

# SAFETY RULES

## DISC/BELT & SPINDLE SANDER

The purpose of a disc/belt or spindle sander is to SMOOTH A STRAIGHT OR CURVED CUT

- 1) Always use appropriate eye protection.
- 2) Don't use the abrasive disc/belt/spindle if it is torn or damaged. Report it to the instructor if it is damaged.
- 3) The material **MUST** be held flat against the table and hands kept clear of the abrasive disc/belt/spindle.
- 4) **ALL** adjustments to the machine are made **BEFORE** starting it.
- 5) Always check to make sure the table is adjusted for the angle that you want. Use a square to do this.
- 6) Work must be done on the side of the disc rotating downward. The **LEFT** side
- 7) On the spindle sander, sand against the direction the spindle is spinning.
- 8) Do not leave the machine until it has come to a full stop.
- 9) Don't use metal on the disc, belt sander or spindle sander. Sparks can get into the dust extraction and start a fire.
- 10) One operator on a disc/belt sander combination at a time.

