

For a Safe and Happy Holiday, Ask Family and Friends about Guns This Season

Dear Parent,

With kids off from school and headed to relatives' houses this holiday season, it's a perfect time to ask if there are guns in the homes of families and friends where your kids will be staying; and if so, to ensure they are safely stored out of reach.

The PTA has partnered with the Brady Center to [End Family Fire](#) - shootings resulting in injury or death, due to improperly stored guns in the home. To combat Family Fire, parents and guardians can ask about guns in the home where their children will be playing.

As parents, we ask about all kinds of safety hazards, from swimming pools to food or pet allergens that can affect our kids. So this holiday season, as your children are headed to other homes to play, don't forget to ask about guns too. You could save a life.

Learn more about safe storage and the End Family Fire program at <https://endfamilyfire.org/>.

Sincerely,

National PTA Team