

Poster Ideas

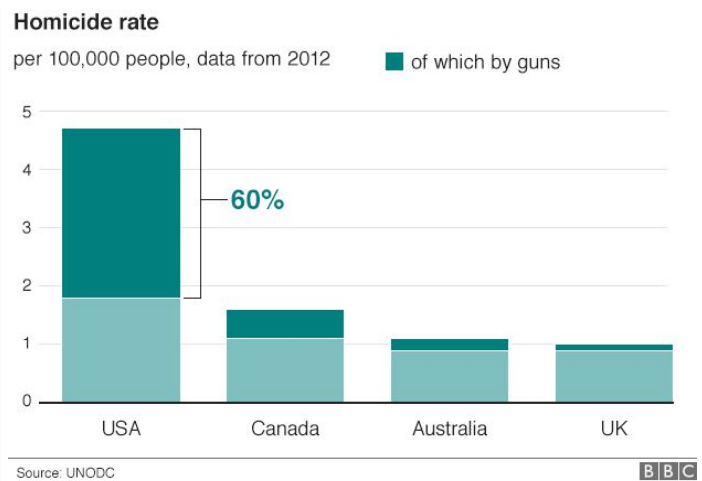
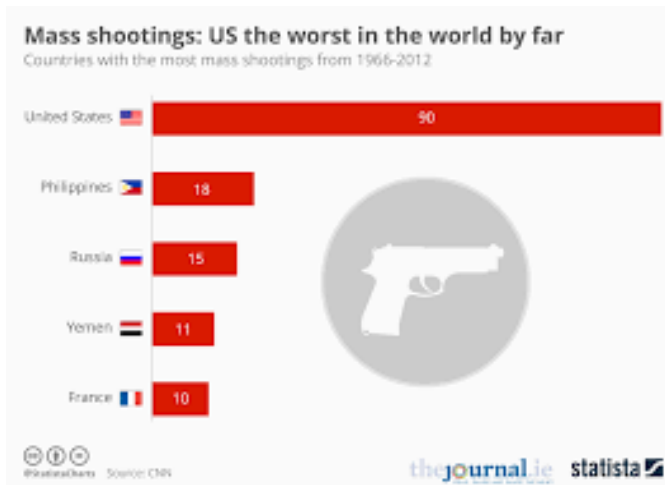
**Posters MUST be school appropriate and refrain from any hateful or vulgar speech. All posters must be approved before the event. We don't want our message to get lost!*

KEY PHRASES:

- We Stand With Stonewall Douglas
- We have a *right* to free speech, but an *obligation* to speak for what is right
- Time's have changed, Guns have changed, It's time WE changed
- End the Silence on Gun Violence
- Protect Kids, Not Guns
- #NeverAgain #MSDStrong
- Enough is Enough
- Am I next?
- Fear Has No Place in Our Schools
- Our Lives are MORE IMPORTANT than Your Guns
- We demand common sense gun laws
- Congress works for US, NOT the NRA
- Mass shootings ARE preventable
- We can be the generation to end gun violence

STRONG STATISTICS AND FACTS

- Investors Bet on Gun Sales After Mass Shootings to profit off of Tragedy
- Mass Shootings Spike Gun Sales
- In 2016, guns rights groups spent \$3.6 MILLION to support members of congress (Center for Responsive Politics)
- Find how much the NRA funds certain politicians
- 1,077 people have been killed in mass shootings in the U.S. since 1966 (Washington Post)
- The youngest victim of a U.S. mass shooting was 8-month-old Carlos Reyes (Washington Post)
- There were 372 mass shootings in the US in 2015, killing 475 people and wounding 1,870 (Mass Shooting Tracker)
- There have been 35 mass shootings in the U.S. in 2018. It's February. (Gun Violence Archive)
- Almost ALL mass shooters have a history of Domestic Violence
- Countries like Japan, Australia, UK, and Germany have stricter gun control laws, which has decreased gun violence. Gun control is proven to be effective! (The Guardian)



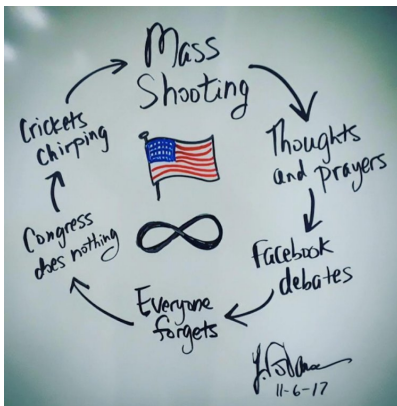
**If using facts or statistics, please note the source (doesn't have to be on poster) so we can fact check. Try to use reliable sources so your information is accurate. When in doubt, confirm your facts with multiple sources.*

POWERFUL MESSAGES

SANDY HOOK: AR-15
SAN BERNARDINO: AR-15
ORLANDO: AR-15
LAS VEGAS: AR-15
TEXAS CHURCH: AR-15

After *COLUMBINE*, we said NEVER AGAIN
 After *VIRGINIA TECH*, we said NEVER AGAIN
 After *SANDY HOOK*, we said NEVER AGAIN
 WHEN WILL IT BE NEVER AGAIN?

Powerful Images:



HELPFUL SITES:

<https://www.washingtonpost.com/graphics/2018/national/mass-shootings-in-america/>

<http://www.bbc.com/news/world-us-canada-34996604>

<http://www.gunviolencearchive.org/>

<https://www.justfacts.com/guncontrol.asp>

<https://www.theguardian.com/us-news/2016/mar/15/so-america-this-is-how-you-do-gun-control>