



Participating Requirements

- The competition is open to children and youth between the ages of 7-18
- There will be two competing age groups; ages 7-13 and 14-18
- This competition is open to citizens and permanent residents of CDEMA Participating States

Submission Specifications

- Send entry to the CDEMA CU at conferencecoordinator@cdema.org
- Upload videos to any of the popular social media platforms (Facebook, Twitter or YouTube). Each uploaded video MUST tag CDEMA on Facebook [@cdemacu1](https://www.facebook.com/cdemacu1) and Mention on Twitter [@cdemacu](https://twitter.com/cdemacu)
- All submissions must not exceed 60 seconds in duration (for videos and jingles). Submissions exceeding 60 seconds will be disqualified.
- A contestant may submit a maximum of two submissions of different types (e.g. 1 short video, 1 jingle)
- All submissions must be original work of the person.
- Submissions must not contain material which is (or promotes activities which are) sexually explicit, obscene, pornographic, violent, self-mutilating (e.g., relating to murder, the sales of weapons, cruelty, abuse, etc.), discriminatory (based on race, sex, religion, natural origin, physical disability, sexual orientation or age or any other factor prohibited by law), illegal, offensive, threatening, profane, or harassing
- Submissions must not be previously or recently licensed to any publisher, printed and distributed in hard copy or circulated through the internet.
- The hash tags: [#CDM10Youth](https://twitter.com/hashtag/CDM10Youth) or [#CDMConference2017](https://twitter.com/hashtag/CDMConference2017) should be used with each submission via social media
- Get as many likes as you can to earn extra points!

Criteria for Judging

Selection Process

The recipient will be selected by a panel of judges whose decision will be final. Each submission will be judged based on the following criteria:

- Creativity
- Message clarity and relevance
- Motivation and inspiration
- Engagement
- Overall impact

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Prize

- The winner from each age group will receive a high definition tablet.
- The winner from the 14-18 age group will be given an all expense paid trip to The Bahamas for the 10th Caribbean Conference on Comprehensive Disaster Management. The winner must be accompanied by an adult and neither CDEMA nor UNICEF would be responsible for the securing of a VISA for travel.

Material use and ownership

All submissions will become the property of the Caribbean Disaster Emergency Management Agency (CDEMA) and may be used for promotions or presentations, at the sole discretion of the agency.

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