



What Your Child Learned Today..

That will save their life!!

**Today, your child was introduced to the “Friendly Firefighter” and sat
in a real fire truck, and:**

- Taught your child what a real firefighter looks and sounds like in full gear
- Taught your child what our gear feels like and why we wear it
- Taught your child that firefighters may look and sound scary in all that gear, but we are “Friendly Firefighters” who are there to help, so do not run and hide, but to come to us!
- What it’s like to sit in a real fire truck!!

You can help Beaufort Firefighters keep your child safe by:

- Check your smoke detectors twice a year, and that your detector is not more than 10 years old
- Make sure you have battery back up smoke detectors outside the bedroom areas, and inside each bedroom, and on all living level of your home
- Never leave cooking unattended, make sure your ABC multipurpose fire extinguisher is mounted by an exit where you can see and remember to use it.
- Never overload outlets, use power strips with breakers instead of extension cords
- Keep heaters a minimum of 3 feet from any combustible materials and out of exit paths

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