

Bedford Free Library's 15th Annual

# WRITING CONTEST 2023

For high school students who attend school or  
reside in the Bedford Central School District  
All entries must be submitted by email as a PDF  
to [mmcmanus@bedfordfreelibrary.org](mailto:mmcmanus@bedfordfreelibrary.org).

*\* Please note NEW email address*

Deadline Tuesday, March 14 @ 5PM



Winners will be notified via email by  
Tuesday, March 21  
Awards Ceremony at  
The Bedford Free Library  
Thursday, March 30 @ 3:30



## CATEGORIES

### *FICTION*

A creative piece limited only by your imagination  
(Save poetry for the Library's Poetry Contest in April)

### *NONFICTION*

An essay limited only by the facts

## RULES

- \*entries must be in PDF**
- \*author's name must be included in email subject only, not in the body of the work**
- \*one entry per category**
- \*must be MLA format**
- \*work previously written for other purposes is acceptable**

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**FIRST PLACE \$100**  
**SECOND PLACE \$50**  
**THIRD PLACE \$25**

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