

LATHE SAFETY

Dress For Success

Wear Safety Glasses
No Loose Clothing / Sleeves
Tie Back Hair
Take Off Watches/Rings/Jewelry

Know Lathe Safety Features

Panic Stop Button
Foot Brake
Spindle and Feed Controls

Keep Things Clean and Organized

Keep Tools Away from Moving Parts
Remove Clutter
Keep Tools in Secure Trays

Lathe Chuck Safety

NEVER Leave a Key in a Chuck
Make Sure Chuck is Securely Mounted
Reverse Threaded Chucks With Caution
Keep Clear of Spinning Chuck Jaws
Don't Run Lathe With Jaws/Collets Loose

Chips

Be Careful of Sharp Chips
Use Pliers to Grab Chips Instead of Hands

Filing and Sanding

Use Long Sanding Strips
Never Use a File Without a Handle



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