

CERTIFICATE OF PARTICIPATION

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| Name of Principal |
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Entries must be postmarked by October 31st.

Please securely attach this form (or a photocopy) to the back of each piece of artwork being submitted.
Forward artwork to the following address:

New York State Department of Transportation
Attn: Eric Ophardt
Bicycle and Pedestrian Program
50 Wolf Road
POD 5-4
Albany, NY. 12232



www.nyswalks.org

For more information contact:

New York State Governor's Traffic Safety Committee, Pedestrian Program at (518) 474-5111
or visit www.safeny.com

New York State Department of Transportation, Bicycle and Pedestrian Program at (518) 457-7664
or visit www.dot.state.ny.us

Be Active New York State at (716) 851-4052
or visit www.BeActiveNYS.org

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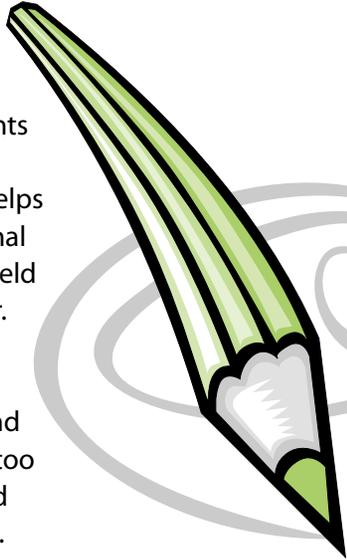
Annual Poster Art Contest

CALLING ALL ARTISTS !

Calling all artists! We need you to participate in the annual Walk to School Safely poster contest. The New York State Partnership for Walk Our Children to School (WOCS) invites all elementary school (Gr.1-5) students to join in the fun! This poster contest helps to support the National Walk to School Day, held every year in October. The poster contest theme, "I'm a Safe Walker," should remind EVERYONE that they too can become safer and healthier pedestrians.

You too can join communities and children in New York State and around the world:

- ▶ Develop life long safe, walking habits;
- ▶ Promote the health benefits of walking;
- ▶ Realize how much fun walking can be;
- ▶ Create safe and more walkable communities; and
- ▶ Spend healthy, active time with friends, family and community!



Rules:

Each elementary school (Gr. 1-5) may submit up to five (5) pieces of poster artwork for judging. Artwork must be hand made by students using crayon, color pencils, indelible markers, felt-tip pens, soft ballpoint pens or similar indelible mediums. (Pencils, watercolor charcoal, computer generated artwork, photographs, collage work involving photocopies, or any other non-permanent medium will be disqualified.) Entries must be post marked by October 31st.

All entries must be submitted on flat paper, no larger than 11 x 17.

Do not fold, crease or roll the artwork!

Do not frame, mount, or outline the border of the artwork!

All schools participating in the poster art contest must register on line at www.nyswalks.org

Certification:

The attached "Certificate of Participation" must be affixed to the back of all entries submitted for judging. Please complete the "Certificate of Participation" clearly and completely. Entries omitting this certificate will be disqualified.

Reproduction Rights:

All received entries will become the property of the Partnership for Walk Our Kids to School. The Partnership reserves the right to use artwork for statewide promotional materials.

Awards:

The New York Partnership will judge entries for Walk Our Children to School (WOCS). Winning artwork will be posted on the www.nyswalks.org website. Finalists will receive a prize package, which includes a "Certificate of Achievement".



Go to: www.nyswalks.org or www.walktoschool.org to find out about this year's October event and register for this year's upcoming events !