

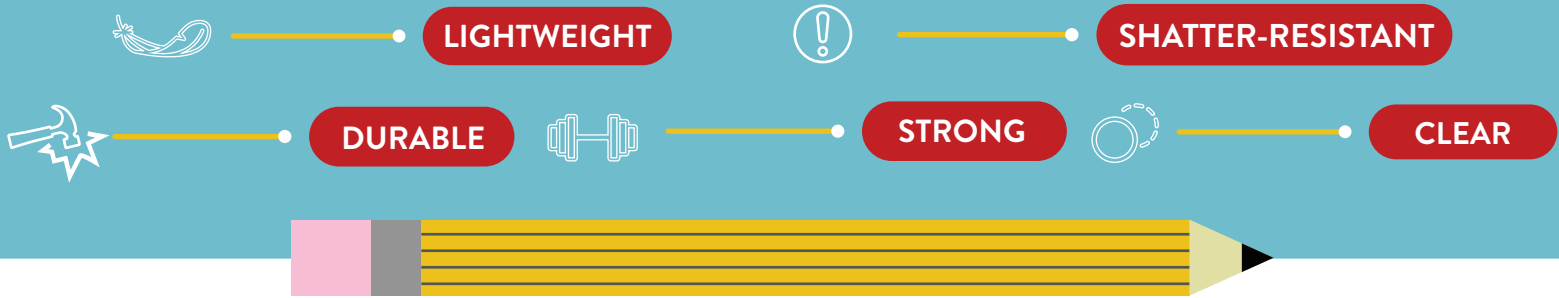
BACK TO *School* BASICS WITH BPA

Learn how bisphenol A (BPA), a common chemical, is keeping your kids safe throughout the school year.

WHAT IS BPA?

BPA is a building-block chemical used to make a certain type of plastic known as polycarbonate.

Thanks to BPA, products made with polycarbonate are

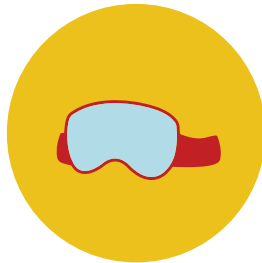


WHERE IS POLYCARBONATE USED?

Because polycarbonate made from BPA has functional properties, it plays an important role in keeping classrooms safe and productive all year long:



SPORTS EQUIPMENT, such as helmets, face masks, and visors are strong and shatter-resistant



LAB SAFETY GOGGLES enhance eye protection through their clear, shatter-resistant, and lightweight nature



LAPTOPS, tablets and cell phones are durable and break-resistant, and polycarbonate films help to prevent scratches on the screens



EYEGLASS lenses are clear, lightweight, and shatter-resistant

IS BPA SAFE? FDA's Assessment: **Yes.**

BPA is one of the most widely studied chemicals used today. The FDA recently conducted the CLARITY Core Study, confirming that BPA is safe at the very low level consumers are exposed to. Government agencies around the world agree.

AGENCIES INCLUDE:

