

ENTRY DEADLINE IS MIDNIGHT MARCH 2, 2009



Celebrate Texas student contests are held to promote awareness of Texas Independence Day, the history of Texas and its people and of course for fun and prizes.

CELEBRATE TEXAS 2009 ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ART CONTEST

The first-place winner in each district will have their winning entry custom framed, compliments of The Frame Corner, Austin, TX, and returned to the winners

The artwork must be on a plain sheet of 8 1/2" x 11" paper. This year's subject is **"Draw your favorite part of Texas history."** The student shall draw the picture by hand and color it as they see fit. Computer generated or three-dimensional art will not be accepted. The student is encouraged to label their art. The student's name **MUST NOT** be written on the artwork itself.

To enter, just clip out the Contest Entry Form, fill it out, checking the "Elementary Art Contest" block and attach it to the entry. Send the entry to the address on the entry form

CELEBRATE TEXAS 2009 MIDDLE SCHOOL ESSAY CONTEST

First, Second and Third place winners will receive prizes to be announced later on the Celebrate Texas website. The subject of this year's essay is **"Pick a small, unknown town near you and write about its history."** The essay must be on plain white 8 1/2" x 11", no longer than two pages in length. The entry should be typewritten using a typeface no smaller than 10pt. The work must be the student's original work; no copies of existing work shall be considered. The student's name **MUST NOT** be written on the essay itself.

To enter, just clip out the Contest Entry Form, fill it out, checking the "Middle School Essay Contest" block and attach it to the entry. Send the entry to the address on the entry form

HIGH SCHOOL ESSAY CONTEST

The four First place winners will be awarded a \$1,000 Scholarship (subject to the Scholarship Award Rules). Second and Third place winners will receive prizes to be announced later on the Celebrate Texas website.

The subject of this year's essay is **"What does Texas mean to my family and our future?"** The essay must be on plain white 8 1/2" x 11", no longer than two pages in length. The entry should be typewritten using a typeface no smaller than 10pt. The work must be the student's original work; no copies of existing work shall be considered. The student's name **MUST NOT** be written on the essay itself.

To enter, just clip out the Contest Entry Form, fill it out, checking the "High School Essay Contest" block and attach it to the entry. Send the entry to the address on the entry form

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CELEBRATE TEXAS STUDENT ENTRY FORM

PLEASE PRINT

STUDENT'S NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____, TX

ZIP _____

TELEPHONE
(_____) _____

ATTACHED IS MY ENTRY IN (CHECK ONE)

[] ELEMENTARY ART CONTEST

[] MIDDLE SCHOOL ESSAY CONTEST

[] HIGH SCHOOL ESSAY CONTEST

SCHOOL _____

GRADE _____

CITY _____, TX

ZIP _____

TELEPHONE () _____

RELEASE:

As the parent/guardian or teacher of the above-named student, I herewith give my permission for the student's entry into the contest indicated hereon. I also grant the contest sponsors the right to publish or display the entry.

Name _____
(Please print)

Signature _____

Mail entry to: Celebrate Texas
3005 S. Lamar, D-109, Box 360, Austin, TX 78704

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