

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK OCTOBER 4-10



2020 POSTER CONTEST

Fire Prevention Week takes place October 4- 10 this year. In an effort to educate students about fire safety, the Mount Prospect Fire Department annually sponsors a poster contest. The theme this year is:

"Serve Up Fire Safety in the Kitchen"

Mount Prospect students are encouraged to design a poster using this year's theme. Students may enter the contest through their school. For more information on the theme, please visit the NFPA website, <https://www.nfpa.org/Public-Education/Staying-safe/Preparedness/Fire-Prevention-Week>

Entries are judged on originality, creativity and use of theme.

All entries will receive a participation ribbon; however, a first, second and third place winner will be chosen from each grade level. All of the first place winners will then proceed to the Village-wide contest, with the final winners receiving an award from the Mayor.

CONTEST RULES:

Kindergarten through 5th grade students are invited to design a poster.

All submittals must contain the following information (on the back of their submittal):

1. Student's Full Name
2. Student's Home Phone Number
3. Name of School
4. Grade Level
5. Teacher's Name

- All posters must be completed on poster board (maximum size of 16" x 20").
- Individual entries can be dropped off at the student's school prior to the deadline.
- **The deadline for entries is October 26, 2020.**
- All entries will be returned to the students' schools after the contest ends.

This activity is not sponsored by Community Consolidated School District 59, any of its schools, or groups officially associated with the District.



The guidelines for the poster contest are as follows:

1. The poster must represent the theme for this year, which is ***“Serve Up Fire Safety in the Kitchen.”***
2. Work can be done on poster board normally used by the school. (No bigger than 16” x 20”)
3. In order for the poster to be eligible to participate the student must legibly identify themselves with their *name, school, grade* and *teacher* and *home phone number* on the back of the poster so that posters can be returned. The phone number will enable the fire department to contact the winner.
4. Originality of theme, ideas and concepts are used as basics for judging.
5. **All posters are due directly to the school’s main administration office the morning of October 26, 2020. A Mount Prospect Fire Department representative will pick up posters from the administration office.**

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