



Promote young worker safety in Nova Scotia

Your goal is to use an effective method to promote workplace health and safety to young workers

Use your creativity to develop something that can be used in social media to illustrate the importance of working safely on the job. You may choose to create a social media campaign, an advertisement, a poster or a video.

First – educate yourself about the topic. There are special laws that protect teens. Refer to previous lessons, notes and other resources. Refer to the resources on Ms. Duncan’s website. Doing some research will ensure you are ‘on topic’.

Create something that captures the importance of workplace rights and responsibilities. You can focus on workplace safety, or employments standards, such as fair wages, harassment, overtime - whatever inspires you and your creativity!



IDEAS:

Develop a slogan or message, using your own words.

You can also choose from any of these ideas to build on:

- Teen workers need to know how to recognize hazards, and should speak up when they see something wrong.
- Employers are responsible for providing a safe workplace and training on how to stay safe at work.
- If you don't know how to do the job, ask for help. Make sure you know how to do your work safely.
- Good co-workers look out for each other.

All submissions must be original work. For example, do not use artwork or slogans you found on the internet that are protected by copyright, or cartoon or video game characters such as Zelda, Bugs Bunny, Spongebob, or Disney characters.

Create a positive message to share with other teens!

Criteria:

- Originality
- Quality of artwork
- Easy to read
- Appeals to a teen audience
- Colorful
- Gets your attention from a distance

Young Worker Safety Rubric

	 Novice (1pt)	 Apprentice (2pt)	 Practitioner (4pts)	 Expert (6pts)
Overall Theme	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All parts do not accurately support the main theme Theme is not easily determined 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Portrays minimal understanding of theme Theme is not easily determined 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Portrays accurate understanding of theme Theme is clear after studying it 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fully Portrays clear & accurate understanding of theme All parts accurately support the theme Main theme is evident and easily determined
Organization and Presentation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Poorly Presented Unplanned Thrown Together Cluttered Confusing Limited use of color and texture Difficult to read 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Neat Needs better use of space Good use of color 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Attracts attention Effort is evident Great use of color Easily read from a distance 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Attracts attention Shows balance Well Planned Good use of space Shows Care to detail Vivid
Creativity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Little creative energy Bland 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lacks "Pizzazz" Contains a few original touches 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Some originality- take off on other examples Thoughtfully presented 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Original Unique Clever
Errors	3 spelling/grammar errors	2 spelling/grammar errors	1 spelling/grammar errors	No spelling/grammar errors
Video	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Little attention to technical aspects Camera instability Sound unclear Video editing needed Lacks effective timing and transitions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Some effective technical aspects included but needs work Camera stability Sound clarity Video editing timing and transitions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Effective technical aspects included Camera stability Sound clarity Video editing timing and transitions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Excellent technical aspects Camera is stable Images are well composed Sound is clear and understandable Video is edited effectively, flows well Transitions are used effectively Completed in timely manner (2 minutes)