

VETERANS DAY



STUDENT ESSAY CONTEST

THE AMERICAN DREAM

The Mission of the Clovis Veterans Memorial District is to provide a permanent living memorial honoring U.S. Military and Veterans; provide facilities and support programs to promote a legacy of service for preserving our community's and country's foundational ideals.

Intermediate school students are invited to write and submit an essay around the theme: "1776: The American Dream."

Essay Prompt:

Write an essay that is 2-4 pages in length around this year's theme. When writing your essay, think about the following questions:

- What events occurred in 1776?
- What is the duty of a citizen?
- What is the American Dream?
- What is the responsibility of every generation to realize the American Dream?

**DEADLINE FOR ENTRIES:
SEPTEMBER 30, 2021**

REQUIREMENTS:

- 2-4 pages in length
- Typed or handwritten
- Attach Entry Form to front of your essay

HOW TO ENTER:

Submit your essay with Entry Form to:
Clovis Veterans Memorial District
808 Fourth Street
Clovis, CA 93612 • 559.299.0471

Awards will be given for:
Grand Prize, Overall & Each Grade Level:
1st Place
2nd Place
3rd Place

**WINNERS WILL BE NOTIFIED MONDAY, OCTOBER 11TH
THROUGH YOUR SCHOOL'S MAIN OFFICE.**

TEACHERS:

Our provided curriculum guide can be used to talk to your class about the history of Veterans Day and introduce them to this year's theme: "1776: The American Dream."

To view the curriculum guide, scan the QR Code below.



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