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BILL OF RIGHTS CONTEST

\$500 CASH PRIZE!

Open to all elementary, middle, and high school students in Arkansas, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, and Wisconsin

**CONTEST OPEN:
OCTOBER 1 - OCTOBER 31, 2020**

**VIRTUAL AWARD EVENT ON
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2020
6:00PM CST**

Submit your essay, poem, video, photograph, song, or piece of art on the importance of the Bill of Rights and its meaning for you

Email submissions to:
EducationTeam@ca8.uscourts.gov

HOW TO ENTER THE CONTEST



Email your project as a document, file, or photo if artwork.

Include the following information in your email:

- Your full name (do not write your name on your actual entry)
- Grade level
- County and state of residence
- School (or note if homeschooled)
- Teacher who told you about it, if it was a teacher

Include your parent or guardian on the email, or have them send it for you.



Register and mark your calendar for the live, virtual family event on WED DEC 2 at 6 PM. Grand prize winners will be announced at the event. Must be present to win.

Register here: <https://forms.gle/VTbgM5LEgZJPFegY8>

Even if you don't choose to enter the contest, all are welcome for the interactive event. Hear from federal judges and attorneys to learn more about the Bill of Rights in action. Valuable prizes will be awarded!

Limit essays to no more than 500 words.

Limit videos to 3-5 minutes or less.

All entries must be the original work of the student.

Semi-finalists will be notified before Thanksgiving.

Grand prize winners will be announced at the event on Wed Dec 2.

