

Part 2 – Application

Award Category – Check all that apply

Individual

Written: Essay Short Story Poetry

Visual Arts: Painting Drawing Collage

Poster Mixed Media

Technology / Electronic Media (max 5 minutes):

PSA Movie Video Recordings

Audio Recording Multimedia Slide Show Power Point / Keynotes

Grade Level – Check All that apply

PreK thru Grade 2 Grades 3-5 Grades 6-8 Grades 9-12
(PreK-TK-K artwork only)

Check All Focus Areas Addressed by Project:

Entries **MUST** focus on one or more of the following and show how the event/issue affects your life and what you have done or are planning to do to change your life or your community.

- How have you promoted Social Justice / Human and Civil Rights today?
- How have the events of 12/7/1941, 9/11/2002, or other recent events raised your awareness to the struggles of all people when their constitutional rights are threatened?
- How has racial or religious profiling affected you?
- What have you learned from the Civil Rights Movement? How does it apply today?
- Why did we have U.S. Concentration Camps? Were they necessary? Should we have the camps ready to be used today? Why? Why not?
- Compare and contrast what is happening in the Muslim community with the Japanese American experience. What can you do to support the Muslim community today?
- Why is it important for us to know about the 442nd Infantry Regiment, the Military Intelligence Service (MIS) and the 100th Battalion?
- “Keep Our Families Together” is a slogan used by Japanese when they were put into concentration camps and today the statement still rings true to immigrant families. What can you do to support the immigrant communities?
- How have Collaboration and Service to others affected your life?

1. Entries and applications for the Manzanar Committee Student Awards Program **Must** be received by **Friday, April 24, 2020.**
2. Photographs of projects not accepted – original items only.
3. The sponsor must be working with the applicant whether at the same school, club or organization.
4. **Only 1 entry per student per year.**
5. Applications must be submitted with each entry.
6. **Applications that do not meet all specifications will be ineligible.**
7. All written work including artwork/Electronic Media write up must be typed. **A hard copy and an electronic copy must also be submitted by the deadline.**
8. Winning artwork may be placed on display at the Manzanar Pilgrimage and other community events.

Manzanar Committee Student Awards Parent/Guardian Publicity Release Form

Dear Parent/Guardian:

The Manzanar Committee requests your permission to reproduce through printed, audio, visual, or electronic means activities in which your child has participated in his/her education program. Your authorization will enable us to use specially prepared materials that your child has created to increase public awareness and promote continuation and improvement of education on America's concentration camps during World War II.

Please Print:

1. Name of Student _____ 2. Birthdate _____

- As a parent or guardian of the above-named student, I fully authorize and grant the Manzanar Committee and its authorized representatives, the right to print, photograph, record, and edit as desired, the biographical information, name, image, likeness, and/or voice of the above-named pupil on audio, video, film, slide, or any other electronic and printed formats, currently developed, (known as "Recordings"), for the purposes stated or related to the above.
- I understand and agree that use of such Recordings will be without any compensation to the student or the student's parent or guardian.
- I understand and agree that the Manzanar Committee and/or its authorized representatives shall have the exclusive right, title, and interest, in the Recordings.
- I understand and agree that the Manzanar Committee and/or its authorized representatives shall have the unlimited right to use the Recordings for any purposes stated or related to the above.
- I hereby release and hold harmless the Manzanar Committee and its authorized representatives from any and all actions, claims, damages, costs, or expenses, including attorney's fees, brought by the pupil and/or parent or guardian which relate to or arise out of any use of these Recordings as specified above.

My signature shows that I have read and understand the release and I agree to accept its provisions.

3. Name of Parent _____

4. Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ 5. Date _____

6. Address _____

7. City _____ 8. Zip code _____ 9. Cell Telephone _____

10. Home Telephone _____ 11. Email address _____

Entries and applications have been extended and must be postmarked by Friday, April 24, 2020

Mail hard copies of entry to:

**Manzanar Committee
Attention: Manzanar Committee Student Awards Program
856 Oceanside Street
Wilmington, CA 90744**

Email questions and entries to:

Janet Fujii jf.manzanar@gmail.com or call 562-260-3502

NOTE: When you mail your hard copy project, be sure to also email an electronic copy of any written text to Janet Fujii at email address above.

