



Terms & Conditions

- 1) Real Nation is the promoter of the ESB Networks National Safety Challenge and all correspondence should be addressed to the promoter at: ESB Networks National Safety Challenge, c/o Real Nation, 24 Arran Quay, Dublin 7, D07 W620.
- 2) Neither ESB Networks nor the promoter is liable in any way for costs, expenses, damages, liability or injury arising out of or in any way connected with the programme.
- 3) Participants submitting an entry must be enrolled in a 2nd level school or 3rd level institution within the Republic of Ireland to be considered a valid entry.
- 4) ESB Networks reserves the right to seek verification from the relevant school or college of the registration of any students who have entered the competition.
- 5) Entries will be accepted by individuals, small groups or a whole class.
- 6) Submission of an entry will be taken to mean acceptance of these terms and conditions.
- 7) Neither ESB Networks nor the promoter commit to notifying unsuccessful entrants of the competition or to returning entries.
- 8) ESB Networks and the promoter and those working for or on their behalf will not be responsible for lost, late, misdirected, damaged, submissions or attempted submissions. Proof of post is not proof of receipt and all responsibilities related to submitting a qualified entry lie with the entrants.
- 9) Each entry must be accompanied by an entry form. Entry forms can be found online at www.esbnetworks.ie/education
- 10) The closing date for entries is 23rd of March, 2018. ESB Networks and the promoter reserve the right to extend the entry period.
- 11) ESB Networks reserves the right to amend, withdraw or terminate the competition or alter the specification of the competition without prior notice should that specification be rendered unfeasible for reasons beyond their control.
- 12) ESB Networks reserves the right to disqualify any participant for any reason whatsoever in its sole discretion.
- 13) Entries will be judged on criteria such as the following:
 - a) Is the execution of the entry feasible and practical?
 - b) Has the entrant(s) considered who its audience is and tailored their entry accordingly?
 - c) Is the entry original and innovative?
 - d) Would the entry (idea, concept, initiative or plan) be effective in raising safety awareness and/or making construction or agriculture safer to work in?
- 14) No correspondence will be entered into regarding the judging process and the decision of the judges will be final.
- 15) By entering ESB Networks National Safety Challenge you agree that ESB Networks and all connected parties has the right to include entrants' work in any external press, publications, websites, social media and/or in any promotional material connected to this competition.
- 16) Prize winners may be required to participate in publicity (photographs, interviews, quotations etc.).
- 17) All winners will be identified and announced by May 4th, 2018.
- 18) ESB Networks and the promoter reserve the right to change prize specifications subject to availability at the conclusion of this competition.
- 19) Employees, contractors or persons directly or professionally associated with the organisers and promoters of ESB Networks National Safety Challenge may not compete in the competition.
- 20) Irish law applies to these terms and conditions.
- 21) ESB Networks and the promoter reserve the right to amend any part of these terms and conditions and/or the rules of the competition as might be required without notice.

Entries

- 1) There are four categories:
 - a) 2nd Level Agriculture
 - b) 2nd Level Construction
 - c) 3rd Level Agriculture
 - d) 3rd Level Construction
- 2) The parameters for entries are as follows: You can enter in any format: written (up to 300 words for 2nd level and up to 500 words for 3rd level students), visual (e.g. photography, poster, design, sketch), digital (e.g. audio, video). The promoter reserves the right to disqualify entries which exceed these parameters.
- 3) The closing date for entries is 23rd of March, 2018. ESB Networks and the promoter reserve the right to extend the entry period.
- 4) All work should be the students' own but, for 2nd level entrants, may be aided or guided by a teacher. Evidence of plagiarism will warrant the disqualification of the entry.

Prizes

The prizes are as follows:

- 1) Four National Finalists in four categories will receive a €200 voucher each.
- 2) One National Winner in each category will receive an additional €800 voucher, bringing their total prize fund to €1,000 in vouchers.
- 3) The teacher of the National Winner in both 2nd level categories will receive a prize of a €200 voucher.
- 4) Subject to editorial limitations, some or all winners will be featured in the Irish Farmers Journal (agricultural categories) or Irish Building Magazine (construction categories), as appropriate.

Prizes are likely to be issued in the form of One4All vouchers or a suitable alternative. Cash alternatives will not be offered. Prizes are issued per entry and where a winning entry has been submitted by more than one person, the prize fund remains the same. All prizes are non-negotiable.