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**Embers**

**Spot fires**

**Firebreak**

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Small burning fragments of material. They are often carried by the wind and can travel a long distance from a fire's main area.

A cleared area designed to stop or slow the spread of a fire. They are often created by removing vegetation.

A technique used to reduce fuel loads and reduce the risk of uncontrolled fires. It involves planning and deliberately setting a fire.

The amount of combustible material available in an area that could cause a fire to grow and spread. Includes vegetation, dead leaves and branches.

A set of procedures to help guide people on how to safely leave the area and reach safety in case of a bushfire.

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