



Indiana Arts Festival

Essay Contest

Deadline: January 31

Application Procedure for ALL STUDENTS grades 1-12:

- Go to www.indianaartsfestival.org
- Click on the Application Tab
- Click on the link to the Google Form and fill out completely.
- <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeRwbQvq0KYSIltIS2gIOVNRpUNwAgsPBblsHPZvl-xfC2W9w/viewform>
- Upload your essay in **PDF format**.

Requirements:

Essays must be less than 500 words.

Essays will be judged following a yearly theme. The theme is posted on the IAF website.

Please include student's name and district (Festival area) on the essay.

You will only have **one opportunity** to submit essay, so please be sure it is your final draft. Your Area Chairperson will receive an email with confirmation that your essay was received as well as the score.

Entries and essays must be received by the January 31 deadline.

Fees & Prizes:

The Essay Event has no fee at the state level.

Students will pay an entry fee at the time of festival entry as they will for their solos, duets, theory, etc.

An award of \$50 will be presented to the State Winner in the group Grades 1-6, as well as the State Winner in the group grades 7-12.