

# Lab Safety Rule Sheet

A science laboratory can be a safe place to work if you, the student, plan ahead and are alert and cautious. The following practices will be followed.

1. Read lab procedures before starting the lab.
2. Do not start the lab without your teacher's permission.
3. Only teacher is allowed in the storeroom or preparation area.
4. Know the locations of the fire extinguisher, eye wash and shower station, and fire alarm box.
5. Wear goggles whenever chemicals, glassware or heat is used in the laboratory.
6. Do not carry hot equipment or dangerous chemicals.
7. Pull back long hair and remove jewelery while in the laboratory.
8. Handle chemical bottles with extreme care.
9. Keep hands away from the face and wash immediately after the lab activity is over.
10. Do not look directly into glassware that is being heated.
11. Notify your teacher when you suspect a dangerous lab situation (such as injury, broken glassware, or spilled chemicals.)
12. Unplug the electrical plug from its socket by pulling on the plug, not the electrical cord.
13. Clean up your work area at the end of each laboratory activity.
14. Dispose of all garbage properly.

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name \_\_\_\_\_

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Parent Work Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_