

LADDER SAFETY

Before use

Inspect the ladder for defects before each use.

Place the ladder on a stable surface

Do not climb the ladder if you feel tired, dizzy, or are prone to losing your balance.

Only use ladders outdoors in calm weather.

<u>During use</u>

Follow manufacturer weight and use restrictions.



Always maintain three points of contact with the ladder (i.e. two hands and a foot, two feet and a hand).

Use locking features and spreaders.

Stay in the middle of the ladder. Avoid tipping the ladder or overextending your reach.

Always climb facing the ladder.

Carry any tools in a tool belt, or have someone hand them to you once you are safely on the ladder.

Get off the ladder before moving it.