

The National Theatre for Children

SCHOOL CONTEST Ohio Student Kit "Official Rules"

No entry fee or purchase necessary to enter or win **The Ohio Student Kit Program School Contest** ("School Contest").

The 2019-2020 School Contest entry period begins July 1, 2019, and ends on December 12, 2019. Winners will be announced in January of 2020. Prizes will be awarded in January of 2020. This School Contest is subject to all applicable laws and regulations. Void where prohibited by law. The sponsor of this School Contest is The National Theatre for Children, Inc. ("Sponsor" or "NTC").

By entering and participating in the School Contest, participant ("Entrant"): (1) fully and unconditionally agrees to accept and be bound by these "Official Rules" and by all decisions of Sponsor, which include, without limitation, decisions regarding eligibility, winners and the interpretation of the terms used in these Official Rules, which shall be final and binding in all respects; and (2) represents and warrants that all information provided by Entrant in connection with the School Contest is true, accurate and complete as of the date of entry.

1. OBJECTIVE: NTC is asking schools in FirstEnergy service areas, in the state of Ohio, to promote Energy Efficiency Kit sign up within their school community. As part of an energy literacy curriculum, NTC is delivering live, interactive performances and sending students home with Energy Efficiency Kit requests. The School Contest awards participating teachers that return their classroom sign-up package. Teachers returning 20 "Classroom Rewards Forms" completed by their students' families will receive \$50.00. The School Contest awards the school with the highest number of sign-ups \$1,250.

2. ELIGIBILITY and CONTEST ENTRY:

a. This School Contest is open to teachers at any school in the FirstEnergy service area state of Ohio (including private or public institutions), who are participating in The National Theatre for Children FirstEnergy Program.

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c. All entrants must meet the following criteria:

i. Must be participating members of The National Theatre for Children FirstEnergy Program.

ii. Must return valid classroom forms provided by FirstEnergy for Energy Efficiency Kit requests.

iii. Valid classroom forms must be on file with NTC by the end of the School Contest on December 12, 2019.

3. ENTRY GUIDELINES AND RESTRICTIONS: No entry fee or purchase necessary. Possession of an entry does not constitute valid proof of delivery or receipt. Any attempt to enter the School Contest in a manner other than as permitted in this **Section 3** shall be VOID and subject Entrant to disqualification from further participation in the School Contest. Entries received from persons not meeting eligibility requirements will be disqualified. Sponsor shall not be liable for late, incomplete, or inaccurate entry forms or sign-up submissions, or for technical, hardware or software failures of any kind, lost or unavailable network connection, or failed, incomplete, garbled or delayed computer transmissions, telephone connections, or any human error which may occur in the receipt of the entries in this School Contest.

4. DEADLINE: The deadline will be strictly enforced. Classroom form submissions will not be accepted beyond December 12, 2019 for the 2019-2020 School Contest period.

5. WINNER(S):

a. The winning teachers will be announced shortly after their school's respective deadline date for the 2019-2020 School Contest period. Sponsor's website is located @ **www.nationaltheatre.com.** Upon confirmation of eligibility, prizes will be awarded within thirty (30) days. Sponsor shall pay for all shipping and handling costs associated with the distribution of prizes. Prizes are guaranteed to be awarded in accordance with these rules.

b. The winning school and teachers may be required to sign an Affidavit of Eligibility/Release of Liability/Prize Acceptance Form upon being notified as a winner. Noncompliance may result in disqualification and an alternate winner(s) may be selected.

6. PRIZES:

a. A participating teacher that returns their "Classroom Rewards Form" envelope of 20 completed sign-ups will receive a \$50 prize. The school with the most sign-ups will receive \$1,250. The odds of winning and total maximum prize amount is dependent on the number of valid submissions. All prizes will be awarded in connection with the School Contest.

b. Within thirty (30) days of the announcement of the winner(s), Sponsor will provide winner(s) with the prize, or a voucher, certificate or other document giving winner(s) unconditional right to receive the prize. All prizes are non-transferable and non-endorsable and non-cash prizes cannot be redeemed for cash. All costs, fees, expenses and taxes (including without limitation federal, state, and local taxes) associated with any element of any prize not explicitly stated herein as being provided (and the reporting consequences thereof) are the sole and exclusive responsibility of the winner(s). All income taxes associated with the acceptance of a prize are the sole responsibility of the winner(s).

7. DISQUALIFICATION/INELIGIBILITY: teachers must return their "Classroom Rewards Form" envelope to be qualified and eligible for this contest. Without limiting any other provision of these Official Rules, the Sponsor reserves the right, any time and in their sole discretion, to disqualify and/or deem a participant ineligible to participate in this School Contest. Furthermore, the Sponsor reserve the right, in their sole and absolute discretion, to disregard and/or deem VOID such Entrant's entry in the School Contest.

8. WINNER(S) LIST: To request a list of winners, send a self-addressed stamped envelope to The National Theatre for Children, Inc., ATTN: Ohio Student EE Kit Program School Contest Winner(s) List, 6305 Sandburg Road, #100, Minneapolis, MN 55427.

9. AGREEMENT TO OFFICIAL RULES: By participating, Entrant agrees and accepts the Official Rules and the decisions of the winning school(s) with respect to the School Contest, and by entering the School Contest, Entrant agrees to waive any right to claim ambiguity or error in the Official Rules.

10. RELEASE OF LIABILITY: By participating, Entrant agrees to release Sponsor, its agents, representatives, affiliates and employees from and against any and all liability for any injuries, losses, and/or damages caused by or resulting from entry or participating in the School Contest, or resulting from the acceptance, possession or use of the prize(s). The Sponsor is not responsible for any expenses incurred by Entrant in connection with participation in the School Contest.

11. MODIFICATION/TERMINATION OF OFFICIAL RULES: Sponsor further reserves the right to modify any terms of the School Contest at any time at Sponsor's sole discretion. Sponsor further reserves the right to terminate the School Contest at any time at Sponsor's sole discretion. The Sponsor shall assume no responsibility for cancellation due to labor strike industry conditions, commercial viability, or any other cause beyond Sponsor's reasonable control.

12. PUBLICITY: By participating, Entrant:

a. Grants Sponsor permission to use Entrant's submission in the promotion of the School Contest and any future contest(s);

b. Agrees to cooperate with Sponsor's media partners in any promotional materials and/or advertising of the School Contest, including use of Entrant's name and school information in any promotional materials and/or advertising of the School Contest, except where prohibited by law; and

c. Agrees to participate in any follow up surveys conducted by Sponsor or any of its affiliates.

13. LAW: The School Contest shall be conducted in accordance with the laws of the State of Minnesota. All disputes concerning these terms and the School Contest shall be adjudicated in the federal or state courts having jurisdiction over Hennepin County, Minneapolis, Minnesota USA.

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