# How to Safely View the April 8, 2024 TOTAL SOLAR ECLIPSE

STEP 1 Go outside



STEP 2
Put on your eclipse glasses
NEVER look directly at the sun
without them!



Make sure the lenses have no visible damage and meet the ISO 12312-2 international standard.

DO NOT USE SUNGLASSES!

#### STEP 3 Look up and say wow, ooh, and aah!



#### BE SAFE

Keep your eclipse glasses on when looking at the sun!

The sun can damage your eyes forever if you don't protect them!!!

#### **Time of Events**

(all times are approximate)

Eclipse Begins ... 2:00 pm

Maximum Coverage ... 3:15 pm

Eclipse Ends ... 4:00 pm

For exact times for Sterling Heights, MI go to:



### **Videos & Activities**

Video: What Is a Solar Eclipse?



#### **Student Project:**

How to Make a Pinhole Camera

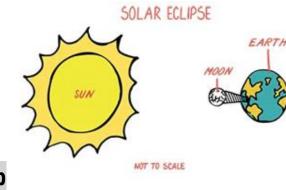


## How does this happen??

A solar eclipse occurs when the Moon Passes between the Sun and the Earth casting a shadow on part of the Earth. We will be VERY close to this shadow!

To keep your eyes safe, be sure to keep

your safety glasses on at ALL times while looking at the sun!!





## Other things you may notice during the eclipse...

- Sky gets dark
- Shadows look different
- Bright stars and planets can be seen during the day!
- Outdoor animals and pets act different