

GAS SAFE TOP TIPS FOR WINTER

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Winter weather highlights how much we rely on gas to keep us warm, cook our meals and provide hot water. It is important that gas appliances are working properly and safely and don't break down just when we need them most.

Stay safe and do not be left out in the cold this winter. Remember these top gas safety tips and help protect yourself, your family and your home.

ALWAYS USE A GAS SAFE REGISTERED ENGINEER

Prepare for the winter by making sure your gas appliances, such as boilers, warm air heaters, cookers and fires have been maintained by a Gas Safe registered engineer.

By law, all gas engineers must be on the Gas Safe Register. It is the only official list of qualified gas engineers and is there to help keep you safe.

HOW TO FIND A GAS SAFE REGISTERED ENGINEER

Finding a Gas Safe registered engineer in your area is quick and easy.

- **Visit:** GasSafeRegister.co.uk
- **Freephone:** 0800 408 5500
- **Phone** 01256 341514

DID YOU KNOW?

- Having your gas appliances serviced every year will help keep them working safely and efficiently
- Badly fitted and poorly maintained gas appliances can produce deadly carbon monoxide
- A survey of gas engineers showed that most problems with gas appliances are caused by lack of annual maintenance

GET YOUR GAS APPLIANCES SAFETY CHECKED EVERY YEAR

Make sure you get your gas appliances regularly maintained and safety checked once a year. This includes your gas boiler, warm air heater, gas cooker and gas fire.

REMEMBER – Only use a Gas Safe registered engineer. Dangerous gas work can be deadly. Badly fitted and poorly serviced and maintained appliances can cause gas leaks, fires, explosions and carbon monoxide poisoning.



ALWAYS CHECK THE GAS SAFE ID CARD

All Gas Safe registered engineers carry a Gas Safe Register ID card. Always check the front and back of the card before letting them into your home.

GAS SAFE CHECKLIST

- Is your gas engineer on the Gas Safe Register?
- Have you checked they are qualified to work on the specific job you require?
- Have you checked the front and back of their Gas Safe Register ID card?