

# Competition Guidelines

- (1) Eligible students must be currently enrolled in Grade 9-12
- (2) One entry per student.
- (3) There is no minimum or maximum word-count or length for submissions. Suggested length is between 500 and 2000 words
- (4) Submissions must be the student's own original work.
- (5) Submissions must be typed and double-spaced, and proofread thoroughly.
- (6) All judges decisions are final.
- (7) The competition deadline is **March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2017.**
- (8) Please print out and Mail a hard copy of your essay to:

Cohn-Haddow Center for Judaic Studies  
2311 Faculty/Admin. Building  
656 W. Kirby  
Detroit, MI 48202

Mailed in essays must be postmarked by March 1st, 2017

- (9) Please complete the entry form and attach it to your submission.

## Suggested Topics and Themes

- “What does it mean to be Jewish in the 21st Century?”
- “Lessons from Jewish History that are Relevant Today”
- “There is more than one way to be Jewish”
- “The Jewish Family is an Essential Feature of Jewish Life”
- “Jews have survived as a People because.....”