

ROAD SAFETY Art Contest



U.S. Department
of Transportation
Federal Motor
Carrier Safety
Administration

ENTER THE CONTEST!

Submit by June 7, 2024

The Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA) announces the 2024 Road Safety Art Contest. This annual competition encourages students to use their creativity and talent to raise awareness of how to stay safe on our roads around large trucks and buses. The contest is open to four groups spanning grades K-12.

Category 1: Grades K-2 **Category 2:** Grades 3-5 **Category 3:** Grades 6-8 **Category 4:** Grades 9-12



- **Hand-Drawn Art:** Crayon, colored pencil, marker, paint, etc.
- **Craft:** Items such as a collage, diorama, etc.
- **Digital Art:** Graphic design, digital drawing, etc.
- **Photo:** Captured with phone or digital camera.
- **Video:** Spoken message, song, dance, skit, etc. (No more than 30 seconds long.)

GET INSPIRED!

View samples and find tips to help your submission at <https://www.fmcsa.dot.gov/our-roads/road-safety-art-contest-ideas>.

WINNER RECOGNITION

FMCSA will announce twelve total winners in Fall 2024. FMCSA judges will determine one Grand Prize winner and one Honorable Mention winner per age category. Additionally, Facebook users will vote through the [Our Roads, Our Safety Facebook page](#) to determine one People's Choice winner for each category.

Winners will receive:

- Inclusion in a Winner Announcement Video
- Recognition on FMCSA's Kid Zone and Teen Zone webpages
- A framed copy of the winning work
- An award certificate
- Inclusion in the 2025 Road Safety Art Contest Calendar

2024 ROAD SAFETY ART CONTEST ENTRY FORM

For video group submissions, a signed entry form is required for each student in the group.

Student Name:

Student Age:

Student Grade:

Teacher's Name, if applicable:

School Name:

How did you learn about the contest?

Does this submission include copyrighted material? (Yes / No)

Note: Submissions containing copyrighted logos, music, or video clips will be disqualified.

Parent/Guardian Name:

Parent/Guardian Signature:

Mailing Address:

City:

State:

Zip:

Parent/Guardian Email:

Parent/Guardian Phone:

Email submissions to fmcsa.outreach@dot.gov. Subject line must read: **"2024 Road Safety Art Contest Submission: [Student's First and Last Name]."**

REGULATIONS

By entering the art contest, each participant and his or her parent, guardian and/or legal representative warrant that the submission is the participant's original work. They consent to the use of the entrant's first and last name, artwork, grade, city and state on the 2025 Road Safety Calendar and other related promotional items without further permission, compensation or approval. Original artwork submitted becomes the property of the art contest sponsors. Participants assign all copyright, trademarks and other intellectual property rights related to their entries to the art contest sponsors and previously mentioned agencies including, but not limited to, the U.S. Department of Transportation. In consideration for the participation in this art contest, participants and their parents, guardians, and/or legal representatives release, discharge, indemnify and agree to hold harmless the U.S. Department of Transportation and Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration, their employees, officers, directors, agents, and partners from all claims, damages, demands, obligations, or losses of any kind related to this art contest. All communications regarding the art contest, including announcement of winners, will be sent to the artists' parent, guardian and/or legal representative.

PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT

This statement is provided pursuant to the Privacy Act of 1974, 5 USC § 552a.

AUTHORITY: 5 U.S.C. 301; 49 U.S.C. 322

PURPOSE: The information collected is used to credit the winners of the annual Road Safety Art Contest and their teachers, and to contact the winners through their parents.

ROUTINE USES: The full mailing address portion of the records is only used to assist the Agency with providing congratulatory items to the winners. The winning entry state of residency, grade and name is highlighted in outreach and marketing communications, but no other information is shared externally.

In addition to those disclosures permitted under 5 USC 552a(b) of the Privacy Act of 1974, additional disclosures may be made in accordance with the U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) Prefatory Statement of General Routine Uses published in the Federal Register on December 29, 2010 (75 FR 82132), under "Prefatory Statement of General Routine Uses" (available at <http://www.dot.gov/privacy/privacyactnotices>).

DISCLOSURE: Providing the requested information is voluntary; however, failure to provide the information may impede crediting the winning artist or providing the winners with certificates or other congratulatory items.