



Did you know that **44%\*** of adults living in Australia have difficulty reading and understanding written information? \* Australian Bureau of Statistics (2013)

# Bushfire Safety Guide in Easy English

Set of 12  
booklets  
written in  
Easy  
English



This package contains  
**Your Guide to Bushfire Safety** written in Easy English. It is a set of 12 booklets.

## What is Easy English?

Easy English supports people with limited literacy to understand written information.

### Easy English is:

- writing in every day words
- using simple sentence structures
- supporting messages with meaningful and clear images

### Who needs information written in Easy English?

- people with limited education
- people for whom English is not their first language
- people with an intellectual disability
- people with acquired disabilities
- people aging
- people with mental health issues

## ALL THESE BOOKS ARE PART OF THE BUSHFIRE SAFETY GUIDE:

- 1 Introduction
- 2 Understand how fire acts
- 3 Get ready.  
This book tells you how to get your house and land ready for bushfire.

### Fact Sheets

- 4 Fire Danger Ratings and Warnings.  
This tells you when to start your plan.
- 5 Safer places
- 6 Going on a holiday
- 7 Emergency kit
- 8 After the fire

### Plan for Bushfire

- 9 Information book - Leave early
- 10 Information book - Stay and defend
- 11 My Bushfire Plan - Leave early
- 12 My Bushfire Plan - Stay and defend

There is also an Easy English Community Fire Safe booklet.

**You can use these booklets to help people make their Bushfire Plan.**



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