

HOLOCAUST LEARNING TRUNK PROJECT

Decorating Guidelines



The message on the trunks should reflect one of the following themes: • What are the lessons of the Holocaust? • Liberators and/or Rescuers • End genocide • Dedication to an upstander (Examples: Anne Frank, Martin Luther King Jr., Chiune Sugihara, Oskar Schindler, Rosa Parks, Gandhi).

This year the Commission would like the trunk decorating focus to be centered on Rescuers. For a list of recommended Rescuers to whom you may decorate and commemorate you trunk, please see [click here](#).

1. The art must cover all sides of the trunk.
2. No swastikas and no images of Hitler permitted.
3. Please refrain from using media that will smudge or be altered by handling. If necessary include proper fixatives.
4. On the left or right side of the trunk (the sides containing the handles,) in an area no larger than 4"x 6" please write "This trunk was decorated by students at (insert name of school/organization) in the (spring/fall/summer) of 2012."
5. Although text in the form of words or quotes may be used it is not required in the design.
6. Please submit a 200 to 400 word statement reflecting on the experience to accompany the trunk. What message would you like to communicate to the students that will receive this trunk? What did you learn? What inspired the concept of the art on the trunk?