



# CENTENNIAL ON 66

## MADISON COUNTY *Student Poster Challenge*

**CELEBRATE THE 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF ROUTE 66 BY CREATING A POSTER THAT HONORS THE ROAD'S HISTORY, CULTURE OR LANDMARKS IN MADISON COUNTY,**



**TO FIND OUT MORE SCAN THE QR CODE TO VISIT THE  
MADISON COUNTY'S WEBSITE FOR MORE DETAILS**

### POSTER CHALLENGE RULES

1. Poster Size: 8.5" x 11" paper (standard letter size) — vertical or horizontal layout.
2. Materials: Use traditional art supplies like crayons, colored pencils, markers, or paint. Do not use glue, glitter, digital images, or any 3D materials.
3. Content: Design must clearly reflect the Route 66 Centennial and highlight something tied to Madison County — a landmark, memory, map, car, sign, or historic feature.
4. Originality: All artwork must be the student's own original design.
5. One Entry Per Student. Multiple entries will be disqualified.
6. Submission: Each entry must include a completed entry form securely attached to the back of the poster.
7. Deadline: All entries must be received by October 15, 2025.
8. Delivery: Submit entries by mail or drop-off to:  
Madison County  
Attn: Route 66 Poster Contest  
157 N. Main St., Suite 165  
Edwardsville, IL 62025
9. Eligibility: Open to all K–12 students who reside in or attend school in Madison County, Illinois.
10. Judging Criteria: Posters will be judged based on creativity, artistic quality, and connection to Route 66 in Madison County.
11. Categories: Entries will be grouped into the following grade levels: K–2, 3–5, 6–8, and 9–12.
12. Prizes: Each age group will award:
  - 1st Place – \$75 Gift Card + Certificate
  - 2nd Place – \$50 Gift Card
  - 3rd Place – \$25 Gift Card
13. Winners Announcement: Winners will be announced on Nov. 1, 2025.
14. Display & Recognition: Winning posters will be displayed at Edwardsville's West End Station and featured in 2026 Route 66 Centennial promotions, the County website, and social media pages.



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PLEASE COMPLETE THIS FORM AND SECURELY ATTACH IT TO THE BACK OF YOUR POSTER ENTRY. ALL SUBMISSIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY OCT. 15, 2025.

STUDENT NAME:

GRADE:  SCHOOL NAME:

TEACHER NAME:

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME:

PARENT/GUARDIAN EMAIL: 

PHONE NUMBER: 

☐ I VERIFY THIS POSTER IS ORIGINAL WORK CREATED BY THE STUDENT LISTED ABOVE.

☐ I GIVE PERMISSION FOR THIS ARTWORK TO BE DISPLAYED PUBLICLY AND USED IN ROUTE 66 CENTENNIAL PROMOTIONS.

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE:  DATE:

MAIL A COPY OF THIS FORM TO: **MADISON COUNTY**  
**ATTN: ROUTE 66 POSTER CONTEST**  
**157 N. MAIN ST., SUITE 165**  
**EDWARDSVILLE, IL 62025**