

# National Coin Week Student Activity

National Coin Week is a wonderful time to consider something we use every day, but rarely give it a second thought. It is the only thing that everyone loves to receive, but also give away. National Coin Week celebrates ... MONEY!

The theme to this year's National Coin Week is **Discover the Past, Envision the Future**. In this activity, you have an opportunity to create an invention of your own, describe it and complete a coin design that commemorates the invention or you – the inventor!

Complete the activity below based on the theme and you have an opportunity to earn a prize. If you do an exemplary job, you have a chance to earn the grand prize!

## Rules:

1. Any student age 17 or under may participate. You do not have to be a current member of the American Numismatic Association.
2. All completed activities must be submitted with a postmark of April 30, 2019.
3. All activities must be submitted by mail. No electronic entries will be accepted.
4. Include your name, age and return address to qualify for a prize.
5. One entry per student.
6. There are two age divisions: 12 & under and 13 to 17.

## Directions:

1. Download the blank image for your commemorative coin. Notice that the coin will have a date of 2119 – 100 years in the future.
2. Design your coin. It can contain color, but that is not required. The coin must include the following:

Denomination

Liberty

In God We Trust

United States of America

Date

E Pluribus Unum

3. On a separate sheet of paper, in 500 words or less, describe how your invention works and how it helped change the world.

4. Send your entry to: NCW

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