

# Celebrate National Junior Fire Marshal Day on October 6!



Dear Educator,

Support fire safety in your community by registering your class for the free National Junior Fire Marshal® Day online educational event on October 6 — an easy-to-implement activity for in-class and remote learning.

For more than 70 years, The Hartford's Junior Fire Marshal program has been making it fun for kids in grades K-3 to learn about fire safety. Your students can join in the fun on October 6 and become Junior Fire Marshals like generations of kids before them.

This teaching kit provides an overview of the educational event and explains how to register. The kit also includes a take-home letter to share with students' families, who are welcome to register as well.

We hope that you will share this teaching kit with all K-3 teachers and parents at your school. And please also share your thoughts about the program by visiting [ymiclassroom.com/feedback-jfm](http://ymiclassroom.com/feedback-jfm). We look forward to your comments.

Sincerely,

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For questions, contact us toll-free at 1-800-859-8005 or by e-mail at [feedback@ymiclassroom.com](mailto:feedback@ymiclassroom.com)

## About The Hartford's Junior Fire Marshal® Program

Across the country, a home fire starts every 87 seconds.\* That's why for more than 70 years, The Hartford has been dedicated to teaching kids how to prevent fires and what to do if they face one. Over 111 million kids have been deputized through The Hartford's Junior Fire Marshal Program.

## Target Audience

Grades K-3

## The National Junior Fire Marshal® Day Free LIVE Online Educational Event

Join The Hartford in celebrating National Junior Fire Marshal® Day on October 6 by registering for a free live online fire safety educational event for students in grades K-3. Led by a teacher and a firefighter, this 30-minute presentation features engaging demonstrations and videos that guide students through these important fire safety lessons:

- Matches and lighters are for grown-ups
- Smoke alarms are important
- Create and practice your escape plan
- Establish your outside meeting place

Students also take a virtual tour of a fire safety trailer and become Junior Fire Marshals by reciting the Junior Fire Marshal pledge. All students receive an official Junior Fire Marshal certificate and video congratulations from real firefighters from across the country.

## Date & Time

- Date: Tuesday, October 6, 2020
- Select the time that is best for you:  
10 am EDT/7 am PDT **OR**  
1 pm EDT/10 am PDT
- Duration: 30 minutes

## How to Register

All K-3 teachers can register for the National Junior Fire Marshal® Day online event at [juniorfiremarshal.com/register](http://juniorfiremarshal.com/register). Follow the prompts

to enter your grade, number of students, city, state, and email address. You will see a registration confirmation message, a link to the event livestream URL that you can copy and save in your calendar or email to families, and a link to download the Junior Fire Marshal certificate for your students.

## How to Participate

No preparation or materials are required. You will receive the URL to access the livestream when you register and in an email reminder the day before the event. On October 6, click on that URL at your selected time to watch on your classroom smartboard, or send the URL to parents so students and their families can join at home. The event will livestream on Vimeo, so check ahead of time that you are able to access Vimeo at your school.

Don't forget to provide your students with their Junior Fire Marshal certificates at the end of the educational event.

**Register today at**  
[juniorfiremarshal.com/register](http://juniorfiremarshal.com/register)

## Share the Family Letter

To inform parents and caregivers about this special event, make copies of the family letter to send home, or email it as part of your family communications. Although the National Junior Fire Marshal® Day live educational event is intended for classroom teachers, families and homeschoolers are welcome to register and participate on their own.



\*Source: National Fire Protection Association (NFPA)



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