CONTEST RULES

Visit youngemployeesafety.org/contest/ for details about the contest and theme.

By entering this contest, entrants agree to abide by the following rules:

**Production rules**

- Create a video with the theme “Speak up. Work Safe.” This theme needs to be the focus of your video. See the “What we want” page at youngemployeesafety.org/contest/ for examples of speaking up and ideas on how you can integrate the “Speak up. Work safe.” theme into your video.

- At some point in your video, you must include the tagline, “Speak up. Work safe.” either in text/graphics or verbally.

- At some point in your video, you must also include the title of your production. You may optionally include the names of your video participants and the name of your high school or club. You must ensure personal health and safety for your cast, crew, and others working on the video. **Do not endanger anyone in the making of your video.**

- You may include teachers, friends, or family members in your video, but only high school students who live in Oregon are eligible for a contest award.

- All footage, including music, must either be your own creation, or you must obtain proper, legal permission to use someone else’s copyrighted material and include it with your submission.

- If your video identifies a specific business, you must obtain and submit their written permission with your entry form.

- The video, including any title or credits, must be 90 seconds or less.

- Entrants grant O[yes] the right to use their names, photographs, and video submissions for advertising, publicity, and promotion purposes, and to spread the word on young worker safety.

**Submission rules**

- Entrants can submit entries on our website through an online submission form, or by mail on a USB thumb drive or disk. See the applicable set of rules pertaining to your method of submission below.

- **Acceptable Video formats:** mp4, avi, wmv, mov, flv, .mpg

- **Acceptable Consent Form formats:** pdf, jpg, png, tiff

- All participants, including producers, actors, musicians, and anyone else whose image or vocal is on your submission, must be listed on the entry form.

- Everyone under 18 years of age who appears on screen or vocally must have a parent or guardian signature. On the entry form, complete the information about your high school name and teacher. If you are submitting your video on behalf of a sanctioned club or organization, also include the name of that club and teacher/advisor. Completing this information is crucial so that we can give the matching award to your school or club if you win.

- Note: Clubs and organizations are only eligible to receive the award if they are recognized through your school as an officially sanctioned club or organization. In this instance, an officially sanctioned high school club or organization are those recognized by your school with the ability to receive direct funding. If you mark that you are representing a club or organization, the award funds will be given to these organizations if they are eligible. If they are not eligible to receive these funds, the money will
instead be directed to the qualifying high school. We will not be able to provide a matching award if you are not enrolled in school or are homeschooled.

- Entries will not be accepted if they are late, or do not follow all other contest and submission rules and requirements.
- O[yes] is not responsible for entries that are delayed, lost, misdirected, incomplete, damaged, or destroyed.
- All entries become the property of O[yes].
- All entries must be submitted by **5:00 pm on Friday, February 7, 2020**

**Electronic submission**

You can now submit entries on our website, through an online submission form. In three simple steps, your video can be in front of the contest judging panel for their review.

1. Go to: [https://youngeemployeesafety.org/submit/](https://youngeemployeesafety.org/submit/)
2. Fill out the on-line submission form.
3. Attach all required consent forms and your video. You must have all required documents prior to submission.

**Hardcopy submission (USB thumb drive or disk)**

If submitting your video on a USB thumb drive or disk, fill out the entry form electronically, print the form, sign it, and include the completed entry form along with the parental/guardian consent form with your USB thumb drive or disk.

All entries must be postmarked or hand delivered no later than **5:00 p.m. on Friday, February 7, 2020**.

**Mail entries to**
SAIF Corp, Attn: Heather Studnick
400 High St SE
Salem, OR  97312

**You can also hand deliver entries to**
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Submit a copy of the original; make sure you keep the original version of your submission.

**No entries will be returned.**

**Judging criteria**

Eligible* videos will be scored by a panel of judges selected by O[yes] members. Scoring will be based on the following criteria:

**Content (60 percent)**
The safety and health message is original, clearly communicated, uses the “Speak up. Work safe.” theme effectively, and appeals to the two following audiences:

1. **Teen workers:** The video is creative, relevant, and has a cohesive, memorable storyline.
2. **Safety educators:** The message is accurate and will allow the educator to engage and inspire teen workers to be safer on the job.

**Video production (40 percent)**
The acting, editing, and audio-visual elements are of high quality.
Eligible videos must follow all production and submission rules.

*The decisions by the judges on all matters relating to the contest are final and not open to dispute. If O[yes] does not receive enough entries of sufficient quantity or quality, O[yes] reserves the right not to award any prizes.*

**Notification of winners**

All winners will be notified no later than April 28, 2019.

A complete list of winners, along with video clips of winning submissions, will be posted on the O[yes] website at [www.youngemployeesafety.org](http://www.youngemployeesafety.org). Information about the contest winners will also be distributed to public media.

**Prizes**

One first prize: $500
One second prize: $400
One third prize: $300

A check for $500, $400, or $300 will be provided to the primary contact for the winning teams. The winner’s school or sanctioned club or organization will receive a matching award. All finalists will be invited to a special theater event where we will show all finalist videos and reveal the top three winners.

**For technical information about video production, contact:**

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