NORTHWEST RADON POSTER CONTEST

January is Radon Action Month. This poster contest serves to raise awareness of harmful effects of elevated indoor radon levels and promote testing and mitigation of radon gas.

WHAT IS RADON?

Radon is a naturally occurring radioactive gas that can buildup in our homes. Both old and new housing can have radon problems. Testing is the only way to know if your home has radon because it is colorless, odorless, and tasteless. Long-term radon exposure is the number one cause of lung cancer in nonsmokers and the second-leading cause of lung cancer in smokers.

HOW TO ENTER

Find contest submission forms, lesson plans, and rules **here**.

First, second, and third place winners will be selected from each state (Idaho, Oregon, and Washington). A regional grand prize will be selected from the winning submissions.

The first-place posters from each state will be submitted to the 2024 National Radon Poster Contest. All participating students will learn about radon and how to reduce their risk of exposure.



Scan the QR code or click **here** for more information and how to enter.

SUBMISSION DEADLINE

Friday, March 10, 2023 11:59pm

PRIZES

1st Place \$100

2nd Place \$75

3rd Place \$50

Regional Grand Prize \$300

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS

9 - 14 years of age living in Idaho, Oregon, and Washington

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WINNING POSTERS WILL BE FEATURED ON WEBSITES, SOCIAL MEDIA, AND BILLBOARDS!













