

2020 Bushfire Response Plan

Eudunda Community Preschool

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It is a requirement of the Department for Education that all R1 and R2 bushfire risk rated sites and sites which have identified 'Bushfire' as a potential high risk hazard/emergency (refer to Section 'Hazard Identification & Risk Assessment'), to complete the Bushfire Response Plan.

This completed template is the document that will be used by the Security and Emergency Management Unit during the 2020/2021 Bushfire Season. Please ensure that this Bushfire Response Plan is reflected within your sites Emergency Management Plan.

Bushfire Shelter

The term 'Bushfire Shelter' has been adopted by The Department for Education to reduce confusion with the terminology used by the CFS and is generally a building on-site that can provide short term shelter from a bushfire to the site population only.

The term 'Last Resort Refuge' is identified in each Council for community members as a space or building which could be used as a place of last resort for individuals to go to and remain during the passage of fire through their neighbourhood. A Last Resort Refuge is intended to provide a place of relative safety during a bushfire but does not guarantee the survival of those who assemble there and should only be used when personal Bushfire Survival Plans cannot be implemented or have failed.

Note: No Department for Education sites have been identified by the CFS as a Last Resort Refuge.

Important: It is the responsibility of the site's EMT to determine trigger points and act upon them as per the site's Bushfire Response Plan. It is also useful to include several means to enable the trigger points in case one or some of these failed to function during an emergency. Examples include the following:

A CFS Watch and Act message advising of a fire within 20km radius of the township

Receipt of a SAFECOM SMS/phone call emergency alert advising of an imminent bushfire threat



State your site's Trigger Points to prepare for movement to a Bushfire Shelter.

Monitor weather
CFS Watch & Act App & Facebook
ABC Radio - battery operated

State the alarm tone/method used to prepare for movement to the Bushfire Shelter?

Note: The alarm tone MUST be clearly distinguishable from the other emergency alarm tones as noted in the earlier section 'Emergency Assembly Areas and Alarm Tone Procedures'.

Alarm Tone/Method Used

Duration/Pattern of Alarm Tone

Whistle, no alarm

Short continuous blows

If "Other" alarm tone or duration, please provide further details

State the location of the Bushfire Shelter.

If it is an on-site Bushfire Shelter, please state the SAMIS Building Number and any specific facility used for the refuge (e.g. Building 1 - Library).

If it is an off-site Bushfire Shelter, please provide a detailed description and an address of the location (e.g. ABC Caravan Park located at 123 Beach Road SA 5XXX).

Main bulding. Building number 1



List other educational sites or services which utilise your Bushfire Shelter and their key contact details

Other Site/Service	Contact Role/Name/Mobile	Site/Service Land Line
Parents Playgroup However no attendance when Total Fire Ban period	Name: Role:	
	Name: Role:	
	Name: Role:	
	Name: Role:	
	Name: Role:	

State the location of your off-site evacuation point should your site need to evacuate the Bushfire Shelter

Use CFS Designated Safe Zone, it is within town, an open area



State the planned method of transport to relocate all persons away from the Bushfire Shelter and to the off-site evacuation point

Walk, distance unknown

Drinking Water Contingency Plan

Drinking water must be readily available at the Bushfire Shelter location and it must not be reliant on the mains (water or power) for its provision. Otherwise, sufficient drinking water supply must be stocked at the location during Total Fire Ban days. Ideally, there should be about 4 litres of water allocated to each person. However, we appreciate the limitations to the amount of water that you can store on site; hence, **we would recommend at least 1 litre of water be allocated for each person** for the purpose of your site's Bushfire Response Plan.

Rainwater tanks used for drinking purposes must incorporate disinfection via an ultraviolet light irradiation system. For further information regarding drinking water, see the Department intranet at:

<https://myintranet.learnlink.sa.edu.au/operations-and-management/facilities-and-security/energy,-water-and-waste-management/water>



State your site's drinking water supply plan and availability during a bushfire emergency situation

Rainwater tanks for flushing toilets
Also mains water
2 x 10ltr boxes
12 people in total

Water for Ablutions/Sanitary Purposes

During an emergency, water and/or power supply from mains may be affected and a site may not have ablution water available; therefore, alternatives should be considered. Sites may consider portable options (i.e. camping toilets or 'kitty litter') for use within the Bushfire Shelter during a bushfire emergency situation.

State your site's ablution options during a bushfire emergency situation

Toilets in main building with rainwater flushing
3 child toilets
1 adult
No showers.

Site Leader Signature

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