



Official Submission Form

Deadline: Thursday, March 24, 2016

Call the Lafayette Public Library for more information:
(337) 261-5787 or go to LafayettePublicLibrary.org

Submission Guidelines:

- The contest is open to students in grades K-12 who reside in Lafayette Parish or in the surrounding parishes: Acadia, Iberia, St. Landry, St. Martin and Vermilion.
- Entry form and submission must be turned in by Thursday, March 24, 2016 to any of the nine Lafayette Public Library locations. Please paperclip the entry form to the submission and do not write your name on the submission.
- Students may submit their own original unpublished work (in English or in French) in only one of the following genres: Poetry, Fiction or Nonfiction.
- Submission should be double-spaced, 12-point font with numbered pages and title or work on each page.
- Only K-6 grade students may enter using a paper submission. 7-12 grade students must submit using the online form at LafayettePublicLibrary.org.
- First, second and third place winners will be notified in late April before the award ceremonies in May. High School Awards Ceremony will take place on Thursday, May 5, 2016 at 6:30 PM followed by a reading with YA book author Alys Arden at 7:15 PM. Elementary and Middle Schools Awards Ceremony will take place on Saturday, May 7, 2016 at 10:00 AM.

Please Note:

One entry per person will be accepted. A poetry entry may include 1-3 poems, all submitted with one form. Please make sure to remove your name, your teacher's name and your school name from your submitted work.

Name _____ Age _____ Phone _____

E-mail address _____ School _____

Grade Category (circle one) K-2 3-4 5-6 7-8 9-10 11-12 *

(*7-12 graders must submit using the online form)

Poetry (1-3 poems, 100 lines total)

Fiction (K-6 graders: max 750 words)

Nonfiction (K-6 graders: max 750 words)

Title of submission(s) _____

I, _____, grant permission to the Lafayette Public Library and to the University of Louisiana at Lafayette to publish this work on the Internet or in any format they choose.

Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____