



Junior Orange Bowl

In partnership with the
South Florida Writers Association



present the

2019 CREATIVE WRITING CONTEST

**Students: 1st Place Winning Essay receives:
\$750 in cash and prizes**

2nd place wins \$500 and 3rd place wins \$250.

Winning Teachers receive: 1st: \$350, 2nd: \$250, 3rd: \$150.

THEME:

"Vaping has been found to be harmful. How can I help a friend who is vaping?"

Awards Ceremony

February 9, 2020
2:00 – 4:00 pm

Books & Books
265 Aragon Avenue
Coral Gables, Florida 33134

Contest rules:

1. Open to 8th grade students in Miami-Dade, Broward, Palm Beach and Monroe counties. One entry per student. Entries may not exceed 500 words, 12-point type. Essays are limited to 10 per school, as selected by the teacher.
2. Creative Writing essays must be received by **December 15, 2019 (postmark date)**.
3. The top 10 contest finalists will be invited to attend the Awards Ceremony. Of the finalists, three winning essays will be selected by a team of judges based on the following criteria: attention to theme, originality and depth of meaning.



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ENTRY FORM

Name of Contestant

Teacher

School

Parent / Guardian Name

Parent / Guardian Signature

Telephone

Parent E-mail

Mandatory Release:

IN CONSIDERATION of your accepting this entry, we, parent(s) and/or guardians and contestant, jointly and severally, and intending to legally bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, do hereby waive, release and discharge the Junior Orange Bowl, Inc., the Cities and Counties of event venues, the owners and manager of any public and/or private sports, recreation, or other facility used for the Junior Orange Bowl events, all Junior Orange Bowl Festival sponsors, all Junior Orange Bowl members, staff and volunteers, individual coaches, instructors, supervisors, or supervising or coordinating organizations and all of the above members, agents, employees, representatives, successors, and assigns from any and all liability and/or claims for illness, injuries and damage that may arise directly or indirectly as a result of contestant's participation in any Junior Orange Bowl event or, of contestant's travel to and from event venues.

Consent for Media Productions:

We, parent(s) and/or guardians and contestant, hereby grant full consent to the Junior Orange Bowl, for the free use of contestant's photograph or name in any broadcast, telecast, publication or other account of any of the Junior Orange Bowl practices, events and travel, for any purpose whatsoever.

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