



2019 WQLN Education Writers Contest Entry Form

Type or print legibly

Child's Name _____ Age _____ Home Phone (_____) _____

Child's Mailing Address _____ City/State/Zip _____

Circle Grade: Kindergarten 1st Grade 2nd Grade 3rd Grade Sex: F M

TITLE OF STORY _____

Required word count range: Grades K-1 minimum-50, maximum-200 | Grades 2-3 minimum-100, maximum-350

Number of Words _____ (The word count includes "a", "an", & "the".) Number of Illustrations _____ (minimum of 5)

Only one entry per child • Only single author stories (no co-authors) • Story must be original work of the child • Original art can include drawings, collages, 3-D and photos taken by the author • Story may be fact or fiction, prose or poetry • Use only one side of the paper • Number each page on the back • Text must be printed/written legibly or typed • Children who can't write may dictate their story to be printed or typed • Invented spelling is accepted • Story text may be on pages with illustrations or on separate pages • Non-English text must be translated into English text on the same page and the translated English text must adhere to the word count • Word count includes "a", "an", and "the", but not words on nonstory pages, e.g., title page, or those that enhance illustrations.

ALL ENTRIES SUBMITTED BY EITHER A TEACHER OR PARENT MUST INCLUDE THE SIGNATURE OF PARENT/GUARDIAN

WHEN THE ENTRY IS SUBMITTED BY A PARENT/GUARDIAN: Pick up certificate/story

Your child will receive a certificate of participation along with their original story if you include a self-addressed/postage paid envelope. Or check "Pick up certificate", to pick up your child's certificate & story at WQLN, 8425 Peach St., after **April 30, 2019**.

I acknowledge that I have read the Contest rules & regulations prior to signing this and that I understand the rules.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Email address(optional) _____

Printed Parent/Guardian Name _____ Date _____

If different from the above address include below:

Mailing Address _____ City/State/Zip _____

Phone (_____) _____ School Name _____

WHEN THE ENTRY IS SUBMITTED BY THE TEACHER:

Complete the following information and your student will receive a certificate of participation, along with their original story. It will be delivered to you after **April 30, 2019**.

Teacher Signature _____ Email address: _____

Printed Name _____ School Name _____

School Mailing Address _____ City/State/Zip _____

School Phone (_____) _____

Mail to or drop off entries at WQLN Public Media | Writers Contest | 8425 Peach Street | Erie, PA 16509

Drop off (ONLY) at Erie County Public Library | 160 East Front Street | Erie, PA 16507

Entries accepted beginning January 1, 2019

DEADLINE: 5:00pm on April 1, 2019

For more information, contact Kathy at (814) 217- 6001 or kwoodard@wqln.org

