

eSafe Child Online Protection Award 2023

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Knowledge Park –Dubai,UAE

Terms of Reference

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The eSafe society recognizes the enormous challenges of internet safety especially for children and youth. In order to protect the children from harm from the virtual space, eSafe joins hands with you to make the children safer. As part of it, eSafe is conducting a festival “Students Well-Being in Physical and Virtual World” and an award function for those who implemented digital safety measures for children. This is a pioneer program happening in the UAE for the safety of children.

Committee of Membership

The following terms of references shall govern the eSafe Child Online Protection Award 2023 organized by Emirates Safer Internet Society (eSafe). We exclusively reserve the right to change these terms of references from time to time without prior notice. You should visit the eSafe Website frequently, to get the most current & updated version of any information regarding this event.

Committee and Selection Panel

1. To successfully manage the award process we have our own judging panel
2. Our judging panel consisting of an award chairman and a panel team member from eSafe society
3. We have set our own insights to create a guide for managing and implementing this award function
4. We have set our own guidelines and variables for the whole process regarding this award.
5. The award jury and panel have the right to call off the award and cancel the nomination if any discrepancy found during the screening
6. No external advisories will be encouraged in the award process.

Nomination process for Educational Institutions

- The nomination procedure of candidates for an award or an astounding reward is done through multiple stints & procedures
- We are focusing on a step by step nomination process that is obliged to be twofold screening level; predominantly we invite entries from Educational Institutions who have implemented digital safety measures for children.

- Nominated Educational institutions have to submit a comprehensive synopsis about the safety measures implemented for the safety of children and provide an itemized abstract about awareness classes, seminars, symposiums conducted if any.
- The entire documents to be submitted by the school should be properly enclosed in an envelope and shared with the committee with proper address and details of the school.
- A Google form to collect the evidence for the eSafe Child Online Protection Award 2023 has to be filled and submitted on time.**[Deadline date: 10/01/2024]**
[Please click to fill the Google Form :](#)
- Additionally there will be a personalized sifting or interview for detailed obstructing according to the nomination parameter set by our panel

Following are variable for assessing the eligibility credentials

Online safety team/squad formation	Group formation, Leader, Policy published, monitoring & Training	10
Online safety awareness sessions for students / faculties / parents	3 session = 20 points, 2 =15 points 1 = 5 points	20
Bring your own device (BYOD) policies	Developed = 5 , developed implemented = 5 points	10
Data protection policy & Password policy	Developed = 5 , developed implemented = 5 points	10
IT security audit for personal data protection	Audit conducted = 5, audit conducted and taken action on it=5.	10
IT infrastructure security policies and implementation	Developed = 5 , developed implemented = 5 points	10
Ministry assessment report / Independent assessment report obtained	10 or a 0 based on whether it was conducted or not.	10
Achievements in STOGO FEST or other national wide experiential and activity based projects initiatives that is adhering to the Theme "Students well-being in Physical and Virtual World"	Participation : 5 Points , First Prize : 10 points : Second Prize : 5 Points , Third Prize :3 points, Secured multiple winners: 5 points.	20
Total		100

10 (ten) Educational Institutions downright all the criteria and guidelines will be honored with the title “eSafe Child Online Protection Award 2023”

Evaluation and Implementation Dates

SI No:	Description	Date
1	Call for submission	04/12/2023
2	Evidence collection	10/01/2024
3	First round screening with discussion	30/01/2024
4	Second round screening [Educational institutions will be called for the screening on these days]	15/02/2024
5	Final meeting of evaluation	28/02/2024
6	Session for clarification or further interview with Institutions	05/03/2024
7	Finalization of the title winners and institutions that came to the last round	15/03/2024
8	Inform the winners and runner up institutions	10/04/2024
9	Declaring the winners details publically	24/04/2024

Rewarding and honoring other major contributors of eSafe initiatives

- As per the committee insights the Sponsors and Partners associated with activities of eSafe and showered support by means of financial ,manpower, voluntary actions, by work, will be rewarded as per the eSafe society norms.
- The terms and conditions also apply to websites for any of our awards or conferences, all operated by eSafe society and all information, media, materials, reports, documents etc submitted will be treated with the strictest confidence and all such materials will not be returned to respective educational institutions and it become the property of eSafe.

The decision of panelists is final and conclusive in all circumstances and no correspondence will be entered into.