GOVERNOR’S SCHOLARS AWARD PROGRAM
Student Essay and Signature Page – Please Print

Student Essay
Instructions for School Official:

✓ DO NOT RELEASE THE TOPIC OF THE ESSAY UNTIL ACTUAL ADMINISTRATION.
✓ A counselor or administrator must administer this task in a controlled setting.
✓ Nominee is not to receive any writing assistance to complete the essay.
✓ Nominee is not permitted to use resources/research the topic.
✓ Time allotted is one hour (timed), including planning.

Instructions for Student: Compose an essay on the following topic.

If you were elected president in 2016, what issue would be at the top of your agenda to address in your first 100 days, and why?

✓ You have one hour (timed) to complete your essay.
✓ The essay must be word processed, font size 12 and attached to this signature page.
✓ Make sure your name and your school’s name are at the top of the essay.
✓ Sign below attesting that:
  • you have not received any writing assistance
  • you have not used any resources/researched the topic
  • your essay was completed within the one hour time limit at school
  • you had no prior knowledge of the topic.

I certify that I received no assistance in writing the attached essay.

Print Nominee’s Name ___________________________ Signature ___________________________
Print Proctor’s Name ___________________________ Signature ___________________________
Date ___________ Start Time ___________ End Time ___________

Print Counselor’s Name ___________________________ Signature ___________________________

As Principal, I attest that I have reviewed this application upon its completion. It is ACCURATE and has all signatures and all materials noted in checklist above, and the selected student is in the top 5% of his/her class.

Print Principal’s Name ___________________________ Signature ___________________________

CHECKLIST:

___ 1. Official transcript (with raised seal or school stamp, no photo copies)
___ 2. First semester junior year courses with grades
___ 3. Original student essay, typed
___ 4. School’s Profile
___ 5. This Signature Page

Please refer all questions regarding the application process to:
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