



# VILLAGE OF PLAINFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT



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## Village, schools, and two local businesses team up to promote seat belt usage

Plainfield IL – In an effort to further increase/maintain seat belt usage within the community, the Village of Plainfield, Plainfield Community Consolidated School District 202, and Oswego School District 308 along with sponsors First Community Bank of Plainfield and Plainfield Signs, are hosting a “buckle up” reminder sign design contest for the students of the seven elementary schools located within the Village of Plainfield: Central, Freedom, Eagle Pointe, Eichelberger, Grande Park (Oswego), Lincoln, and Walker’s Grove. This contest was conducted at high school level in 2009 and at the middle school level in 2010.

What is a buckle up reminder sign? A buckle up reminder sign is a sign designed to remind students, parents, and faculty to fasten their seat belt before leaving school property, as the signs will be placed at the main exits of each elementary school. Sign designs must be done primarily in school colors, include the school name, or at least school initials, the school mascot, and a seat belt usage theme.

Graphic designs submitted by students will be replicated, produced, and donated by Plainfield Signs, and the student who submits the winning design at each school will receive a \$100 prize, donated by the First Community Bank of Plainfield.

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