

Check your flat entrance door is fire safe.



It's as easy as **1-2-3**



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Check you have a self-closing device. The door should close firmly onto the latch without sticking to the floor or the frame.



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Check fire strips (usually a plastic strip with a fuzzy brush) are around the top and sides of the door or frame. Check they're intact with no signs of damage.



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Check your door fully shuts into the frame and has no damage or holes. Open it six inches and make sure it can fully self-close.

Visit www.onward.co.uk for more information on checking your flat entrance door and types of fire strips.

Fire doors help create a barrier from fire and smoke and prevent it from travelling around a building, keep the damage to a small area and allow for evacuation and safe access for the emergency services. If your door does not pass all three checks call us on **0300 555 0600** today.

An Onward employee will check your door periodically - please allow them access and always ask to check their ID.

Communal areas.

- You must keep communal areas clear and free from all obstructions that will impact on the occupants ability to safely evacuate your building
- No items must be left in the communal area which would prevent the fire service from assessing your building
- The stairways are escape routes, and must be kept completely clear
- Fire doors must be kept closed and not propped open
- We maintain communal areas undertaking regular inspections to ensure they remain safe
- Any items found in communal areas will be considered a Fire Hazard and will be removed and disposed of