Policy Title: Student Safety and Eye Protection, State Schools

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Purpose

To provide for eye protection of students, employees, and visitors at the three State Schools.

Applicability

This policy applies to all students, employees, and visitors at the Atlanta Area School for the Deaf, the Georgia Academy for the Blind, and the Georgia School for the Deaf.

Policy

School Directors shall implement precautions to prevent eye damage or loss among students, staff, and visitors, and ensure staff compliance with federal and state rules regarding the use of approved eye protection.

Procedures

1. All pupils, teachers, and visitors shall wear approved eye protection while participating in or directly observing certain industrial education, Science, physics, and chemistry laboratory activities.

2. State School staff shall use approved eye protection as required by federal and state rules when performing indicated job functions.

Authority and/or Cross-Reference

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