

## **Heating** Fire Safety







Keep anything that can burn at least **1 m (3 ft)** away from heating equipment.



Keep children at least **1 m (3 ft)** away from open fires and space heaters.



**Never** use your oven to **heat your home**.



Have a **qualified professional** install stationary space heating equipment, water heaters or central heating equipment.



Have your furnace/chimney **cleaned every year** by a qualified professional.



Place space heaters on a **solid, flat surface**. Position them so they do not block **foot traffic or exits**.



Turn off portable heaters when leaving the room or going to bed.



Always use the **type of fuel specified by the manufacturer** for fuel-burning space heaters.