



Nèg Mawon
Port-au-Prince, Haiti



2018

Haitian Heritage Month

Ansanm Nou Se Youn
We Are One

May 1 - May 31

NorthMiamiFL.gov/Celebrate

Celebrating the Past, Present and Future

Middle and High School Essay Criteria:

Haitian-Americans have played many roles in shaping today's America, some known and some unknown. Identify an aspect of these contributions that impact our community or modern society.

Elementary Schools Essay Criteria:

Name a Haitian-American that inspires you. Explain your reasons.

RULES:

- The contest is open to students in 4th - 12th grades.
- Essays must be original, 300 - 500 words, typed, double-spaced, on white paper and in the contestant's own words.
- No photos or illustrations allowed with the essay.
- Student's name, grade level and school name must appear at the top of each page.
- All entries MUST be accompanied by an original entry form.
- All participants MUST have a Public Library card.

DEADLINE: Friday, May 11, 2018, at 5 p.m.

All essays must be delivered to the North Miami Public Library
835 NE 132 Street, North Miami, FL 33161

WINNERS will be announced

and must be present at the
City of North Miami's
Haitian Flag Day Celebration
Friday, May 18, 2018, 6 p.m.
MOCA Plaza, 770 NE 125 Street, North Miami, FL 33161



ESSAY AWARD CATEGORIES

Elementary School Contestants

- First Place - \$150
- Second Place - \$125
- Third Place - \$100

Middle School Contestants

- First Place - \$150
- Second Place - \$125
- Third Place - \$100

High School Contestants

- First Place - \$150
- Second Place - \$125
- Third Place - \$100

Sponsored by



WEISS SEROTA HELFMAN
COLE & BIERMAN
AT THE CROSSROADS OF BUSINESS, GOVERNMENT & THE LAW



MARLON A. HILL, ESQ



Nèg Mawon
Port-au-Prince, Haiti



2018 Haitian Heritage Month

Ansanm Nou Se Youn
We Are One

May 1 - May 31
NorthMiamiFL.gov/Celebrate

Haitian Heritage Month Essay Contest

Official Entry Form

DEADLINE: Friday, May 11, 2018, at 5 p.m. No Exceptions!!!

WINNERS will be announced and must be present at the City of North Miami's Haitian Flag Day Celebration Friday, May 18, 2018, 6 p.m. MOCA Plaza, 770 NE 125 Street, North Miami, FL 33161

Printed Name: _____ Grade: _____

Title of Entry: _____ Age: _____

Home Address: _____ City: _____ Zip Code: _____

Parents Name: _____ Parent's Daytime Phone Number: _____

Parent's Email Address: _____ Additional Phone Number: _____

Name of School: _____

Parental Release and Understanding

I, the undersigned, am the legal parent/guardian of _____. I give the sponsors of the North Miami Public Library 2018 Haitian Heritage Month Essay Contest permission to use the entry, photographs, video and/or likeness of my child in connection with advertising, promotions, publicity or news coverage of this event/competition. In doing so, I understand this information will be open to the public view. Additionally, this is my child's original work; and I fully understand the rules of this contest and have reviewed them with my child.

Printed Name of Parent

Signature of Parent

Date

Library Use Only

Public Library Card: Yes No

Name/Branch of Library _____ Verified By _____

Stay connected.
NorthMiamiFL.gov



SPONSORS:



WEISS SEROTA HELFMAN
COLE & BIERMAN
AT THE CROSSROADS OF BUSINESS, GOVERNMENT & THE LAW



MARLON A. HILL, ESQ