

Section 400: Students

**Technology and Laboratory Safety**

**Code #455.12**

A comprehensive safety instruction program shall be undertaken in the Tri-County Area School District before anyone can participate in laboratory activities or operate any piece of machinery. This program shall include:

- Individual study of written material or safety rules.
- Class discussion.
- Lecture and discussion by the teacher.
- Passage of a safety test with a grade of 100%.
- Test results that prove the student passed with a grade of 100% shall be kept on file by the teacher.
- Upon graduation, student safety tests will be kept in the District for at least seven (7) years.

Students shall be required to wear safety glasses and/or other safety equipment or clothing that conforms to established standard safety codes when work is being completed in the laboratories or shop(s) and shall use other safety equipment as set forth for specific tasks.

Any student who fails to comply with safety policies shall be temporarily excluded from participation and/or subject to disciplinary action.

The teacher shall be responsible for documenting all safety instructions. Appropriate materials such as handouts, worksheets, tests and all audiovisual materials shall be referenced for all laboratory/shop type courses.

**Legal Reference:** Sections 121.02(1)(i) and 255.30, Wisconsin Statutes  
PI 8.01 (2)(i), Wisconsin Administrative Code

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