



WHEN I GROW UP... FIREFIGHTER

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An information book all about being a firefighter.

You can read this book in any order. Use the contents page to let your child choose which part they want to read first.



Obstacle course

Firefighters need to be strong and fit.

Can you and your child set up an obstacle course inside the house using cushions and blankets? What could you use outside? This is great for problem solving and teamwork. Take turns to give instructions such as **'crawl under the blanket'**.



<https://www.bbc.co.uk/tiny-happy-people/building-obstacle-courses/zh7nv82>



Pretend play

Make a fire engine from a box and a steering wheel from a paper plate or piece of cardboard.

Let your child sit inside and pretend to be driving. Make sounds effects - **'Ne, nah, ne nah!'**



Chat and ask questions as you play.



London's burning

**London's burning, London's burning.
Fetch the engines, fetch the engines.
Fire Fire, Fire Fire!
Pour on water, pour on water.**



Join in with the actions here: <https://wordsforlife.org.uk/activities/londons-burning-nursery-rhyme/>