

CHOOSE THE CORRECT SAFETY BEHAVIOUR

1. If a laboratory fire erupts, immediately
A. notify your instructor. B. run for the fire extinguisher. C. throw water on the fire.
2. Approved eye protection devices (such as goggles) are worn in the laboratory
A. to improve your vision.
B. only if you don't have corrective glasses.
C. any time chemicals, heat or glassware are used.
3. If you wear contact lenses in the school laboratory,
A. take them out before starting the lab.
B. you do not have to wear protective goggles.
C. advise your science instructor that you wear contact lenses.
4. After completing an experiment, all chemical wastes should be
A. left at your lab station for the next class.
B. disposed of according to your instructor's directions.
C. dumped in the sink.
5. You are heating a substance in a test tube. Always point the open end of the tube
A. toward yourself.
B. toward another classmate.
C. away from all people.
6. You are heating a piece of glass and now want to pick it up. You should
A. use a rag or paper towels.
B. use tongs.
C. pick up the end that looks cooler.
7. You have been injured in the laboratory (cut, burn, etc.). First you should
A. apply first aid yourself.
B. tell the science instructor at once.
C. see a doctor after school.
8. When gathering glassware and equipment for an experiment, you should
A. read all directions carefully to know what equipment is necessary.
B. examine all glassware to check for chips or cracks and clean any glassware that appears dirty.
C. All of the above.
9. Long hair in the laboratory must be
A. tied back or kept entirely out of the way with a hair net
B. held away from the experiment with one hand.
C. cut short.
10. In a laboratory, the following should not be worn.
A. loose clothing and dangling jewelry.
B. sandals and open-toed shoes.
C. all of the above.
11. If an acid is splashed on your skin, wash at once with
A. plenty of water. B. oil. C. soap.
12. When you finish working with chemicals, biological specimens, and other lab substances, always
A. wash your hands thoroughly with soap and water.
B. wipe your hands on a towel.
C. wipe your hands on your clothes.