



PHILADELPHIA
BAR ASSOCIATION

EDWARD F. CHACKER ESSAY CONTEST

\$1,000 College Scholarship
to a Philadelphia High School Senior
(Public, Private, Parochial or Charter School)
who writes the Winning Essay on:

If you were chosen to advise soon-to-be United States Citizens at their Naturalization Ceremony, what would you tell them their responsibilities are as United States Citizens? Why are these responsibilities important?

Essays will be judged on merit, with adherence to the above theme being a significant criterion for judging. Essays should be typed or printed legibly and should be **AT LEAST 1,000 WORDS**.

Essay titles will not count against the word limit. You may be invited to the Philadelphia Bar Association's offices in Center City Philadelphia for an interview. Financial need will be considered.

Please include your name, address, telephone number and school on a cover sheet accompanying your essay.

The winner of the Essay Contest will be awarded a \$1,000 scholarship for college.

All Entries Must Be Received by Friday, April 10, 2009 at Noon.

MAIL essays to:

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The winner will be invited to receive the award at the Naturalization Ceremony at the Federal Courthouse in Philadelphia during the week of April 27, 2009.

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