



# Footwear Policy

## Work Health and Safety

Footwear is an important safety item. Good soles provide a sound grip on the floor preventing accidents such as slips, trips and falls from occurring. Footwear can also protect feet from damage caused by accidents such as falling objects or chemical spillages.

In accordance with the *Safe Working Policy*, the Department has identified areas of its workplace where appropriate footwear **MUST** be worn.

Areas where **enclosed black leather lace-up or equivalent footwear** (or other material confirmed by the manufacturer to be suitable, refer to Australian/NZ Standard 2210.1:2010 *Safety, Protective and Occupational Footwear*) is required are:

- **Industrial Arts and trades workshop areas**
- **Science Laboratories**
- **Canteen or Food Technology(Kitchen) areas**
- **Agriculture Plots**

