

2010 Missouri School Bus Safety Poster Contest

WHO MAY ENTER: Entries may be submitted by any student enrolled in a public, parochial, or private elementary school. Four winning posters will be chosen from the following categories: (Division # 1-Grades K-2), (Division # 2-Grades 3-5), (Division # 3-Grades 6-8), (Division #4-Special Education), (CAD – Computer Aided Drawing).

EACH DIVISION WINNING POSTER WILL BE FORWARDED TO THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR PUPIL TRANSPORTATION. THE NAPT WILL SELECT THE NATIONAL WINNING POSTER TO BE USED DURING NATIONAL SCHOOL BUS SAFETY WEEK.

DEADLINE DATE: Completed poster designs must be received by June 12, 2010. All entries become the property of the Missouri Association for Pupil Transportation. Please mail in flat envelope or wrapping.

POSTER SPECIFICATIONS: Completed poster size must be 11"x17" or 12"x18" ONLY. Posters may be illustrated on the vertical or horizontal axis. MAPT entry blank or a reasonable facsimile, with information typed or printed clearly, including the teacher's name, should be attached to the back of the poster. Age and grade level should be listed on the entry blank. Designs should be submitted on quality tag poster, illustration, or heavy paper. Construction paper may be used but winning entries must be mounted on quality tag poster. Lamination, cut paper/stencils (freehand or pre-drawn stick-on stencils) are not permitted, and will disqualify the poster. There is no limitation on the use and number of colors. There is no limitation on the type of media—such as print, crayon, felt pen, etc.—used on the poster design, however, wood, plastic, glass, or metal should not be part of the poster. Collage materials and glued-on pieces may not be used. Poster designs may not incorporate any copyrighted characters (i.e. comic and/or television characters), photographs, magazine or newspaper illustrations.

POSTER THEMES MUST BE ORIGINAL AND CORRECT IN SAFETY CONCEPT: Poster themes must be original, correct in safety concept and the exclusive work of the student entering the contest in idea, design and execution. Instructors should supervise all work created. Completion of art should be done in school during the months of March, April and May. Poster and slogan must harmonize with the theme:

"Be Aware—Know the Danger Zone!"

Contestants must illustrate above theme only, and the theme must be exactly as shown above.

Illustrations should be positive in approach, demonstrating only school bus safety behaviors. At least a part of a yellow school bus must be present in the poster.

LETTERING:

Freehand drawn letters only may be used on the poster design. Stenciled, pre-printed, manufactured stick-on or press-on letters or tracings may not be used. Lettering should be clearly legible, even if used as part of the poster design.

PRIZES: A \$50.00 GIFT CARD PRIZE will be awarded for first place winners in each division.

----- ENTRY BLANK MUST BE ATTACHED TO THE BACK OF THE POSTER -----

2010 MISSOURI SCHOOL BUS SAFETY WEEK—MAPT POSTER PROGRAM ENTRY BLANK

STUDENT NAME _____ GRADE _____ AGE _____

SCHOOL _____

SCHOOL ADDRESS _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

TEACHER'S NAME _____

PLEASE MAIL ALL ENTRIES TO: SOUTH CALLAWAY R-II SCHOOL DISTRICT

Attn: DONNIE DEBRODIE

10135 State Road "C"

Mokane, MO 65059

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