



DAUPHIN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:

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# 2021 Cultural Celebration Essay Contest

The essay questions are as follows:

**Ages 6-10:**

What are some things you can do to spread kindness to diverse ethnic groups during the COVID pandemic?

**Ages 11-14:**

How can we overcome the isolation of the COVID pandemic and promote diversity and inclusion?

**Ages 15-18:**

The COVID pandemic continues to impact everyone – of all ethnicities – across the nation. How has the pandemic positively impacted unity among people, communities, and nations?

- ◆ 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>1<sup>st</sup> PLACE</u>	<u>2<sup>nd</sup> PLACE</u>	<u>3<sup>rd</sup> 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 21, 2021.**

**Essays should be emailed to  
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mailed/delivered to:**

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