



SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION ASSOCIATION OF INDIANA



MISSION STATEMENT:

The School Transportation Association of Indiana is dedicated to providing members education and training opportunities to enhance safe school bus transportation for Indiana children.

2018 S.T.A.I. – Poster Contest Theme

My School Bus, The Safest Form of Student Transportation!

WHO MAY ENTER

Any student enrolled in an Indiana public, parochial or private elementary school grades K through 8 may submit an entry.

DEADLINE DATE

Posters can be created no earlier than September 1, 2017. Completed posters must be submitted to their local School Transportation Director by April 1, 2018. The posters will then be judged at conference for the State competition. Posters to be considered for the State competition must be submitted to the STAI Poster Chairman, Della Swain, at the May Board Meeting, or no later than May 30, 2018. Posters will be displayed and judged at the STAI conference. The winner in each category will receive \$50.00. One poster from each category may be submitted from the STAI to the NAPT conference for judging. All posters become property of STAI /NAPT.

CATEGORIES

The categories are:

Division 1 Grades K – 2

Division 2 Grades 3 – 5

Division 3 Grades 6 – 8

Division 4 Special Education

Division 5 CAD (Computer Aided Drawing)

POSTER SPECIFICATIONS

The completed poster size must be 11x17 or 12x18. There must be a 3x5 card/entry blank securely fastened to the back of the poster that included the student's name, grade, age, teacher's name, school name and school address all printed clearly. Posters may be either vertical or horizontal on the poster. DO NOT ROLL POSTER. All posters must be delivered flat.

Designs should be submitted on quality tag, poster illustration board or heavy paper.

Construction paper may be used, but winning entries must be mounted on quality tag poster.

Lamination is not permitted, and will disqualify the poster. Cut paper/stencils (freehand or pre-drawn 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 should not be used. Glued on pieces will eliminate the poster.

Poster designs may not incorporate any copyrighted characters (ie: comic and/or television characters), photographs, magazine or newspaper illustrations.

2018 POSTER THEME:

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

Drawings must be original, correct in safety concept and the exclusive work of the student entering The contest in idea, design and execution. All artwork should be positive in approach, demonstrating only proper school bus safety behaviors. At least a part of a yellow school bus must be present in the poster. Instructors should supervise all work created. Completion of art should be done from September 1, 2017 through April 1, 2018 to coordinate with the Indiana poster contest.

LETTERING & DRAWING

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 and will disqualify the poster. Lettering should be clearly legible, even if used as part of the poster design.

**S. T. A. I. / NATIONAL SCHOOL BUS SAFETY POSTER CONTEST
2018 ENTRY BLANK**

STUDENT NAME: _____

GRADE: _____ AGE: _____

SCHOOL: _____

SCHOOL ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

TEACHER'S NAME: _____

STUDENT'S HOME ADDRESS _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____