

# Jointer Safety

1. Always secure permission from the instructor before using the jointer.
2. Only use stock that is free from knots and splits on the jointer.
3. Keep your hands at least 4 inches away from the knives and cutterhead.
4. Use a push stick for planing small surfaces and jointing narrow edges.
5. Make sure the area beyond the infeed table is clear before turning on the motor.
6. Jointer knives must be kept sharp. Dull knives cause vibrations and poor cuts.
7. Feed the stock so that the knives cut with the grain.
8. Surface cupped stock with the concave side down. This allows you to have two points of the stock in contact with the table.
9. Do not attempt to operate the jointer without the guard in proper position.

1. Fence Tilting Lever
2. Fence
3. In-Feed Table
4. In-Feed Table Adjusting Wheel
5. Base
6. Switch
7. Stand
8. Fence Adjustment Lever
9. Front Guard
10. Out-Feed Table
11. Out-Feed Table Adjusting Wheel

