

TEXAS SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF

**SAFETY PROGRAM
ACCIDENT PREVENTION**

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**EYE- AND FACE-
PROTECTIVE DEVICES**

Each teacher and student shall wear industrial-quality eye-protective devices in appropriate situations as determined by School policy. Education Code 38.005

**PERSONAL PROTECTIVE
EQUIPMENT (PPE)**

Personal protective equipment (PPE) shall be worn according to the requirements of departments as noted in material safety data sheets (MSDS) required by manufacturers or according to the safety equipment needs prescribed by the department head. PPE shall include, but not be limited to, eye-protective devices, protective footwear, hearing protection, respiratory protection, hand protection, lumbar support belts, and any other requirements.

In accordance with Texas Department of State Health Services (TDSHS) guidelines, eye- and face-protective devices meeting TDSHS standards shall be worn by every teacher, student, and visitor participating in activities or programs identified below:

1. The use of hazardous chemicals;
2. The use of hot liquids or solids;
3. The use of molten materials;
4. Performing grinding, chipping, or other hazardous activities where there is danger of flying particles;
5. Milling, sawing, turning, shaping, cutting, or stamping of any solid materials;
6. Heat treatment, tempering, or kiln firing of any metal or other materials;
7. Cutting, welding, or brazing operations;
8. The use of hazardous radiation, including the use of infrared and ultraviolet light or lasers;
9. Repair or servicing of any vehicle; or
10. Any process or activity in a Career Technical Education course, art, industrial arts or science course or laboratory that might have a tendency to cause damage to the eyes.

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