

DSEA Student Contest Entry Form

Student name _____

Grade _____ School _____

School Phone Number _____

School District _____

Attached is my entry in

Writing Contest

Art Contest

Computer Graphic Contest

I certify that, although I may have received guidance from an adult, the work submitted was produced by me.

Print name _____

Signature _____

Teacher's name and signature

Print Name _____

Signature _____

Date _____

This form may be photocopied as needed.

*Attach this form to your entry and send to:
DSEA, 4135 Ogletown-Stanton Rd., Newark,
DE 19713, Attn: Human and Civil Rights
Celebration Task Force, or

DSEA, 136 E. Water St., Dover, DE 19901
Attn: Human and Civil Rights Celebration Task
Force

Deadline: See each contest for dates.

Computer Graphic Contest

Purpose: Students will celebrate We Are One, We Are Many through artistic expression. Works are to be based on how diverse groups work together to impact human and civil rights. **Art work must pertain to theme.**

Format: Entries are to be submitted in the category of *Multi-Media Computer Graphics*. Winners in this category **must submit their entries digitally** in a Powerpoint presentation with a maximum of 10 slides (including cover slide) and must advance automatically. All entries are to have the entry form affixed.

Art Contest

Purpose: Students will celebrate We Are One, We Are Many through artistic expression. Works are to be based on how diverse groups work together to impact human and civil rights. Entries must be original works. **Artwork must pertain to theme.**

Format: Entries are to be submitted in one of the following categories:

*Drawing** - including pencil, ink, charcoal, pastel and crayon

Mixed Media

Painting

Textile and Fiber

Sculpture

*Photography**

Jewelry and Metal

* These entries must be **fixed** and **matted**.

Eligibility: Both contests open to elementary, middle and high school students enrolled in Delaware public schools.

Entries in both contests are to be submitted by one or more of the following: for **K-4**, a teacher and/or parent; for **5-8**, a teacher and/or parent; for **9-12**, a student, teacher and/or parent.

Judging Criteria: Entries will be judged in three divisions: **K-4**, **5-8** and **9-12**.

Judges: The contest judges are active and retired members of the Association, as well as members of the Delaware arts community.

Deadline: All entries must be received by 4 p.m., **March 16, 2012** at one of the DSEA offices.

Awards in each division:

1st Place: \$100 gift and award

2nd Place: Merit award plaque

3rd Place: Honorable Mention plaque

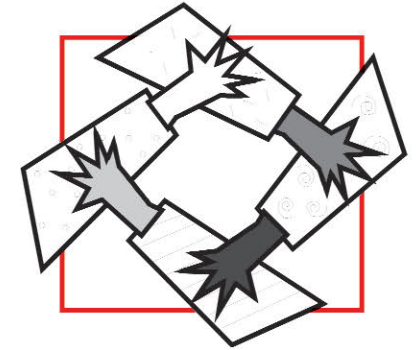
Presentation of Awards:

Human and Civil Rights Awards Dinner

May 15, 2012 at DSEA's *We Are One, We Are Many* at the Sheraton Inn in Dover.

All entrants will be notified of the winners in early April.

We Are One We Are Many



The Human and Civil Rights Student Contests

How diverse groups work together to impact human and civil rights 2012

For elementary, middle and high school students in Delaware public schools

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Delaware State Education Association
Moving Education Forward

Writing Contest

Purpose: Martin Luther King, Jr. left us a legacy of work for the equality of all people. This contest is designed to increase students' knowledge of how diverse groups work together to impact human and civil rights and enhance the quality of life in our diverse society.

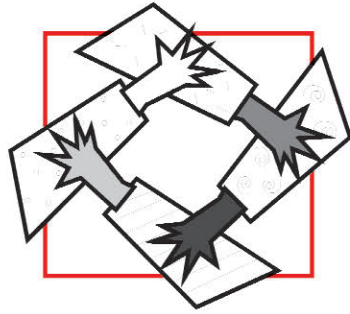
Topic: Any form of writing based on information about the life and times of any individual who has made an outstanding contribution to life in the field of human and civil rights. Such individuals might include, but are not limited to: Cesar Chavez, Mahatma Gandhi, Ben Nighthorse Campbell, W.E.B. DuBois, Golda Meir, Wilma Mankiller, Benjamin Hooks, Maya Angelou.

Format: All entries must include an alphabetical listing of works (internet sites, books, magazines, etc.) **researched** as well as any works **cited** (please use the MLA or APA style*) and – if appropriate – parenthetical citations within the text of the paper (e.g., title and page number).

It is not necessary to include "citations within the text" for poems and dramas. Please include an attached listing of all works researched – even if they are not cited - for whatever type of writing that is submitted.

American Psychological Association – www.indiana.edu/~wts/pamphlets/apa_style.shtml

Eligibility: This contest is open to Delaware public school students in grades 5 through 12. **Entries not meeting the format and eligibility requirements will be disqualified.**



Judging Criteria: Entries will be judged in two divisions: **Grades 5-8** and **Grades 9-12**. **Relevancy to the topic of this year's contest will be a prime factor for judging.** The judges will also look at logical organization of material, accuracy and analysis, with an emphasis on creativity. **The Delaware State Writing Standards will apply.**

Judges: The contest judges are members of the Association, both active and retired.

Deadline: All entries must be received by 4 p.m., **February 10, 2012** at one of the DSEA offices.

Awards in Each Division:

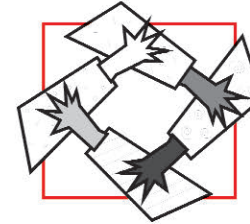
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