

DUVAL COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS PRESENTS
**THE HISPANIC
HERITAGE MONTH
ESSAY CONTEST**
IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE JAGUARS FOUNDATION



CONTEST OPEN
6 (3:00 PM) - OCTOBER 14 (12:00 PM)
ALL 4TH-12TH GRADERS

ESSAY GUIDELINES

- x Must be written about a living person of hispanic/Latinx heritage from the Jacksonville community who has made a significant contribution in one of the following areas:
 - o Medicine
 - o The Arts (visual, music, theater, etc.)
 - o Politics
 - o Law
 - o Education
 - o Business
 - o Literature
 - o Science
- x Must be one page written in Spanish or English, typed, and double spaced with one inch margins, using 12 point Calibri font.
- x Must include a title page containing the name of this contest, name of the essay student name, teacher name, school name, and parent contact information.
- x Must include a bibliography using MLA or APA format for all sources including interviews. Failure to credit sources is plagiarism and will result in disqualification.
- x Please read the rubric carefully to understand how your essay will be judged.
- x Must turn

WINNERS
ELEMENTARY
1 MIDDLE SCHOOL
1 HIGH SCHOOL

PRIZES
JAGUARS TICKETS CUSTOM JAG
JERSEY JAGUARS SWAG BOX
CEREMONY IN NCHE AND MORE!

SUBMISSIONS
OCTOBER 14 BY 5:00 PM

WINNERS ANNOUNCED OCTOBER 16

MUST BE EMAILED FROM TEACHERS:

4th-5th to Ms. Rodriguez
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6th-8th to Ms. R. Jernigan
JerniganR@duvalschools.org

9th-12th to Ms. Karina Montes
Santiago
montes_santiagok@duvalschools.org

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
QUESTIONS
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DIRECTOR
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RELEASE—DCPS Production (Student)

I hereby authorize the videotaping/filming/photography of my child, _____, and/or the release of his/her name and achievement(s) for educational and other bona fide related purposes. I also consent to the showing of the video/film/photographs to any person. In addition, I authorize the use of the videotape/film/photographs and/or other information in printed, visual or audio media for presentations by Duval County Public Schools without further consent from me. I agree that such images shall be the property of Duval County Public Schools.

Parent Signature

Print Name of Parent

Date