



Welding & Motorsports Supply List

Hello and welcome to Welding or Motorsports for the 2023-24 school year!

The purpose of this letter is to make sure families are aware of some necessary costs to meet the safety requirements for class. The items on the list below must be purchased for this class.

Item Needed	Approximate Cost
Black Welding Jacket	\$35.00
One Pair: Welding Gloves (GMAW - Gas Metal Arc Welding)	\$45.00
Work gloves (2 pairs needed)	\$8.00
15-foot tape measure (please, no easy-read)	\$20.00
Safety glasses	\$6.00
Chipping Hammer	\$9.00
Steel Wire Brush	\$4.00
Welding Pliers	\$23.00
Box: Fine-Point Sharpie Pens (12 Count) **not Ultra-Fine Point**	\$12.00
USB Flash Drive (minimum of 8GB)	\$7.00
Helmet Recommendation – Purchase Auto Darkening Welding Helmet with Cutting and Grind Function for approx. \$110 (requires separate batteries)	\$137.00
*There is a cheaper option that is less convenient for students. Please talk to the instructor if you are interested in this option.	
Approximate Total	\$306.00

Safety equipment that meets instructor approval can be purchased from Praxair, Arc-3 Gases and Air Gas. It is highly recommended to purchase safety equipment from one of these three companies. They are all in Roanoke and will offer a discount if you say you are from Burton. I understand some prices may seem high, but remember, all the items are safety items! Buying quality items for this use is always better in the long run. Also, I recommend keeping your receipts just in case your child does not stay in the class. It is highly recommended that families do not purchase these items until your child has completed the required OSHA-10 training prior to entering the shop.

We will also offer a “school discount” package that will provide all the above listed items at a significant reduction in cost to families (approx.. \$240). If you are interested in this option, please let me know.

Finally, it is also a safety requirement to purchase a class Welding/Motorsports Shirt. This shirt will cost \$40 and needs to be paid to the school by the second week of school. Late payments will result in a higher fee.

The student must also wear to class daily:

- Steel toed leather boots
- Blue/black jeans (no frayed edges)
- Cotton shirt (under class shirt)

You may contact me with any questions at 540-857-5000.

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