

3.1 Women's Association in USA

3.1 Youth

The 26th ANNUAL ESSAY CONTEST

THE ZOOM ESSAY CONTEST

The contest is open to all students, Kindergarten through 12th grade.

The contest consists of a 90 minute timed essay written in English or Korean.

Date: Saturday, February 13, 2021

Time: 9:30 AM

Registration fee : \$10 (Due February 11, 2021)

Mail application to: 3.1 Women's Association in U.S.A.

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Application Downloads available on website: www.marchfirstusa.org

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, to adhere to safety guidelines, the writing competition will be proctored via Zoom. Students will have 90 minutes to write an essay on the prompt below. Students are expected not to use any outside material and turn in all work created during the contest, including outlines and notes.

1. K-5 (Elementary School students):

"How has your **home** life changed since the pandemic?"

COVID-19 이후 학생의 가정생활이 어떻게 변하고 있습니까?

2. 6-12 (Middle and High School students)

"How does the **March First (3.1) Movement** in Korea in 1919 and **Black Lives Matter (BLM) Movement** in U.S.A. in 2020 Compare and Contrast?"

(1919 년 한국에서의 3.1 독립운동과 2020 년 미국에서의 BLM 운동을 비교, 대조하세요.)

Required Materials

- Wide ruled lined paper (4 sheets)
- Pen or pencil
- Access to Zoom

Scoring will be based on the following criteria:

- How well they directly write about the subject
- Their use of examples to explain their ideas
- Organization and Grammar