



STUDENT COMPETITION

**THE SCHOOL WITH THE
MOST ENTRIES WINS \$100!**

Attendance Requirements:

- Students must attend the Fair to obtain information for the Essay Competition.
- Students do not need to attend the Fair to enter the Blue Ribbon Competition.

Eligibility:

- Competitions are open to all students in kindergarten through sixth grade.
- Students may enter with their class or individually.

Entry Form:

- Entry form must be affixed to the back- not front- of entries or all information requested must be typed or legibly printed on the back of entries.
- Entries without all information on the back will be disqualified.
- An entry form and blue ribbon form are attached and may be copied as needed.

Deadline:

- Entries must be postmarked or hand delivered on or before 3:00 p.m. on Monday, October 3rd, 2016
- No late entries will be accepted. No exceptions can be made!

Notification of Winners:

- Winners will be notified by mail at their home address.
- Teachers with student winners will be notified at the school address with the names of winners.

Student Awards:

- Winners will receive an award certificate and ribbon from the Utah State Fair plus door prizes awarded by our sponsors.
- Awards will go to first through third place and two honorable mentions in each grade for each competition.

School Award:

- The school with the most cumulative entries wins \$100 to be used for its school library.
- Winning schools principal will be notified.

Award Ceremony:

- Awards will be presented at the annual Student Competition Awards Ceremony on Wednesday, November 2nd, 2016 at the Utah State Fairpark. Awards will be mailed to winners not present.

STUDENT COMPETITION RULES

Please read carefully and follow all rules.

Essay Competition:

(Students must attend the 2016 Utah State Fair to compete in this contest)

Kindergarten—Third Grades:

- On a standard white sheet of paper, draw and color a picture of your fun learning experience at the Fair.
- Remember to use only one experience.
- On the front of your picture, write (or have an adult write) one sentence explaining why this was a fun learning experience.
- Pictures without text will be disqualified.

Fourth– Sixth Grades:

- Write an essay (no longer than one page in length, one sided) about your favorite experience at the Fair and why. Try to focus on one particular experience.

Entries will be judged on grade level, students ability to focus on one experience and the details of why they chose the experience.

Blue Ribbon Contest:

(Fair attendance is not required for this contest)

Kindergarten- Third Grades:

- Imagine you have won a blue ribbon. Draw and color a picture of what you did to win it. Then write (or have an adult write) one sentence explaining the activity or project you completed to win the blue ribbon.
- Pictures without text will be disqualified.
- Please use the form that is provided.

Fourth– Sixth Grades:

- Imagine you have won a blue ribbon. Draw a picture of what you did to win it. Then write a short story explaining the activity or project you completed to win the blue ribbon.
- Stories without drawings will be disqualified.
- Please use the form that is provided.

Entries will be judged on grade level and the students creative thinking.

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ESSAY AND BLUE RIBBON STUDENT COMPETITION ENTRY FORM

Please make sure entry form is filled out completely and affixed to the back of the entry. Illegible entries or entries with incomplete information on the back will be disqualified.

Print clearly and affix to back of entry.

COMPETITION: _____

STUDENT NAME: _____

STUDENT GRADE: _____

STUDENT ADDRESS: _____

CITY AND ZIP CODE: _____

STUDENTS PHONE NUMBER: _____

SCHOOL NAME: _____

TEACHERS NAME: _____

PRINCIPAL'S NAME: _____

SCHOOL ADDRESS: _____

CITY AND ZIP CODE: _____

SCHOOL PHONE NUMBER: _____

Please return to:

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