

CHEMISTRY DEPARTMENT GOGGLE POLICY

State law mandates that everyone must wear **splash-proof** goggles when working in lab.

Students, you must obtain (purchase) a suitable pair of goggles prior to your first scheduled lab and bring them with you to this and all subsequent lab meetings. You are strongly encouraged to store your goggles in your assigned locker for the duration of the semester.

The EIU bookstore sells suitable goggles. You may be able to purchase them from other vendors as well. Regardless of where you purchase your goggles, they must be **splash-proof**. Some examples of acceptable goggles:



Shop goggles, safety glasses, visors, and related eyewear are **not** splash-proof and hence, they are **not** acceptable:



If you come to lab without goggles or with unacceptable goggles, you will be **prohibited** from working in lab.

In a pinch, you may **rent** a pair of goggles from the Chemistry Stockroom for a day but only **once** per semester. A Panther Card ID is required to rent goggles. The rental fee (which will be billed to your University account) is **\$10**.

If you are without proper goggles a **second** time, you will be **prohibited** from lab until you obtain (purchase) a suitable pair of goggles.

There are **NO** exceptions to this policy.