

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

“SUBSTANCE ABUSE AWARENESS POSTER COMPETITION”



Entry Form *To be completed by entrant*

I wish to enter the KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS **CALIFORNIA STATE POSTER COMPETITION** in the **DIVISION** checked below.
I realize that my entry becomes the property of the Knights of Columbus. Birth date must be as of JAN 1.

Age 8-11 Division

Age 12-14 Division

Alcohol Awareness & Abuse

Drug Awareness & Abuse

Name of Entrant _____

Date of Birth _____

Street Address _____

City _____

State _____

Zip Code _____

e-mail address _____

Home or Cell Phone # _____

Signature of Entrant _____

THIS SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY PARENT/GUARDIAN

The undersigned hereby request and approve the entrant's registration and participation in the **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CALIFORNIA STATE POSTER COMPETITION**. In consideration of such registration and participation, the undersigned hereby agree to hold the Knights of Columbus State Council and any of its subordinate units and their officers, members, agents and employees, blameless and without liability and hereby agree to release, indemnify and hold harmless all of the above mentioned from any and all claims and expenses from or relating to entrant's said participation.

Parent or Guardian

Date

SCORE SHEET

This section to be completed by Knights of Columbus officials

Scoring Instructions: Essay will be judged on a 100 point system

Content (35 points) - How thoroughly is the topic examined ?

Grammar (30 points) - How well is the essay written with respect to sentence and paragraph construction ?

Style (35 points) - Does the essay show creativity, imagination and development of the topic in a logical & compelling style ?

Level of Competition	SLOGAN (30 Points)	VISUALS (30 points)	OVERALL IMPACT (40 Points)	Total Score (100 Points)
COUNCIL				
CHAPTER				
STATE				

COUNCIL # _____ Dist # _____ CHAPTER _____ GRAND KNIGHT _____

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RULES

- Posters must reflect either the theme of **Alcohol Awareness & Abuse** or **Drug Awareness & Abuse**. Do not mix the two concepts on the same poster.
- Each Poster should be the original work of a single person which includes Concept, layout, slogan and visual images.
- Posters must be **11 X 17** inches in size. Larger or smaller will be ineligible. If pastel, chalk or charcoal are used the poster must be laminated or covered with clear plastic. Posters may be in color or black & white.
- Each poster must be submitted with a Knights of Columbus Substance Abuse Awareness Poster competition **Entry Form**. Name, Age and school of person entering the poster competition should be on the back of the poster.
- All entries become property of the Knights of Columbus California State Council. Posters will not be returned.

JUDGING

Judging should be done by Knights, young people, teachers(Art), students, Substance Abuse Counselors & Law enforcement Officers (Dare). In keeping with the theme of giving young people the opportunity to develop their own solutions to the challenges they face, it's particularly important to involve young people of all phases of the judging process.

A 100 Point scoring system will be used to determine the winners

- **30 Points:** Slogan - How clearly is the theme presented ?
- **30 Points:** Visuals – How well do the visuals convey the message ?
- **40 Points:** Overall Impact – How effective was the poster in capturing your attention and causing you to reflect on the topic ?

Council Award: to be determined by Council per Division winner

Chapter Awards: to be determined by Chapter per Division winner

**STATE AWARDS: 1st Place - \$100 Gift cards for each Division winner by Category
Plus Laminated Poster**

Target dates:

Student Posters for Council to Council Poster Chairman by January 26

Council winners to Chapter Chairman by February 25 or sooner

Chapter winners by grade to State Chairman by March 10 or sooner

State winners announced at State Convention in May

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“YOUTH ARE OUR FUTURE”