**Additional Notes on Safety Resources**

**Electrical Diary**

**KS2**

Activity summary:

Discuss safe and unsafe electrical objects/use and how important it is to use electricity in a safe manner. Provide examples of both safe and unsafe practice.

Complete the electricity diary template as homework. Search around their house for electrical hazards and for safe practice. How is electricity being used, what for? Remember to explain how important it is they don’t try and fix/tamper with anything themselves, if they are concerned about anything they find they must always ask an adult.

Once complete, conduct a group discussion on what students have identified around their own homes and gardens. Discuss possible solutions and how to go about implementing them e.g. ask an adult/report – not to try and fix electrical hazards themselves, manufacturers and warranties, unplugging unnecessary objects etc.

Discuss how important regular checks are in preventing hazards, encourage ongoing use of the diary.

Learning objectives:

To identify and understand safe and unsafe use of electricity around the home – to identify this in their own home. To learn how to use electricity safely going forward to prevent hazards.

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