



22nd Annual Essay Contest

SAMPLE COVER PAGE

* Note: each submitted entry must have some form of a cover page attached to the essay with the following information.

Title of Essay _____

Author's Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip code _____

Phone Number () _____ **E-mail** _____

Date of Birth ____/____/____ Age _____ **Grade (youth)** _____

I certify that this essay represents the independent work of the author.

(Adult, Parent, or Guardian signature)

This bottom section needs to be filled out only by those students participating in a school setting.

School _____ Student Population _____

District _____

School Type: Public Private Charter Home School Other

School Address _____

School Phone Number () _____

I certify that the above information is accurate in all details.

(Teacher / Principal)

Word Count Criteria

Grades K, 1, 2, 3:	75 – 150 Words	Grades 10, 11, 12:	300 - 500 Words
Grades 4, 5, 6:	100 – 200 Words	Adults 18 to 24:	300 – 500 Words
Grades 7, 8, 9:	200 – 300 Words	Adults 25+:	300 – 500 words