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## SAFETY ADVISORY

### CANDLE SAFETY

CLARINGTON: 'Tis the season to light and enjoy candles, but first take a note of these safety tips from Clarington Emergency & Fire Services.

1. Secure your candles in sturdy holders and, if possible, place glass chimneys or shades over them.
2. Keep lit candles out of reach of children and pets, and well away from any combustible materials.
3. An unattended candle is an invitation to disaster, so "blow out when you go out". Snuff out your candles before leaving the room or going to bed.
4. Avoid placing candles on Christmas trees.



Remember to keep all matches and lighters out of the sight and reach of children.

For additional information, please contact Clarington Emergency and Fire Services at 905-623-5126.

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