

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 1st, 2021.**
- (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, 2021

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

Suggested Topics and Themes

“Israelis and Jews: do we speak the same language?”

“Does Judaism have a diversity requirement?”

“What does ‘proud to be a Jew’ mean in 2020?”

“What does it mean to be Jewish in the 21st Century?”

“There is more than one way to be Jewish”

“Lessons from Jewish History that are Relevant Today”

“The Jewish Family is an Essential Feature of Jewish Life”

“Jews have survived as a People because.....”