SAFETY SAVVY

Smell gas. Act fast. How do you know if you have a natural gas leak? Natural gas has no odor. But a chemical is added to it to give it the scent that smells like rotten eggs. Sometimes leaking gas creates a white cloud, mist, or fog. A natural gas leak can also make a hissing or whistling sound. If you smell, see, or hear the signs of a gas leak, act fast.

DOs
• Tell a trusted grown-up if you think you smell, see, or hear a gas leak.
• Get out of the house and away from the possible leak.
• After leaving the area, have a grown-up call 911 or the gas company to report the leak.

DON’Ts
• Do not turn appliances or lights on or off.
• Do not use your phone near the smell.
• Do not strike a match or do anything that could create a spark. Sparks could trigger an explosion.
• Do not ignore it.

Answer the questions. Then find the words in the word search.
1. Gas leaks smell like rotten ________________________________.
2. Gas leaks sometimes look like a ___________________________ cloud, mist, or fog.
3. If you suspect a gas leak, ________________________________ it, don’t ignore it.
4. Don’t strike a match or create any ________________________.
5. Smell gas? Don’t use your ________________________________.
6. If you smell gas, everyone should get out of the _______________________.

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