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2. **Close the door** as you go.
3. **Use the stairs**, not the elevator, to leave the building.
4. Go to your building's **meeting place**.
5. Wait for instructions. **Do not re-enter** the building until given permission.

If you can't leave or use the stairs:

1. **Stay inside** your apartment.
2. Keep your **doors and windows closed**.
3. Place a **towel or clothing at the base of the door** to keep smoke from entering.
4. Call **911** if **smoke comes in** your apartment.

If you have a fire in your apartment:

1. **Leave** your apartment.
2. **Close the door** behind you.
3. **Pull the fire alarm** pull station by the stairs.
4. Leave the building and **call 911** from a safe location.

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