

GHS Video Productions

Weapons/Props Safety Protocol

Prior to students using props that resemble weapons, all students in a group must sign this weapons/props safety protocol indicating understanding and agreement of our policies.

1. Any prop resembling a weapon (knife, gun, staff, num-chucks, etc.) cannot be brought to campus.
2. Any prop being used off-campus/outside the school day must be handled in a professional manner and used only as a prop in accordance with the screenplay. A parent/guardian or other pre-approved adult must be on-location to supervise the video shoot.
3. If the filming location might be visible by the public, the adult supervisor must contact Livermore Police Dispatch at 925-371-4978 one hour prior to the shoot and notify them of the location, type of props, number of people, and length of time expected for the video shoot.
4. Props should be non-working items. If using a paintball or airsoft gun, it must be cleared of all projectiles and CO₂ canisters. "Orange" or other brightly-colored tips cannot be covered, removed, or modified in any way.
5. Students must notify neighbors or anyone else that may see or hear the actors prior to the video shoot and explain that they will be filming a scene for a school project. Our cameras are not huge and people may see or hear the actors, but not the film crew. At least one crewmember must watch out for and notify any person entering the area (hikers in a park, bicyclists on a trail, etc.)
6. Students must have the teacher's cell phone number with them at all times and must contact the teacher if there is any incident or issue before/during/after a video shoot.

We, as students in GHS Video Productions, agree to follow the Weapons/Props Safety Protocol:

Date