Polycarbonate Lenses

The strongest lens material on the market, polycarbonate is lightweight, impact-resistant, and crystal clear. With built-in 100 percent UV protection, they’re the best choice for kids and active people, for whom risk of impact is greatest.

Transition® Lenses

These special lenses have built-in dyes that darken when exposed to UV rays. They’re not a substitute for sunglasses, but they’re the perfect choice for someone who spends time in changing light conditions.

Scratch-Resistant Coating

Plastic and polycarbonate lenses are soft, and that softness allows for flexibility, which is what makes them strong. Lenses treated with a scratch-resistant coating will give them the hardness of glass without making them fragile.

Standard Tint

When it comes to lenses, the choices aren’t all clear. Consider tints. People who work with computers all day may want to see the world through rose-colored glasses; the color helps reduce fatigue.

Progressive Lenses

For those who have multifocal needs, progressive lenses are an excellent option. The upper portion of the lens is for distance, the middle for intermediate, and the lower portion for near vision—all in one seamless lens.

Ultraviolet Screening

Our eyes are just as susceptible as our skin to sun damage, but we’re less apt to protect them. That’s why every lens should have a built-in (like polycarbonate or high-index plastic) or an applied UV screening that blocks 100 percent of the sun’s ultraviolet rays, which are present even when it’s cloudy.

Explanation of Standard vs. Premium Progressive Lens:

Standard Progressive Lenses: (Level 1)
Brands: Shoreview, Shoreview Mini, Navigator, Navigator Short & Super Noline

Premium Progressive Lenses: (Level 2)
Brands: Younger Image, Shamir Silver, Essilor, Smallfit, Ideal. EyeFocal Select L2 Digital HD (offered only through the independent provider network).