

## KITCHEN SAFETY SORT

(falls, cuts, burns, choking)

Teacher Instructions: Photocopy and laminate 6-8 sets of the sentences below. Cut each set of sentences into strips and put each in an envelope. The students will sort the sentences into two piles -- a safe and unsafe pile.

After dinner Sam mopped up the sauce he had spilled earlier.

Amy used a step ladder to reach the refrigerator dish.

Tom purchased a rug that had a non-skid back.

Sam used a dull knife to pare his apple.

Anne didn't try to catch the falling knife in mid-air but just let it drop to the floor.

Andy put the steak knives in the dish water with the rest of the dishes.

Ben poked a hole in the top of a can with a utility knife.

With his fingers, Alex retrieved as many pieces of the broken glass from the dishwasher and floor as possible and wiped up the rest.

Cathy cut the can lid completely off and threw it away.

Dave lit a match first, then turned on the gas to his stove.

Ellen called the gas company and ventilated the room because she smelled gas from a leak.

Frank dropped the potato slices into the hot oil with his fingers.

Harry smacked Jim on the back as he was leaning over to cough.

Tom used a thick towel to take the cookies out of the oven.

Stacy used a wet pot holder to remove the pan of boiling water from the stove.

When Sue cooks she wears short sleeves or snug, long sleeves.

Linda tied her hair back before she made a salad.

Karen turns the pan handles out when cooking because they are easier to reach.

Earl used water to put the grease fire out.

Burt set the paper towels down next to the simmering soup on the stove.

Pete lifted the lid from the boiling water so that the steam escaped away from him.

When Dawn moved to her new house she removed the curtains that had been placed over the window in back of the stove.