# Safety in the home God is Wise

This unit of study has been designed for use in conjunction with other Beacon Media resources:

Themes for Christian Studies: God is Wise

© Beacon Media 2010

Pages may be copied for student use only.

# Safety in the home God is wise

God is wise. This means that He always makes the right decisions. People need to be wise. People need to think carefully about the things they do. When people act wisely they do the right thing. We can ask God to help us to do the right thing.

When we don't think carefully, we can do the wrong thing. Accidents happen when people do not think carefully.

Accidents do not just happen on their own. Accidents can happen when people are careless, tired, angry, hurrying, being silly, afraid, thoughtless, impatient, showing off, boasting, being rude or daring.

#### **Describe an accident that could happen when a person is:** Careless

Being silly			
	 	···········	 
Impatient	 		 
Showing off	 		 
Angry	 		 

www.beaconmedia.com.au

#### What could happen if you:

a) run inside?

b) show off on your bike?

c) Show off jumping on your bed?

d) Rush when cooking with hot things?

e) Rush and pull out electrical plugs without switching them off?

#### Hot water hurts

- 1. Make a list of all the places in your home that have hot water.
- 2. What do you have to remember when around hot water? Remember that it doesn't take much hot water to burn you. Steam burns badly.

#### Safety in the kitchen

1. What are some of the safety points to remember in the kitchen?

a) stove

b) knives

- c) kettle
- d) electrical appliances
- e) carrying hot things
- f) beaters and food processors
- g) broken glass

#### What would you do?

1. A box of biscuits is high on a shelf. How will you get them?

- 2. How do you close doors properly? Think about fingers.
- 3. What do you need to think about with electrical appliances and water?
- 4. How can toys be dangerous?

## Safety rules

1. Think of and write 5 of the most important safety rules for your home.

2. What would be five safety rules for our classroom?



### **Reading directions**

The label on a bottle of pills says:

Cough fix Take 3 a day after meals

Do not take with meals

# Keep in a cool place

- 1. What are these pills for?
- 2. When should the pills be taken?
- 3. How many are needed per day?

4. What must you never have with these tablets?

5. Where would be the best place to keep these tablets?

The label on a dressing gown says:

100% nylon Wash in warm water Keep away from heaters and fire

- 1. What is this dressing gown made of?
- 2. How should you wash this dressing gown?

3. What must you never go near when wearing this dressing gown? \_\_\_\_\_

#### Be a wise leader

God wants us to be wise in all we do. When we act wisely we can set an example to our friends and family, especially to younger children.

When we act wisely we lead the way by showing others how to act. This is what the bible says about wise leaders:

Wise leaders will shine with all the brightness of the sky. And those who have taught many people to do what is right will shine like the stars forever. (Daniel 12:3)

1. What does it mean to lead the way in being wise?

2. Who could YOU teach about being wise?

3. What is the reward for those who act wisely?