



HSC Safety Tips No. (3)

1. **NEVER** mouth pipette anything in the laboratories.
2. Inside the laboratories, wear your prescription glasses. Remember, **NO** contact lenses are allowed.
3. **Do NOT** store ethers or conjugated dienes (diolefins) for extended periods of time as explosive peroxides could form. Date ethers when received and opened.
4. Eliminate safety hazards by maintaining laboratory work areas in a good state of order.
5. **IF** experiments must be left unattended, place a note next to experimental apparatus indicating the chemicals involved, your name and a number where you can be reached in case of an emergency.

