LAUNDRY & DYEING

WHAT THIS SHEET APPLIES TO

RISKS INCLUDE
Exposure to toxic chemicals, respiratory problems, eye injuries, and burns.

GUIDELINES, RULES, & PROCEDURES
- All persons working in the laundry/dye area must have the approval of the Department of Theater & Dance Costume Shop Manager.
- Know the location of the nearest first-aid kit and fire alarm pull boxes.
- Know the location of the nearest fire extinguisher and how to use it.

WHEN DYEING FABRIC:
- Look at MSDS sheets for the product before using.
- Open window for ventilation, use box fan if necessary.
- Wear rubber gloves to protect your skin.
- Wear protective clothing (lab coat).
- Wear goggles if you use caustic dyes or corrosive chemicals.
- Wear dust mask if using large amounts of powdered dye.
- Unplug hotplate after using.

WHEN USING THE WASHING MACHINE OR THE DRYER:
- Remain on the 3rd floor while in use.
- Remove the lint from the screen when done with the dryer.

FOR FURTHER UNDERSTANDING
Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS) in the Costume Shop.
