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# **Smyrna Scholars Essay Competition**







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#### SMYRNA EDUCATION FOUNDATION

### **SMYRNA SCHOLARS ESSAY COMPETITION**

#### **SUMMARY**

The goal of the Smyrna Education Foundation Smyrna Scholars Essay Competition is to provide students attending Campbell Middle School, Griffin Middle School, and Campbell High School the opportunity to showcase their writing abilities.

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This competition was created to reflect our commitment to the Smyrna community and its students.

## What two (2) financial habits will help you be successful in the future?

- Open to students attending Campbell Middle School, Griffin Middle School, and Campbell High School in Smyrna, Georgia.
- 2. All entries must be 1,000 words or less and submitted in .pdf format and sent electronically via email to <u>info@smyrnaeducationfoundation.org</u> for consideration.
- 3. Awards are based on clarity and merit of submitted essays not financial need.
- 4. One (1) \$500 and one (1) \$250 award will be given to a student from Campbell High School.
  One (1) \$250 and one (1) \$125 award will be given to a student from Campbell Middle School.
  One (1) \$250 and one (1) \$125 award will be given student from Griffin Middle School.
- 5. Award funds are paid by the Smyrna Education Foundation directly to the student.
- The six (6) award recipients will be notified by the Smyrna Education Foundation on or before May 15, 2023.

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## **2023 APPLICATION INFORMATION**

#### SMYRNA SCHOLARS ESSAY COMPETITION

## What two (2) financial habits will help you be successful in the future?

The Smyrna Education Foundation's Smyrna Scholars Essay Competition is fully funded thanks to the generosity of Smyrna Education Foundation Donors, SouthState Bank, Board Members, and Advisory Board members.

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#### **Conditions of Award**

Open to students attending Campbell Middle School, Griffin Middle School, and Campbell High School in Smyrna, Georgia. Recipients will be named solely based on the submitted essay; family financial need is not a consideration.

#### Award Submission

A completed 1,000 word or less essay submission must be received by April 15, 2023, at 5:00pm. All submissions should be submitted in .pdf format via email to info@smyrnaeducationfoundation.org.

Winners will be announced on or before May 15, 2023.

#### Award Value

Prizes are awarded annually. One (1) \$500 award and one (1) \$250 award will be given to students from Campbell High School. One (1) \$250 award and one (1) \$125 award will be given to students from Campbell Middle School. One (1) \$250 award and one (1) \$125 award will be given to students from Griffin Middle School. The funds will be sent directly to the recipient.

## **SMYRNA SCHOLARS ESSAY COMPETITION**

APPLICATION

## What two (2) financial habits will help you be successful in the future?

Date Submitted:
Name:
School:
Grade:
Email:
School Address:
Counselor's Name:

\*Send your completed essay in .pdf format along with this application form to <u>info@smyrnaeducationfoundation.org</u> no later than 5:00pm on April 15, 2023.

## PRESS RELEASE

THE SMYRNA EDUCATION FOUNDATION SMYRA SCHOLARS ESSAY COMPETITION

### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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The Smyrna Education Foundation announces that it will be accepting applications from Campbell Middle School, Griffin Middle School, and Campbell High School students for The Smyrna Scholars Essay Competition. Entrants will submit a 1,000 word or less essay on the topic - What two (2) financial habits will help you be successful in the future? Entries must be received by 5:00pm on Friday, April 15, 2023, for consideration.

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This essay contest reflects the Smyrna Education Foundation's commitment to the Smyrna community and its students. Six (6) awards are to be given this year.

Campbell High School One (1) \$500 award and one (1) \$250 award Campbell Middle School One (1) \$250 award and one (1) \$125 award Griffin Middle School One (1) \$250 award and one (1) \$125 award

The awards are not based on financial need. Winners will be announced on or before May 15, 2023. Applications are available through the three local schools or online at smyrnaeducationfoundation.org. Contact Smyrna Education Foundation at info@smyrnaeducationfoundation.org for more information.