

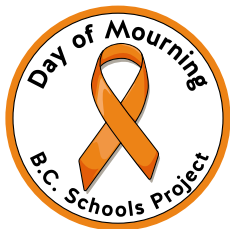


April 28

National Day of Mourning

On average, 150 workers die each year in B.C. Now their families mourn.

Every year young workers are seriously injured or killed on the job. **Let's work together to keep our students healthy and safe at work.**



Day of Mourning B.C. Schools Project

Why it's important

On average **3-4 Canadian workers** are killed every day on the job



Every year young workers are **seriously injured or killed** on the job

Young males aged 15-24 are **twice as likely** to get injured on the job



Hospitality, construction, and retail are the top three industries for injuries to young workers

Recognize Day of Mourning at your school

It is easy to observe Day of Mourning for your students through basic announcements or larger school participation. Here are some ideas that you can incorporate into your learning plans and schedules in April.

Announcement

School observes National Day of Mourning through a school-wide or classroom announcement followed by a moment of silence. Script is provided.

Additional activities

- Student announcements for the 5 days leading up to Day of Mourning (script provided)
- Day of Mourning posters for display (available in English and French)
- *Alive After 5* booklets and wallet cards
- Student Day of Mourning postcards (English and French available) and decals
- Day of Mourning safety lesson sequence for teacher-led discussion that includes a scenario with questions, suggested responses and discussion, and handouts for students

Sign up and be entered to win a \$500 Apple gift card

Twenty-three participation prizes will be awarded to both students and schools, with three \$500 Apple gift cards available to be won.

For more information on prize categories and to sign-up for the Day of Mourning Schools Project, please visit labourheritagecentre.ca/domschoolsproject.

Deadline to register is March 20, 2018.

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