

The Society for AIDS Care
Mask Design Contest Guidelines

1. Background

The Society for AIDS Care organizes the first Mask Design Contest in 2011. Mask is used as a symbol of identity protection for people living with HIV/AIDS (PLHIV) due to the fear of discrimination. Participants are invited to learn more about HIV/AIDS and the challenges PLHIV faced through creating masks, thus to eliminate misconceptions and discrimination. The masks will be given to participants of AIDS Walk and other public education events, to encourage them to experience the stress caused by invisible masks of PLHIV.

2. Objectives

- (a) Promote acceptance to PLHIV through art creation;
- (b) Strengthen participants' knowledge of HIV/AIDS.

3. Theme

Participants should design a mask surrounding the theme of **“Say No to Discrimination!”**.

4. Divisions

- (a) Secondary School Division
- (b) Public Division

5. Registration

- (a) Secondary School Division

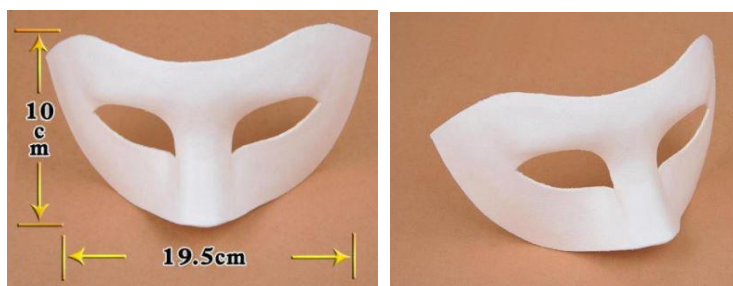
Participants of Secondary School Division should register through respective schools.

Schools should fill out the School Registration Form attached and submit it on **or before** **30th November 2023**

by: Email: edupub@aids scare.com.hk Fax : 2521-7668

Each school will be given at the most 30 free-of-charge blank masks (on a first come, first served basis). Schools can purchase order additional blank masks of any style as long as they can be worn.

Schools can arrange staff or representative to **pick up the requested masks from 3rd October 2023 till 30th November 2023**. If schools request to post the masks, it will be paid by recipient.



(Mask provided by SAC, mask design and size reference, spot punch with hair band)

(b) Public Division

Participants should contact us by email or phone to arrange blank mask pick up **from 3rd October 2023 till 30th November 2023**; participants may purchase a blank mask elsewhere.

Email: edupub@aidscares.com.hk

Phone: 2559-2006

6. Submission

Participants of Secondary School Division should submit their masks through respective schools. Teachers are advised to collect all the submissions and return them to us. All submissions should be made, by post or in person, **on or before 18th December 2023**. To avoid wastage, teachers are encouraged to return all unused masks when submitting the entries. Address: Mongkok, Kowloon (full address will be sending after application confirmed).

All participants are required to complete an online application form, and write the reference code at the back of all submission. The reference code for Secondary School Division should include School Code*, Class and class number, while submissions for Public Division should include contact number. If reference code is not found at the back or online application form is not submitted by the deadline, the work will not be eligible to enter the competition. **All submission will not be returned, submissions may exhibit on our promotional event for education use.**

School Division Online Application form:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScaVgL-a2VU3_UlzqOoJv4qK1PvEn7MXK6c5bzOW6s2Jks8qA/viewform

Public Division Online Application form:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSexinSBYm-ETw8YhDB6n7KE8qQ4jlrL8MAvYop6pp92QxxA/viewform>

***Information regarding School Code will be notified to teacher-in-charge after application confirmed.**

7. Awards

(a) Personal Awards

The following awards will be chosen for each division (No. of award):

- Champion (1)
- 1st Runner-up (1)
- 2nd Runner-up (1)
- Outstanding Award (3)
- Facebook Most Popular Award (1): Participants can take a photo of their masks, name the photo with the reference code and email it to edupub@aidscares.com.hk on or before the submission deadline. Photos received will be uploaded to Facebook by us on every Friday (for photos collected on the last Fri till Thurs the week). The award would be given to the submission with the most number of “likes”. **Only submissions photos taken by participants with completed online application form handed in will be uploaded. Participants should fill in the form on time.**

(b) School Award

A “Most Active Participation School Award” will be given to school according to the number of submissions received.

