



American Society of Safety Engineers' Safety Suitcase

The "Safety Suitcase" is an educational kit you can use to teach 4th-6th grade students about occupational safety, health and the environment and the SH&E profession. You no longer have to worry about what to say or do when you are invited to speak at a school.

Here are some success stories from ASSE members who have used the Safety Suitcase:



ASSE Professional Member Kristin Herman (2008-2009 ASSE New Jersey Chapter President) presented the Safety Suitcase to students at Mountainview School and Tinc Road School, both in New Jersey. Here the classes are pictured wearing PPE.

Donald Krehely (2009-2010 ASSE Pensacola Chapter President) and Pam Perrich (ASSE Region IV Area Director) presented the Safety Suitcase to Julie Krehely's 3rd grade class at Cordova Park Elementary School in Florida on May 21, 2009. Perrich noted, "The kids just loved the whole program, and even the shyest of the kids was willing to offer an answer for the promise of a Starburst. You can see Julie, Donald's wife, is safe from most any hazard in the PPE from the suitcase. The kids were delighted that she was willing to dress up in all the PPE."

ASSE Professional Members Frank Gesualdo (2009-2010 ASSE New Jersey Chapter President) and Julie Park (ASSE NJ Chapter Member) presented the suitcase to students at Old York and Whitten Schools in NJ.



The "Safety Suitcase" includes: a guide, ice-breaker & PPE discussion, PowerPoint presentation, career role-playing game and Certificates of Completion for each child. To help us evaluate how the "Safety Suitcase" works, we also provide evaluation forms for you and the teachers to fill out and return to us.

If you'd like to get your hands on a "Safety Suitcase" please contact Pam Glinka, ASSE PR Assistant, at 847-768-3462, pglinka@asse.org or visit www.asse.org/newsroom/safetysuitcase/index.php to request a suitcase and materials.