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COLLEGE AWARENESS MONTH

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ART, ESSAY, & POETRY CONTEST

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COLLEGE AWARENESS MONTH IS OCTOBER!

Planning for college can begin as early as Kindergarten! Through College Awareness Month, the CollegeBound Foundation, Baltimore City Public Schools and their partners help parents and teachers begin the process of raising college awareness among Baltimore's future achievers.

This free art, essay and poetry/spoken word contest is for Baltimore City Public School students in Kindergarten through 8th grade. The contest produces 27 winners (1st, 2nd and 3rd place in each grade group -- K-2, 3-5, 6-8 -- in each category of Art, Essay, and Poetry.)

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Entry Requirements

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ART

Entries must be no smaller than 8½" x 11" paper, and no larger than 18" x 24". The unlined paper must be white or off-white, paper. Any art media, such as crayons, markers, watercolors, tempera or pastels, may be used to create the art design. Words must be hand-written.

**Art entries must be flat; (three-dimensional entries will not be accepted).*

ESSAY

8½" x 11" paper, not to exceed 250 words. Typed and hand-written entries are accepted.

POETRY/SPOKEN WORD

8½" x 11" paper, not to exceed 100 words. Typed and hand-written entries are accepted.
Spoken Word video, not to exceed 60 seconds. Send video entries to Janae Stackhouse at jstackhouse@collegeboundfoundation.org.

For more information call (410) 783-2905 or visit www.collegeboundfoundation.org.

ENTRY FORM

ONE ENTRY PER STUDENT. An incomplete form will be disqualified from the contest.

Return this completed form with the original entry to:

PLEASE CHECK ONE:

ART ESSAY POETRY/SPOKEN WORD

CAM Contest Coordinator
CollegeBound Foundation
2601 N. Howard Street, Suite 210
Baltimore, MD 21218

Student Name: _____ DOB: _____

Home Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

School Name: _____

Teacher's Name: _____ Grade: _____

My signature below indicates that I authorize CollegeBound Foundation (CBF) and Baltimore City Public Schools (BCPS) to use this contest entry, entered by my child. I also agree that CBF and BCPS may identify my child by name. If photographs are taken and/or an interview conducted with my child, CBF and BCPS may publish them. CBF and BCPS shall not owe us compensation in any form for the use of my child's name, photo(s) or contest entry.

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____

Daytime Phone: _____

Evening Phone: _____

Contest Rules

1. The entry must be an original design created by a student attending a Baltimore City public school Kindergarten through 8th grade.
2. Contest entries are accepted from September 1, 2022 through October 3, 2022.
3. Entries should reflect a theme associated with "WITH COLLEGE, I CAN...".
4. Prizes will be awarded for each of the three categories: Art, Essay and Poetry/Spoken Word in each of the three grade groups: K-2, 3-5, and 6-8.
5. Winners will be notified by phone on or about October 27, 2022 and are encouraged to attend the awards ceremony at The National Aquarium in Baltimore on Thursday, November 10, 2022 to receive their prizes.
6. By entering this contest, winners hereby grant Baltimore City Public Schools, CollegeBound Foundation and their agents permission, without further compensation, to use winners' names, likenesses, photographs, film, voice recordings, and images for marketing purposes.
7. Entries will not be returned.
8. Winners agree to all rules by entering this contest. Prizes are non-transferable. No prize substitution will be made. Prizes can not be mailed. Odds of winning depend upon the number of entries received.
9. CollegeBound Foundation operates this contest. All decisions are final. For a list of winners, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to:
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Attn: CAM Contest Coordinator.
10. This contest is subject to all local, state, and federal laws and regulations and is void where prohibited.