

Steps for Success

Thank you for participating in NIPSCO Energy Safe Kids! If you need to make any adjustments or reschedule your classroom presentation, please email Jeanette Orlando at jeanette.orlando@nef1.org.

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Before the presentation, review your tote containing:

- ☐ *Natural Gas Safety Challenge* booklets
- ☐ *Household Safety Surveys* (HSSs):
Write your teacher ID on each survey.
- ☐ Pencil pouches (student incentive for completing the HSSs)



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Energy educators will conduct a 45 to 60 minute presentation in your school.

- ☐ **After the presentation** for your students: **Send home** the booklets, HSSs and mercaptan stickers.
- ☐ Set a due date for students to **complete the HSS with an adult** and either return it to you or submit it online at EnergySafeKids.org/NIPSCO.
- ☐ **Reward students** with a pencil pouch when they complete the HSS.
- ☐ Put up posters in the classroom.

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Earn an eGift Card when your students complete the HSS online or on paper by the program deadline available in your emails. **Return any papers** (not submitted online) in the envelope from your folder.

- Earn a \$50 eGift Card when 80% of your class submits the HSS.
- Earn a \$30 eGift Card when 50% to 79% of your class submits the HSS.
- Earn a \$15 eGift Card when less than 49% of your class submits the HSS.

Mini-grants are issued to each eligible participating teacher as an eGift Card.

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Visit EnergySafeKids.org/NIPSCO to **find digital resources** for both students and teachers, including:

- Gamified learning posters available in English and Spanish
- Downloadable lesson plans related to natural gas safety
- Fun educational videos

A screenshot of the 'Find Your Teacher ID' form. It has three steps: 1 Find Your School, 2 Find Your Teacher, and 3 Submit Your Form. Step 1 is active. The form asks to 'Enter the keyword of your school's name. Example - Kennedy for John F Kennedy' and has a text input field for 'School Name'. Below the field is a green 'Search for School' button. At the bottom, there is a small link: 'Don't know your Teacher ID? No problem. Use this tool to find your teacher ID'.

Additional information on back.



Household Safety Survey (HSS)

- Check your thank you email after the presentation for your teacher portal link to find those students' names who have completed the online HSS. Do NOT send in the paper surveys from these students.
- Watch for an email from National Energy Foundation (NEF) acknowledging receipt of your packet.

Other

- Complete the program evaluation with the link from the follow-up emails.
- You may make a thank you card from the template provided in the email. Take a picture of the card and email it to tiffany.foland@nef1.org.

