



Stand With Me
Be Drug Free.

Youth Poster Contest

Create an original poster with an anti-drug message for a chance to win!

★ **2 Grand Prize categories**

★ **Honorable Mention prizes**



Deadline

March 25, 2022

See page 2 for contest guidelines or online at matforce.org



Open to all
Yavapai County
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2022 Poster Contest Guidelines



The 2022 MATFORCE Poster Contest is open to all Yavapai County children ages five (5) to eighteen (18) years old.

- The poster shall be an **ORIGINAL** creation of the submitter. *No licensed images please.*
- The main focus of the poster must be an anti-drug message.
- For more information about substance abuse visit matforce.org.

DEADLINE and SUBMISSION:

All poster submissions must be received by the Yavapai County Sheriff's Office or MATFORCE no later than Friday, March 25th at 3:00 PM. Posters received after this date will not be eligible for the contest. Questions should be directed to Laura Bauer at (928) 554-8704 or laura.bauer@yavapaiaz.gov or MATFORCE at (928) 708-0100 or info@matforceaz.org.

SIZE:

Posters shall be no smaller than 8-½ X 11 inches or no larger than 14 X 18 inches. (All posters must be submitted electronically or on paper. No canvas please.)

SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

All posters must have the following written on the back:

- Artist's full name (first and last)
- Age and grade
- Organization (school, club, association, or home school)
- Contact phone number
- Posters without the proper contact information will **NOT** be entered into the contest
- Poster submissions can be made directly to the Yavapai County Sheriff's Office (for a list of Sheriff's Office substations, go to www.ycsoaz.gov). Or posters can be mailed to MATFORCE at 8056 E. Valley Road, Suite B, Prescott Valley, AZ 86314.

JUDGING and PRIZES:

Two overall winning posters will be selected from two grade categories (K-6 and 7-12) by a panel of judges.

- **Grand Prize:** Both grand prize winners will receive \$250 each. The overall winning posters will be printed and used in official MATFORCE advertising, which may include printed posters, advertising inserts, website publication and local or state media release. **Age Category Prizes:** A winning poster will be selected from each of the following age categories:

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| Age 5 and 6 | Age 7 and 8 | Age 9 and 10 |
| Age 11 and 12 | Age 13 and 14 | Age 15 and 16 |
| Age 17 and 18 | | |

The winner in each age bracket will receive a \$25 Amazon gift card. The winners agree to allow MATFORCE to publish and display their name and poster in press releases and other MATFORCE events.

- **Pizza Box Topper Prize:** The winning artwork in this category will be printed and used on the top of pizza boxes.
- **Honorable Mention Prizes:** Up to 50 honorable mention winners will receive a \$10 Amazon gift card. The winners agree to allow MATFORCE to publish and display their name and poster in press releases and other MATFORCE events.
- All artwork submitted becomes property of MATFORCE and use of artist name and likeness, as well as the artwork, in all media releases and advertisements is allowed.