

Lab Safety Rules

With help from Sponge Bob and the Bikini Bottom Gang



Directions:

On your desk, you will have 16 cards that explain the safety rules for our science class.

Your group will decide which safety rules were broken for each of the 5 scenarios.

Record your results in your notes.

Rule 1

Read and follow all directions exactly as they are written. If in doubt, ask your teacher for help!



Rule 2

Never mix chemicals (or perform tests) without your teacher's permission.



Rule 3

Keep your work area clean and keep all materials (clothing, hair, papers, etc.) away from a flame or heat source.



Rule 4

Never run or push someone else in the lab. This rule applies at all times



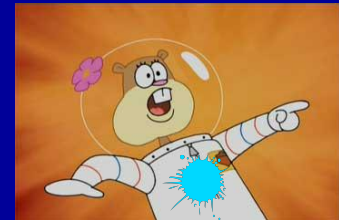
Rule 5:

Always wear safety goggles whenever you are working with chemicals or other substances that might get into your eyes.



Rule 6

Immediately notify your teacher if any chemical gets on your skin or clothing to find out what to do to clean it off.



Rule 7

Immediately notify your teacher if you get cut or have another injury when performing an experiment.



Rule 8

Never reach across a flame.



Rule 9

Never look directly into a test tube when mixing or heating chemicals.



Rule 10

Always point a test tube away from you and others when heating it over a flame or other heat source.



Rule 11

Never smell a chemical directly from the container. Wave your hand over the opening of the container and "waft" the fumes toward your nose.



Rule 12

Never taste a chemical unless you are instructed by your teacher to do so.



Rule 13

Never use broken or chipped glassware.



Rule 14

Keep lids on bottles and containers when not in use.



Rule 15

Wash your hands before and after each experiment.



Rule 16

Always clean up your work area and equipment after an experiment is completed. Equipment must be returned to its proper place.

