

What does a firefighter feel?

Firefighters train very hard so they are able to go into a burning building and rescue people and put fires out. They can go into buildings on fire because they have;

- special clothing
- Breathing Apparatus so they do not have to breathe smoke
- Special equipment
- good communication systems
- an Officer in Charge (OIC) who knows what is going on
- a trusted team

You will not have all of this, so if there is a fire you must get out, stay out and call 999

Imagine what it is like to be a firefighter.....

What would you be feeling on your way to the fire?

How will you feel while rescuing people and putting the fire out?

What will you feel after the fire?



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On the way to a fire, a firefighter may feel....

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Firefighters have lots of things to
consider.....

Fear
Anxious
Nervous
Excitement
Responsible
Curious
Confident

Knowing where to go and more importantly, how to
get back out.

Making sure you don't run out of air

Trusting someone is going to provide you with
enough water

Making sure we get our procedures correct when
under pressure/stress

Getting to victims in time to save lives

Being confident we haven't missed
anyone/searching everywhere

Not letting your partner down or putting them in
unnecessary danger

If it starts off feeling hot.....it's only going to
get hotter!

Could we have been quicker or done things better
if lives are lost...

