

Brush Cutter Safety

1. Wear personal protective equipment:
 - Ear protection
 - Heavy duty non-slip gloves
 - Proper clothing – nothing loose fitting
 - Sturdy boots with non-slip sole – steel toe boots recommended
 - Approved hard hat
2. Always turn off the engine and make sure the cutting attachment has stopped before putting it down.
3. Adjust carrying harness and hand grip to suit your size before starting. Should be properly balanced.
4. Before cutting, inspect the area for stones, glass, pieces of metal, trash or other solid objects
5. Make sure guard is there and in good condition
6. When using rigid blades, avoid cutting close to fences, sides of buildings, tree trunks, stones or other such objects that could cause the brush cutter to kick out or cause damage to the blade
7. Do not cut any material other than grass, brush and wood