

# The YWCA 18<sup>th</sup> Annual "Project On Racism Essay Contest"

Each year the YWCA Wheeling and the WV State King Holiday Commission ask WV students to share their views on the teachings of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. by submitting an essay based on a quote by Dr. King. This year's quote is:

***"The function of education is to teach one to think intensively and to think critically. Intelligence plus character – that is the goal of true education."*** Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

Students are asked to write their essay on the following:

**Grades 1-5: How is your schooling helping you to be a better person?**

**Grades 6–12: Using Dr. King's teachings, describe how your education is molding your character.**

Please fill out and return this form with your original essay to the YWCA Wheeling, 1100 Chapline Street, Wheeling, WV 26003. Entries can also be e-mailed or Faxed but must arrive by the November 1st deadline. If you have questions please contact the YWCA.

## STUDENT INFORMATION

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

## SCHOOL INFORMATION

School \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

Submitting Teacher \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Principal \_\_\_\_\_

**All entries must be postmarked on or before November 1, 2010**

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