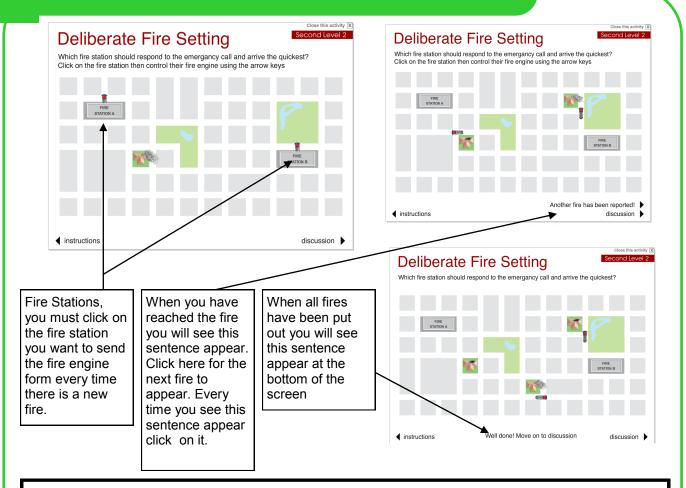
## FIRE SAFETY RESOURCE PACK—SECOND LEVEL (2)



## The Facts

There were 19,948 deliberately set fires in Scotland in 2011-12, which is 64% of all fires in Scotland

This activity is designed to allow children to consider the consequences of deliberately setting a fire. In particular they will learn about the strain of deliberate fire setting on the Fire and Rescue Services resources and about the impact that deliberate fire setting can have on the environment and their communities.

As the activity progresses more fires appear and the children must decide which fire engine to dispatch. The activity can then form the basis of a discussion, questions to consider are:

What are the consequences of deliberately setting a fire? (this list is not exhaustive)	<ul> <li>Fire will spread quickly, you might think you are setting a small fire but this can quickly get out of control.</li> <li>Fire is extremely dangerous and you may get seriously burnt</li> <li>Smoke can cause damage to the environment Animals may get trapped by the fire</li> <li>The building may be left burnt out for some time after the fire is put out.</li> </ul>
What would happen if it was reported that there was a person trapped in one of the fires?	The fire service would have to investigate and put there life at risk.
Why do you think people might deliberately set fires?	Boredom? Dared by a friend? Peer pressure? Curiosity?