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NACS colors bus safety with a K-5 contest as part of National School Bus Safety Week

Prize winners selected from each school

- WHAT: Winners from each participating elementary school will receive prizes for having the best coloring page entry for National School Bus Safety Week.
- WHO: **Grand Prize Winner** Brynn Dietz, 5th Grade from Mrs. Silcox's class will receive a basket of art supplies to encourage her to continue creating art.
- WHEN: **1 p.m., Thursday, Oct. 27, 2022**
- WHERE: Oak View Elementary School 13123 Coldwater Rd. Fort Wayne, IN 46845

Use main entrance at Door 1

WHY: Northwest Allen County Schools Transportation, with the help of elementary school administrators, offered a district-wide coloring contest among students in grades kindergarten through 5. The goal was to drive home bus safety messages with students for National School Bus Safety Week which ran Oct. 17-21.

Each day had a theme of the day which was shared during morning announcements at the elementary schools to emphasize different bus safety messages. The awareness week encourages school communities to review bus safety practices among students, parents, teachers, school administrators, motorists and school bus operators.

More information about Oak View Elementary School may be found at <u>https://ov.nacs.k12.in.us/</u>. More information about NACS Transportation may be found on the NACS website here: <u>https://www.nacs.k12.in.us/departments/transportation</u>.

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