



GRAND LODGE FRATERNAL COMMITTEE



AMERICANISM ESSAY CONTEST

Challenging young, inquisitive minds to explore American Values!

2026-2027 THEME

**“Explain a Constitutional Right
or Privilege and How It Affects
You and Your Family.”**

WHO CAN ENTER?

Students in grades 5–8
(4 separate divisions)

ESSAY LENGTH

300 words maximum
(typed or neatly handwritten)

PRIZES (per division)

- 1st Place – \$1,000
- 2nd Place – \$500
- 3rd Place – \$250

DEADLINE

December 1st
(to your Administrator)



The contest progresses from local lodges to district and state levels,
with national winners named at the Grand Lodge Session
in Denver, Colorado in July 2027.

*This is a great opportunity for students to share their thoughts
on American values and the responsibilities of citizenship!*

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