

Schertz-Cibolo-Universal City ISD PK – 1<sup>st</sup> Grade  
Science Safety Rules and Student Contract



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Schertz-Cibolo-Universal City ISD 2<sup>nd</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> Grade  
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Science experiences in early grades allow students to inquire, explore, observe and ask questions of the world in which they live. Science provides students' opportunities to design investigations, collect, analyze and interpret data to develop reasonable explanations. In SCUCISD, safety in the science classroom is the first priority for students and teachers. Students should demonstrate safe practices during field and laboratory investigations and make wise choices about the use and conservation of resources.

1. I will listen carefully.
2. I will ask questions.
3. I will follow directions.
4. I will wash my hands after science activities.
5. I will be safe.

1. I will follow all instructions, written and oral.
2. I will know the classroom emergency plan and location of safety equipment.
3. I will act responsibly.
4. I will wear my safety goggles at all times and protective clothing when needed.
5. I will never work alone in science.
6. I will never eat or drink in the laboratory unless instructed by my teacher.
7. I will wash my hands after science activities.
8. I will notify the teacher immediately if I have or see an accident or injury.
9. The teacher has sole responsibility for the care and maintenance of classroom animals. Students should not have direct contact with animals.

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Student Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

At various times throughout the school year, your child's teacher may be utilizing animals in the classroom for TEKS related instruction.

\_\_\_\_\_ I hereby grant permission for my child to participate in activities involving animals in the classroom.

\_\_\_\_\_ I do not grant permission for my child to participate in activities involving animals in the classroom.

I have reviewed the safety rules with my child and will encourage him/her to abide by them.

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Signature of Parent

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