8. Results Announcement and Prize Presentation Ceremony

Every submission will be reviewed by our panel. The list of shortlisted submissions will be sent to teachers by email, and to participants of Public Division by email around February 2024. Results will be announced during AIDS Walk opening ceremony. All winning and first 100 shortlisted submissions will be exhibited during the event.

Details of AIDS Walk:

Date: Early March, 2024 (Details will be released later)

Awardees or representatives are encouraged to collect certificates and prizes at the ceremony, collection afterwards will not be arranged.

9. Transportation Arrangement for Prize Presentation Ceremony

Participants are encouraged to join our AIDS Walk and experience the stress brought by the invisible masks of PLHIV. Transportation from Admiralty to The Peak will be arranged for participants and teachers. Details will be released later.

10. Enquiry

For enquiries, please contact Ms. Lilian Leung or Ms. Yan Lee at 2559 2006 or edupub@aids scare.com.hk.

Terms and Conditions for Competition

- 1) Submissions must be the original works of participants without infringing the intellectual property rights of others. Submissions must not contain plagiarism, violence, blasphemy, pornography, smearing and personal attack, or they will be disqualified.
- 2) Submissions shall be the first time to enter a competition, and have never been awarded in any competitions before. The participant must be the sole designer and copyright owner of the submission and the copyright has not been assigned to other persons.
- 3) Participants should submit the mask and an online application form **by 18th December 2023**. Reference code should be printed or written clearly on the back of the mask. If the requirements are not met, submissions will not be entered into competition.
- 4) The Society for AIDS Care reserves the right to edit, publish, copy, distribute and exhibit submissions for promotion use. Submissions will not be returned to participants.
- 5) Participants are allowed to make only ONE submission.
- 6) The list of shortlisted submissions will be released around February 2024 to respective schools and participants of Public Division through email.
- 7) All participants, teachers and parents/guardians will be invited to attend the Award Presentation Ceremony in early March 2024. Awardees or representatives should collect certificates and prizes there on the day; collection afterwards will not be arranged.
- 8) The Society for AIDS Care reserves the right for all final decisions in cases of disputes, including but not limited to the result, awards and other related arrangements.
- 9) All submitted personal information will be treated confidentially for liaison and verification of personal identification purpose.



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Secondary School Registration Form

School Name : _____

Contact Person : _____

Contact Number : _____

Email Address : _____

Mailing Address : _____

Quantity of Masks Requested (*Please reserved before pick up)

30 masks (free-of-charge; on a first come, first served basis)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Methods of mask pick up	<input type="checkbox"/> Arrange staff to pick up masks from SAC Centre (Free of Charge) *Pick up Date: _____
	<input type="checkbox"/> Paid by recipient

Remarks: Please arrange staff to pick up masks from SAC Centre. Paid by recipient will be charged if schools request to post the masks. **Mask pick up period: from 3rd October 2023 to 30th November 2023. (Centre opening hours: 10a.m. to 5p.m., Mondays to Fridays, except public holiday)**

Submission of the school registration form

1) Fax : 2521-7668 2) Email : edupub@aidscares.com.hk

Deadline for submission of Secondary School Registration Form is 30th November 2023. We will confirm your application through email within 3 working days. Masks will be dispatched or ready for pick up from 3rd October 2023 to 30th November 2023. **Deadline for masks submission is 18th December 2023. Please submit the masks with submission codes at the back and instruct students to submit an online application form at www.aidscares.com.hk/mask-design-contest on or before the deadline.** (*Information regarding School Code will be notified to teacher-in-charge after application confirmed, please refer to the attached guidelines for details.)

Enquiry: Ms. Lilian Leung / Ms. Yan Lee at 2559-2006