BUSHFIRE



I will prepare by making a Fire Plan
www.cfa.vic.gov.au/FireReady



I will have a kit ready to take with me if I need to leave.

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| Bottled water | Pension information |
| Medication | Photographs |
| Clothes | Torch |
| Battery radio | Food |



I will prepare by:

**Mowing the grass
Raking the leaves
Clearing the gutters**

An advertisement for the VicEmergency app. On the left, a smartphone displays a map with various emergency icons: a fire, a house, a car, a person, and a warning sign. A larger fire icon is overlaid on the phone. To the right is the VicEmergency logo, which consists of a stylized blue and red flame above the text 'VIC EMERGENCY'. Below the logo is the text 'Download the new VicEmergency app'. At the bottom, there are two buttons: 'Download on the App Store' and 'GET IT ON Google Play'. The background features a red and yellow flame pattern at the bottom.

**VIC
EMERGENCY**

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VicEmergency app**

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App Store

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**I will download the
VicEmergency App.**



**I can also listen to the radio or TV
to find out what is happening.**



Small fires can turn into large fires.



**A bushfire is very serious.
A bushfire can burn people,
animals and houses.**



**I will see smoke, and feel heat.
I will ring 000 for help.**



I will leave the area before the fire comes so I am safe.



I will follow my fire plan and call someone in my safety network.

Visit cfa.vic.gov.au for bushfire planning

This booklet is an initiative of the Rural Access and Emergency Management Teams of the Campaspe Shire Council, for use within the Northern Victorian Emergency Management Cluster. It is an easy to read social story to provide effective learning tools for those with disabilities to understand how to manage fire. This booklet will also assist younger children in starting the conversation about how to plan for emergency situations.

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