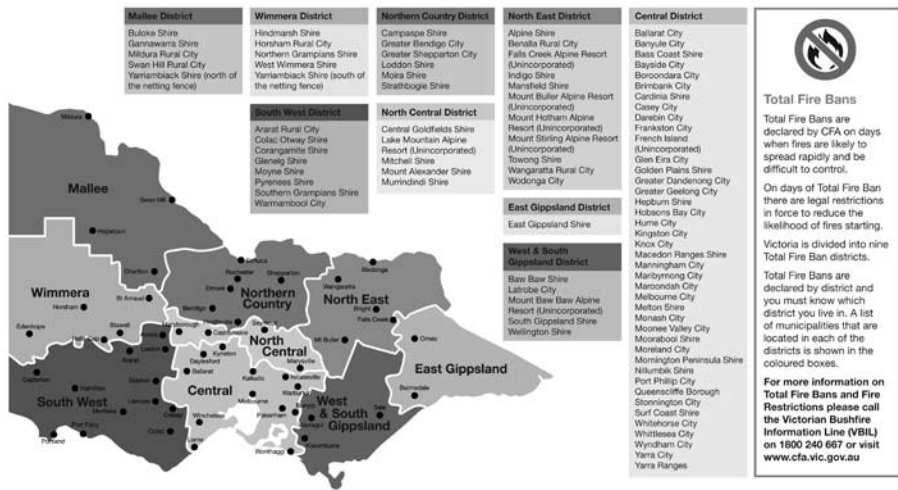



Research your local area to find out about the bushfire risk. Read the newspaper, research on the internet, interview your family or locals in the community, and see if you can find answers to the following questions.

### KNOW YOUR TOTAL FIRE BAN DISTRICT



<b>Mallee District</b> Buloke Shire Gannawarra Shire Mildura Rural City Swan Hill Rural City Yarrambank Shire (north of the netting fence)	<b>Wimmera District</b> Hindmarsh Shire Horsham Rural City Northern Grampians Shire West Wimmera Shire Yarrambank Shire (south of the netting fence)	<b>Northern Country District</b> Campaspe Shire Greater Bendigo City Greater Shipparton City Loddon Shire Moira Shire Strathbogie Shire	<b>North East District</b> Alpine Shire Banalla Rural City Falls Creek Alpine Resort (Unincorporated) Indigo Shire Mansfield Shire Mount Baker Alpine Resort (Unincorporated) Mount Hotham Alpine Resort (Unincorporated) Mount Stirling Alpine Resort (Unincorporated) Tawonga Shire Wangaratta Rural City Wodonga City	<b>Central District</b> Ballarat City Banyule City Bass Coast Shire Bayside City Boroondara City Brimbank City Cardinia Shire Casey City Dandenong City Frankston City French Island (Unincorporated) Glen Eira City Golden Plains Shire Greater Dandenong City Greater Geelong City Hepburn Shire Hobsons Bay City Hume City Kingston City Knox City Macleod Ranges Shire Manningham City Maribyrnong City Mernda City Melbourne City Melton Shire Monash City Moonee Valley City Moorabool Shire Moreland City Mornington Peninsula Shire Nillumbik Shire Port Phillip City Queenscliffe Borough Stonnington City Surf Coast Shire Whitehorse City Whittlesea City Wyndham City Yarra City Yarra Ranges
<b>South West District</b> Ararat Rural City Colac Otway Shire Corangamite Shire Glenelg Shire Moyne Shire Pyrenees Shire Southern Grampians Shire Warrambold City	<b>North Central District</b> Central Goldfields Shire Lake Mountain Alpine Resort (Unincorporated) Mitchell Shire Mount Alexander Shire Murrindindi Shire	<b>East Gippsland District</b> East Gippsland Shire	<b>West &amp; South Gippsland District</b> Baw Baw Shire Latrobe City Mount Baw Baw Alpine Resort (Unincorporated) South Gippsland Shire Wellington Shire	 <b>Total Fire Bans</b> Total Fire Bans are declared by CFA on days when fires are likely to spread rapidly and be difficult to control. On days of Total Fire Ban there are legal restrictions in force to reduce the likelihood of fires starting. Victoria is divided into nine Total Fire Ban districts. Total Fire Bans are declared by district and you must know which district you live in. A list of municipalities that are located in each of the districts is shown in the coloured boxes. For more information on Total Fire Bans and Fire Restrictions please call the Victorian Bushfire Information Line (VBIL) on 1800 240 667 or visit <a href="http://www.cfa.vic.gov.au">www.cfa.vic.gov.au</a>

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**FireReady**

Which Total Fire Ban district do you live in?

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How would you find out what the Fire Danger Rating is for your area?

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How many Total Fire Bans were there in your area last year?

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Observe your local area. What do you notice about your surroundings that could make it unsafe during the fire danger period? How could it be made safer?

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Now share your results with your friends, and see if they came up with the same answers.