

Safety Glasses and Goggles Dispensers

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Eyewear dispensers are wall units that hold and issue safety glasses and goggles, encouraging students to put on eye protection before entering the workshop. They also store replacements when glasses are scratched, lost or taken.

Key Features

- Wall-mounted racks for 20-50 pairs
- Cabinets with closing doors or open racks
- Hooks and slots keep lenses safe
- Sized options for smaller faces
- Clear signage reminding students to wear them

Typical Uses in the Workshop

- Issue eye protection at the workshop entrance
- Store class sets between lessons
- Hold prescription over-glasses options
- Supply goggles for dust and chemical work

Safe Operation

1. Take glasses from the dispenser at the door
2. Return them clean to the same slot
3. Wipe lenses with the provided cloths
4. Report scratched or broken pairs to staff
5. Staff check stock daily

SAFETY NOTES

- Protective eyewear must meet the safety standard
- Never use damaged or scratched lenses
- Goggles are required for grinding and chemicals
- Remind students that spectacles alone are not protection
- Do not let glasses pile up in pockets

Maintenance & Consumables

- Clean the dispenser and wipe lenses weekly
- Replace damaged glasses straight away
- Check that sizes include junior options
- Restock from a locked store as needed
- Keep lens cloths topped up

Specification & Buying Notes

Buy dispensers sized to the largest class plus a stock of replacement standard glasses. Anti-scratch, anti-fog lenses survive class use better. Look for a wall unit with slots for each pair.