

ALL PRINCIPALS/APs/TEACHERS: Social Sciences – 2017 Black History Essay Contest Winners  
*Category: For Your Information*

**Audience:** All Principals/APs, All Teachers

Due Date: n/a

Meeting Date: n/a

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To announce the winners of the 2017 Black History Essay Contest.

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- The Department of Social Sciences is pleased to announce the winners of the 2017 Black History Essay Contest Winners:
    - **Senior High School:**
    - **1st place:** ***Jane Cohen***, 9th grade student, iPrepatory Academy, Mr. Alberto M. Carvalho, Principal
    - **2nd place:** ***Franchesca Bellevu***, 11th grade student, William H. Turner Technical Arts High School, Mr. Uwezo B. Frazier, Principal
    - **3rd place:** ***Tyson Reifenberg***, 9th grade student, Law Enforcement Officers' Memorial High School, Mr. David T. Ladd, Principal
    - **Middle School:**
    - **1st place:** ***Abigail Li***, 7th grade student, iPrepatory Academy, Mr. Alberto M. Carvalho, Principal
    - **2nd place:** ***Tyreisha Lampley***, 7th grade student, Georgia Jones-Ayers Middle, Mr. Bernard O. Edwards, Principal
    - **3rd place:** ***Jacob Wienants***, 8th grade student, Palmetto Middle, Mr. Jesus Gonzalez, Principal
    - **Elementary School Grades 3-5:**
    - **1st place:** ***Lauren Velez***, 3rd grade student, Downtown Doral Charter Elementary, Ms. Jeanette Acevedo, Principal
    - **2nd place:** ***Ruby Rollason***, 3rd grade student, Pinecrest Elementary, Ms. Lynn M. Zaldua, Principal
    - **3rd place:** ***Omarion Hudson***, 5th grade student, Agenoria S. Paschal/Olinda Elementary, Ms. Jennifer D. Savigne, Principal
    - **Elementary School Grades K-2:**
    - **1st place:** ***Jazlyn Quintero***, 2nd grade student, Twin Lakes Elementary, Ms. Ivette Bernal-Pino, Principal
    - **2nd place:** ***Nevaeh Gaitor***, 1st grade student, Eneida Massas Hartner Elementary, Dr. Derick R. McKoy, Principal
    - **3rd place:** ***Ronald L. Castro***, 2nd grade student, Royal Palm Elementary, Ms. Marta Garcia, Principal

- **Winners will be awarded the following prizes:**
  - Separate first, second, and third place prizes will be awarded in the senior high school (9-12) and middle school (6-8) categories as follows:
    - 1st place:** \$200.00 U.S. Currency
    - 2nd place:** \$100.00 U.S. Currency
    - 3rd place:** \$ 50.00 U.S. Currency
  - Separate first, second, and third place prizes will be awarded in the elementary school (3-5) and (K-2) categories as follows:
    - 1st place:** \$100.00 Gift Card and Framed Certificate
    - 2nd place:** \$ 50.00 Gift Card and Framed Certificate
    - 3rd place:** \$ 30.00 Gift Card and Framed Certificate
- Should you have questions or need additional information, please contact Mr. Robert C. Brazofsky, Executive Director, Department of Social Sciences, [rbrazofsky@dadeschools.net](mailto:rbrazofsky@dadeschools.net) or see the contact information shown below.

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