

# Ch 6 - Safety First

- Watch this video as a preview to what you are going to learn in this chapter - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CqH2QYt6oOc>
- Read page 46 & 47 and underline new words or difficult words, which you do not know - ask someone to explain them to you

## Safety at Home

Home is generally considered the safest place. Yet electrical appliances in our homes such as fans, televisions, refrigerators, air conditioners, mixer, grinders, microwave ovens, electrical heaters and irons may cause risk and danger if they are not handled carefully.



### Electrical Appliances

Some objects used in the kitchen, such as mixers, grinders, knives and utensils with sharp edges, should be handled only by adults. Gas stoves, pressure cookers and heating pans should not be used by young children.

The hands should be dry while touching any electric item. You should not put your fingers in an electric socket. You should wear rubber slippers or shoes while touching electric switches or plugs. This protects you from electric shocks.



Do not touch electric plugs with bare feet or wet hands.


Computers, tablets and mobile phones should be used only under the guidance of elders. If you have to use the Internet, you should do it under the guidance of your parents.

Children should stay away from toilet cleaners and floor cleaners as these cleaners have harmful chemical **substances** in them and are, therefore, very dangerous.



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- Do the 'Knowledge Check' exercise on page 47

 **Knowledge Check**

Look at the given pictures. Put a tick (✓) against the picture in which the safety rule is being followed and a cross (×) against the picture in which it is not being followed.

A cartoon illustration of a young boy in a red shirt and dark shorts standing on a wooden step. He is reaching up towards a pot on a stove. There are other pots and a bowl on the counter. To the left of the illustration is a small white square box for marking.

A cartoon illustration of a woman in a blue shirt and yellow apron and a young girl in a purple shirt and yellow apron cooking together in a kitchen. They are both smiling and looking at a pot on the stove. To the left of the illustration is a small white square box for marking.

**substances** – solid or liquid materials that make up any object

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- After reading, go to the short google form and answer simple questions about what you read- <https://forms.gle/d3TAWpMQpJ8hAfb7>