



January 2023















## **Northamptonshire Fire and Rescue Service**

The table below shows our monthly performance for January 2023 compared to the previous two years.

Category	January 2021	January 2022	January 2023	
Fires	100	104	108	1
Primary fires	60	63	71	1
Secondary fires	31	35	30	1
Accidental dwelling fires	24	27	35	1
Road Traffic Collisions	30	38	37	Ţ
False alarms	281	152	173	1

- Primary fires are more serious fires that harm people or cause damage to property
- Secondary fires are smaller outdoor fires where people or property is not involved
- Accidental dwelling fires are fires where the motive for the fire was presumed to be either
  accidental or not known and occur in properties that are a place of residence i.e. places
  occupied by households such as houses and flats, excluding hotels/hostels and
  residential institutions. Dwellings also includes nonpermanent structures used solely as a
  dwelling, such as houseboats and caravans.
- Road Traffic Collisions are car accidents or car crash, which occurs when a vehicle collides with another vehicle, pedestrian, animal, road debris, or other stationary obstruction, such as a tree, pole or building
- False alarms are incidents where the Fire and Rescue Service attends a location believing there to be an incident, but on arrival, discovers that no such incident exists or existed.