## MACHINE GUARDING- ONE STEP TO PREVENT INJURIES

## WAC 296-806 & 807 Safety Standards for Machine Guarding

• Machines and their moving parts create the potential for workplace injuries. Installed and used properly safeguards can protect workers by helping to reduce or control machine hazards.

**G-** Guards protect your health

**U-** Use them properly never remove one

A-Always protect yourself and co-workers

R- Removing them can lead to injury or death

D- Don't break the law and jeopardize your health

S- Safety begins with you

Guards come in many shapes and sizes, but provide one service, to protect users from being injured. Guards are required on all machines in schools, be it the table saw or paper cutter, all require guarding. It's the employers' responsibility to ensure all equipment have the proper guards, it is the employees' responsibility to use the machine/tool with the guards in place. Remember we want everyone to make it home safely to do all those things we love to do.



DO NOT OPERATE THIS MACHINE WITHOUT

**GUARDS IN PLACE** 



## **REMEMBER...** Always Be Safety Aware.

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