RESTRICTED MATERIALS

1) Glues, resins, paints, varnishes, stains, inks, and cleaning agents that are composed of – or use as their solvent – oils, mineral spirits, or turpentine may only be used in externally-vented areas. These locations are limited to the painting studios (AB792, AB721), spray booths (AB721A, AB694), and the printmaking studios.

2) Only alcohol- and water-based materials may be used in all other classrooms, offices, and studios that do not have external ventilation.

3) Materials of any sort that are composed of – or use as their solvent – substances other than water, alcohol, oil, mineral spirits, or turpentine are to be considered RESTRICTED substances until reviewed by Art Department Technicians and/or the University’s Environmental Health & Safety office. This will ensure that the proper hazard information will be available so that procedures for use may be established. Such materials may also require special storage measures or may be too dangerous to be used in this facility.

4) All BIOLOGICAL materials such as human, animal, and plant fluids, excrement or other remains are considered RESTRICTED until checked with the Art Department Technicians and approved by the University.

5) Technicians MUST be advised BEFORE any corrosives, driers, explosives, fuels or unapproved solvents are used in the Department. Please note that many students are under the mistaken impression that the explosive fuels known as gasoline and kerosene (or white gas) are solvents.

6) Sprayed substances – including paints, glues, varnishes, stains, and fixatives may NOT be used in any studios, shops, classrooms, or hallways. They may only be used in the spray booths in rooms AB694 and AB721A.