To get help in an emergency, you need to know what to do and say. The following tips will help you. Practice them with dad or mom. Remember to call from a neighbor’s home if you are reporting a fire.

- STAY CALM.
- WAIT FOR A DIAL TONE.
- DIAL "9-1-1," THE RESCUE SQUAD NUMBER OR "0" FOR THE OPERATOR.
- SPEAK SLOWLY.
- TELL THE PERSON WHO ANSWERS WHAT IS WRONG.
- GIVE YOUR NAME, ADDRESS AND PHONE NUMBER.
- DON’T HANG UP UNTIL THE OTHER PERSON HANGS UP.

TRUE OR FALSE

Testing a smoke detector’s battery is important. T F
When a smoke detector sounds, I have 10 minutes to get out of the house. T F
I will not be able to see clearly in a fire. T F
I will be safe if I hide during a fire. T F
I will not be able to breathe normally in a fire. T F