



Five steps to building the perfect fire

Prepare your Ingredients:

- Firelighters - your secret weapon
- Heat Logs - the main fuel for your fire
- Kindling - small rough wood pieces
- Matches or Lighter – you need a spark
- AIR – your best friend

Prepare your Stove

- Line the bottom of the grate of the stove with a 5/6 lengths of kindling (keep towards the back of the stove)
- Spread a line of firelighters (½ pack) on top, front to back and a little to the side
- Tip – keep the firelighter in big pieces
- Jenga style. Spread a layer of kindling on top of the firelighters, again 5/6 pieces
- Break a heat log into 4/5 pieces and place over kindling

Tip – leave space to reach the back firelighter & keep gaps in the layers to allow air to flow

Lighting the fire

- Light the firelighter at the back first
- You may need to add some more kindling and then light front of stove
- Add some kindling if required
- Add a small piece or two of Heat log at front of stove

Tip – adding some very small kindling at this stage really gets the fire alight

Air control

- Close door
- Open Vent

10 ins later (Fire Glowing)

- If water is still reasonably hot
- Add 1 ½ full logs – no more – you can always add more
- If water is cold then add 3 logs
- Close the vent so that only a third of the vent is open

For safety there are welders gloves available, do not touch the door nor the boiler once you have lit the fire