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1. The five most common causes of unintentional fire in the home are:
 - a: cooking, electrical, garage fires, smoking and exposure to flame.
 - b: cooking, heating, smoking, electrical and open flames.
 - c: exposure to flame, car fires, cooking, wood stoves and electrical.
 - d: cooking, heating, car fires, smoking and garage fires.
2. True or False: Sprinkler systems are a common cause of water damage.
3. Which of the following is **not** one of the prevention rules regarding candles:
 - A: leave them unattended
 - B: they are illegal in some facilities
 - C: use tip proof holders
 - D: trim wick regularly
4. _____ are the **most common** fire protection feature in a home.
 - A: Sprinkler systems
 - B: Emergency lights
 - C: Smoke detectors
 - D: Stove hood systems
5. In order to ensure smoke detector effectiveness, you should make sure;
 - A: they are installed in the basement.
 - B: to remove the battery when cooking.
 - C: they can be heard in sleeping areas.
 - D: to install only battery powered units.
6. True or False: Cooking is the leading cause of fires in the home.
7. After being out of the top five fire causes in the home for many years, _____ have returned to that list recently:
 - a: outdoor fires
 - b: fire places
 - c: electrical fires
 - d: candles
8. _____ is one of the best prevention strategies for heating system fires:
 - a: lowering the thermostat
 - b: converting to electric heat
 - c: annual maintenance
 - d: installing a wood stove



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9. Whenever _____ or _____ it is recommended that you stay in the kitchen.
- A: broiling, baking
 - B: grilling, broiling
 - C: broiling, microwaving
 - D: frying, microwaving
10. _____ should **never** be stored inside the home.
- A: Newspapers
 - B: Firewood
 - C: Ammonia
 - D: Gasoline
11. True or False: Combustibles should be stored at least one foot away from sources of heat.
12. A _____ fire alarm alerts only the building's occupants.
- A: central station
 - B: local
 - C: simple
 - D: municipal
13. The single best life safety feature of a building is;
- A: fire doors.
 - B: emergency lighting
 - C: an evacuation plan.
 - D: a functional sprinkler system.
14. Which of the following is **not** one of the five most common causes of unintentional fire in the home?
- a: arson
 - b: open flames
 - c: heating
 - d: cooking