

# CHERRY CREEK SCHOOLS SOLAR ECLIPSE OUTDOOR LAB DAY

***Be ready.  
Be safe.  
Be inspired.***



The solar eclipse on Monday, Aug. 21, will offer the entire Cherry Creek Schools community an incredible and unique learning opportunity. Students of all ages will view this rare natural phenomenon directly during the districtwide Solar Eclipse Outdoor Lab Day, and their safety is our top priority. Here are some important safety tips to keep in mind during the eclipse.

- ▶ The district will provide “eclipse glasses” to all Cherry Creek students and staff, and these glasses meet current international standards for eye protection. Any students, teachers and staff taking part in the Solar Eclipse Outdoor Lab Day **MUST** wear these glasses when viewing the eclipse.
- ▶ Put on the glasses **BEFORE** looking up at the bright sun; **DO NOT** remove while looking at the sun.
- ▶ It’s important to inspect the glasses before each use – **DO NOT** use glasses that appear scratched, torn or damaged in any way. **MAKE SURE** that the glasses fit properly and are not liable to fall off during the viewing.
- ▶ The glasses **ARE NOT** a substitute for solar filtration on telescopes, binoculars or cameras. **DO NOT** look at the sun through any of these unfiltered devices, even with glasses. A proper solar filter is **REQUIRED** for any of these devices.

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