

FRANKLIN FIRE DEPARTMENT



For
Grades
K-8!

HELMET SHIELD DESIGN CONTEST

DESIGN A NEW
FIRE HELMET SHIELD
FOR ME, SPARKY THE FIRE DOG!



**1 GRAND PRIZE WINNER +
9 FIRST PLACE WINNERS WILL BE CHOSEN**

(One first place winner per grade)

The Grand Prize Winner will receive a \$100 Visa gift card, and their artwork will be made into a real fire helmet shield for Sparky the Fire Dog's helmet! You can see him wearing it all year long at Franklin Fire Station 8 in Westhaven.

First Place Winners will receive a \$50 Visa gift card!

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Create a helmet shield on the official helmet shield template that illustrates the 2026 Fire Prevention Week theme, "Charge Into Fire Safety. Safe Charging is a Superpower!" For ideas visit www.fpw.org

Submit your artwork as a file upload through the online entry form. Find the link with complete instructions at www.franklinton.gov/FFDcontest. The entry deadline is Sunday, October 25, 2026 at 11:59 PM CDT.

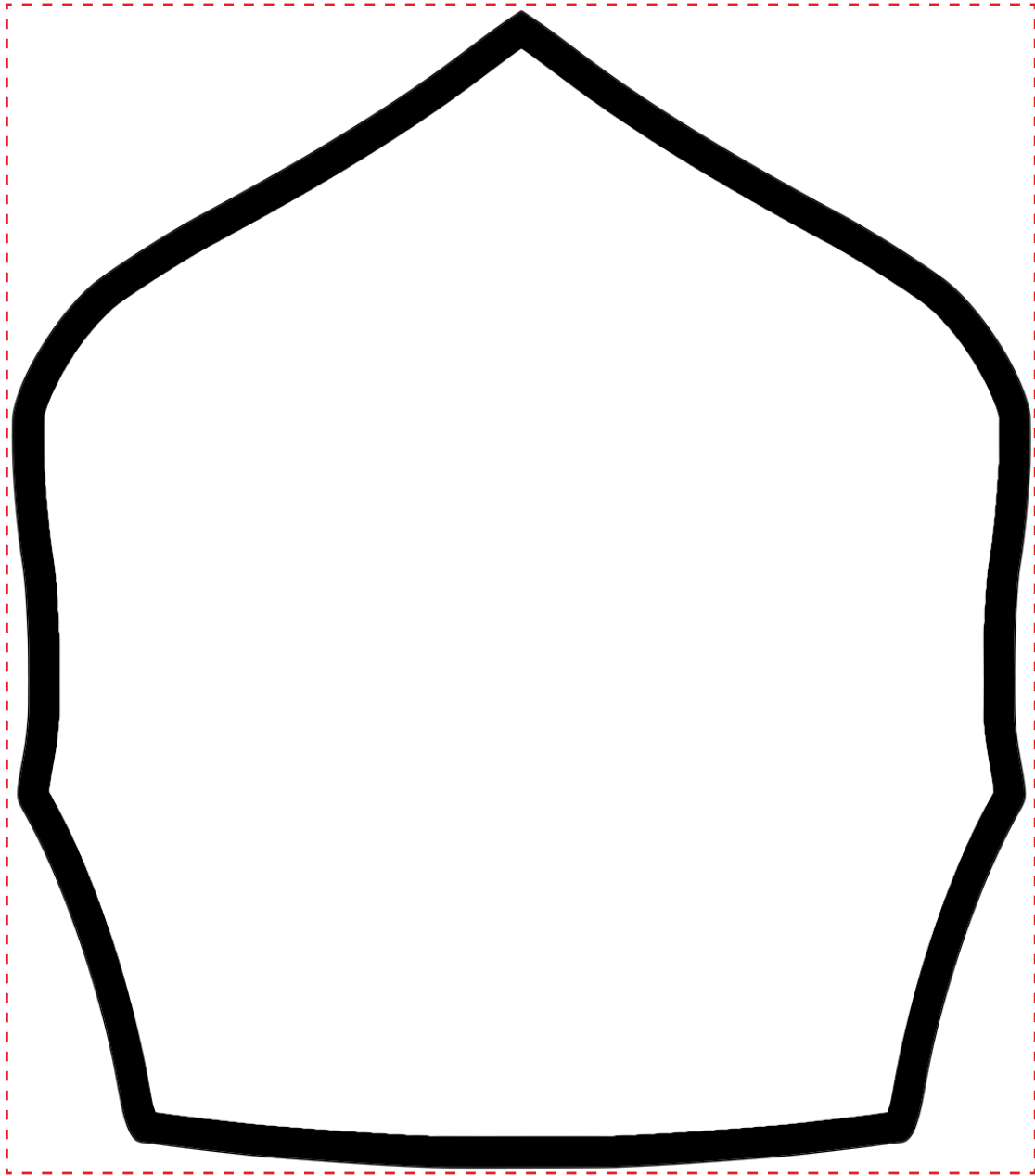
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Actual size:
6.25" x 5.5"



CONTEST GUIDELINES

- Create a fire helmet shield that illustrates the 2026 Fire Prevention Week theme, "Charge Into Fire Safety. Safe Charging is a Superpower!" For ideas visit www.fpw.org.
- One Grand Prize Winner will be chosen. The Grand Prize Winner will receive a \$100 Visa gift card, courtesy of Atmos Energy, and their artwork will be made into a real fire helmet shield for Sparky the Fire Dog's helmet! You can see him wearing it at Franklin Fire Station 8 in Westhaven!
- Up to nine First Place Winners may be chosen; one winner per grade. Each First Place Winner will receive a \$50 Visa gift card, courtesy of Atmos Energy.
- Artwork/entries should fit within the helmet shield template provided. Use of the template is optional.
- Students in Kindergarten through 8th grade who are Williamson County residents may enter.
- Artwork/entries may be in any art medium (illustration, pen, paint, crayons, etc.).
- Artwork/entries must be the original work of the artist.
- Artwork/entries must be submitted digitally as a high-resolution file upload through the Online Entry Form. Find the link at www.franklintn.gov/FFDcontest. Accepted file types include PDF, DOC, DOCX, PNG, JPG, and JPEG. The file size limit is 5 MB.
- One entry per contestant.
- Upon submission, entrants grant the City of Franklin and the Franklin Fire Department all rights to the artwork.
- The deadline to submit is 11:59 P.M. CST Sunday, October 25, 2026.
- The winners will be announced by Friday, October 30, 2026.
- The winning designs may be used in City of Franklin and Franklin Fire Department promotional materials.
- A panel of community members will select the winners.