

Safety Rules for the Unit Operations Laboratory

1. No open toed shoes are allowed in the lab during work period. Students are required to wear appropriate clothing for safety.
2. All electronic devices (including computers, cell telephones, and calculators) must be turned off during laboratory operations.
3. Contact lenses should not be worn in the labs.
4. Safety helmets are to be worn at all times when involved with operations and equipment.
5. Goggles and masks as well as other Personal Protection Equipment will be worn at designated times with specific projects as directed by laboratory manager.
6. Pick up all trash and other materials and dispose of properly. Recycle containers are available for plastics, cans and paper.
7. Mechanical pipetting devices must be used; pipetting by mouth is not allowed.
8. Food and beverages are not permitted in the lab working area.
9. All students are required to wash hands before leaving for the day.
10. *Before* entering the laboratory for orientation or operation of equipment, Teams are expected to be aware of the safe operation of the equipment and the chemistry of the process being performed.