



Extremely Important Information Listed Below

Starting January 1, 2023

Each student is required to purchase and bring **all of the listed below**, Personal, Protective, Safety Equipment, (P.P.E.), when participating in all outdoor, and indoor activities where students are exposed to hazards.

Steel Toed Boots

- All outdoor on campus activities (labs and lectures) require Steel Toed Boots to be worn at all times. This also applies when working in the greenhouse spaces.
- N100 and N112 are exempt spaces within the header house for classroom lecture purpose only.

Safety Glasses

- Are to be worn during all lab activities, with the exemption of specialty situations where approved safety goggles are required. "Safety goggles" will be provided by the department when needed, based on the activity occurring and are not a replacement for the required safety glasses.

Safety Gloves

- During all outdoor on campus labs, non-latex type safety work gloves, snug fitting, no cuffs
 - o Due to the possibility of hypersensitivity, no latex gloves may be used under any circumstance.

Safety Vests

- For all outside work, a five-point tearaway safety vest or approved Hi Visibility type reflective clothing must be worn.
- This must be worn for the entirety of the learning situation.

Common Safety Protocols:

- If the listed above safety gear is not brought to the lecture or lab situation when required, the student will not be allowed to participate.
 - Students who are instructed not to participate are not permitted to watch from the side and will be instructed to leave the learning area.
- Food consumption in both our indoor and outdoor lab spaces, will only be consumed during the pre-designated space and time as designated by the course instructor.
- All food waste and garbage, is to be disposed of appropriately by the student only.
- Appropriate work clothing is to be worn for all lab activities. The specific expectations are to be communicated to the students at the beginning of the semester by the course instructor. Examples of not approved: Bathing suits, half shirts, tank tops, short shorts

Student Financial Aid – P.P.E.

The financial aid department would suggest a call to their office to book a one on one appointment with an Advisor, to discuss financial aid at KPU – 604-599-2700.

If a student is fulltime (min 9 credits) in one of our HORT programs, they may qualify for Student Aid BC which is a combination of interest free loans and grants.

At KPU there is a Bursary program as well.

Safety gear is an expected cost, similar to tuition, books, shelter, transportation etc. Students should have the resources for these organized for class start up. That being said, we all know stuff happens. They would be happy to meet with your student, if you could please share Kristy's contact information with them, or ask them to call our office to book with her to discuss financial assistance to cover the purchase of P.P.E. They are doing telephone or online appts at this time.

In addition, Kristy would be happy to visit your class and any other class for that matter to talk about the Financial resources available.

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