



DAUPHIN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:
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2017 Cultural Celebration Essay Contest

Sponsored by the Dauphin County's Cultural Celebration Task Force and Human Services Department for students between the ages of 6 to 18.

The essay questions are as follows:

- Ages 6-10:** Share how diversity has played a role in your family, school, or community.
- Ages 11-14:** What are some challenges faced by different ethnic groups in your school or community? What can be done to help?
- Ages 15-18:** Describe a time when you had to adapt or embrace a culturally different environment. What were some positives and negatives you can share from that experience?

- ◆ Three winners will be chosen from each category, awarded cash prizes & recognized by the Dauphin County Commissioners.
- ◆ Essays should include the participant's name, school, grade, age, home address, home phone number and word count on the attached form.

This essay contest is open to any child in Dauphin County.

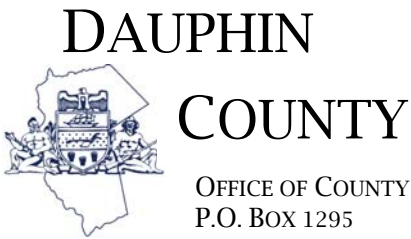
CATEGORIES:				
<u>AGE</u>	<u>WORD COUNT</u>	<u>1st PLACE</u>	<u>2nd PLACE</u>	<u>3rd PLACE</u>
6-10	75-150	\$ 60.00	\$30.00	\$25.00
11-14	150-250	\$100.00	\$50.00	\$40.00
15-18	250-500	\$140.00	\$65.00	\$40.00

**The entry deadline is 4 p.m. on
Friday, May 19, 2017**

Essays should be mailed or delivered to:
Dauphin County Administration Building
Dept. of Human Resources, Attn: Faye Fisher
2 S. Second Street, 5th Floor
Harrisburg, PA 17101

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Contact Information Form

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Name: _____

School: _____

Grade: _____ **Age:** _____

Home Address: _____

Home Phone Number: _____

Please provide a phone number where the student can be reached by Dauphin County over the summer.

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