

MAINE STUDENT WRITING CONTEST

PROMPT: **SHARE ABOUT
A TEACHER WHO MADE
A POSITIVE DIFFERENCE IN
YOUR DAY, WEEK, YEAR, OR LIFE.**



Winners will receive an Amazon gift card

K-2nd grade—\$100 Winner, \$50 Honorable Mention

3rd-5th grade—\$100 Winner, \$50 Honorable Mention

6th-8th grade—\$100 Winner, \$50 Honorable Mention

9th-12th grade—\$100 Winner, \$50 Honorable Mention

Contest Rules:

Any style of writing (essay, narrative, comic strip, illustration, mixed media collage, poetry)

Maximum of 600 words

Scoring Criteria:

Evidence, Voice, and Emotional Impact

Disclaimer:

The decision of the judges' panel is final.

Submitting an essay allows MCSTOYA and/or MCELA to share the writing submission or lines from the writing submission through their social media channels without identifying the specific student. Use of student names will only occur if specific permission is granted by the student and parent/guardian.

**DEADLINE:
JANUARY 13, 2023**

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