

# VISITING PARKS AND FORESTS IN SUMMER

Knowing the Fire Danger Rating could save your life.  
Don't expect a ranger or emergency services to visit if there is an emergency.

It is your responsibility to stay informed about Fire Danger Ratings, Total Fire Bans and fires during your visit. Most Total Fire Bans will start at Extreme, meaning you cannot have a campfire on these days.

## FIRE DANGER RATING LEVELS:



**Plan and prepare.**  
Stay up to date and be ready to act if there is a fire.



**Be ready to act.**  
Fires can be dangerous. Be alert for fires in the area you are visiting.



**Take action now.**  
Fires spread quickly and will be extremely dangerous. Reconsider camping or travelling in bushfire risk areas. Leaving early in the day is your safest option.



**For your survival leave bushfire risk areas.**  
Parks and forests are closed on **Catastrophic** Fire Danger days. Go to a safer location early the night before.



## Stay informed, have a fire plan in forested areas

- For the latest emergency warnings and incident notifications, download the VicEmergency Mobile App and set your current location to receive warnings.
- Monitor conditions and warnings by checking the app, visiting [emergency.vic.gov.au](https://emergency.vic.gov.au), tuning into a local ABC or ACE radio station or call VicEmergency hotline 1800 226 226.
- **Make sure that you have mobile coverage. If not, find reception close by or tune into a local station on your car radio.**

The QR codes below will help plan your visit:



**What is your fire danger rating today?**  
Visit [cfa.vic.gov.au/fdr](https://cfa.vic.gov.au/fdr)



**When you travel, have a fire plan.**  
Visit [cfa.vic.gov.au/travel](https://cfa.vic.gov.au/travel)



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