

2017 Entry Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Current School: _____

Parent Name: _____

Parent Phone: _____

Classification: Essay Poetry

of Entries: _____

Important Info

- ◆ Deadline to Apply is Friday, May 26th.
- ◆ Entry Form must be completed in its entirety. Be sure to include current school, mailing address and phone number.
- ◆ A separate form must be completed and attached to each of your entries. Copies of this form are accepted.
- ◆ For additional information or applications, please contact Mary-Kate Gill at 203.575.4209 or festival@NewOpplnc.org.



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**If you are currently a
High School Senior
and live in and/or
attend school in Waterbury,
you can apply for the 2017
New Opportunities, Inc.
Afro-Latin-Indian Scholarship**



2 Categories:

Essay * Poetry

Contest Information:

The scholarship competition is divided into Poetry and Essay categories. Students are eligible and encouraged to enter more than one category. **All entries must be the original work of the applicant.**

The message of the Essay or Poem **MUST** discuss the following themes:

Essay: “What would you like to see changed in this community to make it a better place and why? What role in the change would you play?”

Poem: “Change”

Essay must contain 50-500 words. Essay & Poetry submissions must be typed.

**All written materials become the property of NOI and will not be returned.

Awarding of Prizes:

Prizes are awarded for each category [Essay and Poetry] however, judges reserve the right to merge classifications based on the number of eligible entries received.

Eligibility:

Students in Grade 12 who either live in Waterbury and/or attend a Waterbury School during this current school year.

Students must plan to attend an institute of higher learning in the fall of 2017.

Dates to Remember:

Entries must be received by 5:00pm on Friday, May 26th at the NOI Executive Office, 232 North Elm Street, Waterbury, CT 06702

Public announcement will be made by June 16th with winners being contacted prior.