

Oven Will Not Heat but the Broiler Works: What to Check First

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Step by step, in order

1. Cut the power

Turn off the oven at the breaker before you touch anything inside.

2. Confirm the pattern

Broiler heats, bake does not? That points straight at the bake element or its circuit.

3. Look at the bake element

Electric oven: check the lower element for a blister, break, or dark spot.

4. Watch a gas igniter

Gas oven: the bake igniter should glow bright orange and light the burner within a minute.

5. Check the oven sensor

A failed temperature sensor can stop the bake cycle while the broiler still runs.

6. Think control board

No visible element damage and a good sensor often means the control board or relay.

7. Know when to stop

Gas smell, scorching, or anything electrical you are unsure about means call a pro today.

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