

**MARQUETTE BOARD OF LIGHT AND POWER
ANNOUNCES ITS 27th ANNUAL POSTER CONTEST
"Safety during a Lightning Storm"**



This year's theme encourages students to think of ways to be safe during a lightning storm. Some examples to do this would be to stay away from windows and water, do not use the telephone and unplug appliances. Put your creative hat on and think of ways to be safe and things that you need to avoid or stay away from during a lightning storm. The MBLP is excited to see what you will come up with, showing your creativity and knowledge of electricity. (I have attached other ways you can save the earth too.)

Materials 18 X 24 inch drawing/poster paper (MBLP will provide the paper for you), and any drawing medium (crayons, markers, pencils, pens, ink, etc.) Application of objects (electric cords, string, cloth, foil, glitter, etc.) to the poster is also acceptable and encouraged.

Who can enter the MBLP Poster Contest? All 4th and 5th graders who are currently enrolled for the 2016-2017 school year. Home schooled students are also eligible. The student must reside within the service territory of the MBLP and cannot have previously won at any level in the contest.

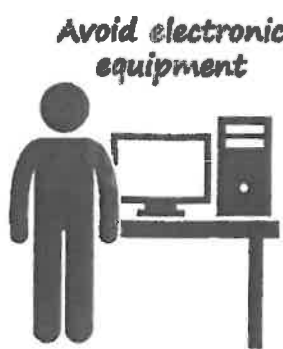
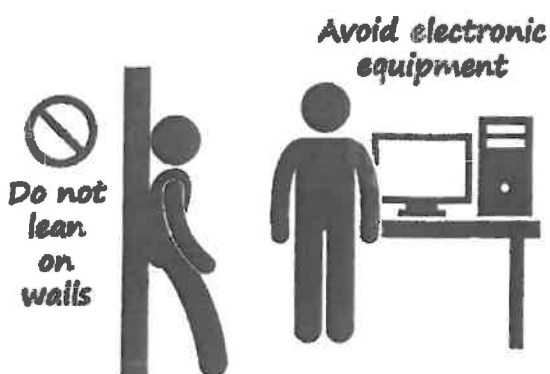
Prizes for Winning Posters First prize: \$200 Second prize \$150 Third prize \$100 and Honorable mention \$50. Winners will be notified by April 27, 2018 and prizes will be awarded at the MBLP Administrative Offices at 2200 Wright Street in Marquette. The first place poster will be framed and publicly displayed at the Administrative Offices for one year (after that time, it will be returned to the student).

Contest Rules

1. Students name, address, phone number and school/teacher (if applicable) must appear on the back of the poster.
2. Entries must be received at the MBLP office no later than 4:30 p.m. on Friday, April 13, 2018.
3. Students must create their own artwork that addresses the theme...the poster must represent the student's efforts only without adult assistance.
4. Poster must be drawn on paper or poster board measuring 18 X 24 inches.
5. No copyrighted characters may be used.
6. The MBLP reserves the right to use the names of the winners in public announcements of the contest.
7. The first place entry will be displayed at the MBLP for one year and then returned to student.

Please call Noreen Collins at 228-0343 should you have any questions.

Lightning Safety Tips (Indoor)



Lightning Safety Tips (Outdoor)

