The School Nutrition Association of Pennsylvania

Essay Contest

Open to all PA Public Schools

Deadline: April 30, 2019

*Essay Contest* winners will present their essay at the School Nutrition Association of Pennsylvania Annual Conference President’s Dinner in Hershey, PA on July 29th at 6:00 PM

Judging Categories

**Grades 5 to 8**

* 250 word minimum
* 500 word maximum
* Spelling and grammar will be judged

**Grades 9 to 11**

* 250 word minimum
* 500 word maximum
* Spelling and grammar will be judged

One Grand Prize for each grade level category.

(4) tickets to Hershey Park

(1) night stay for (4) people

Essay Topic – Students should write about both topics below.

* Why are school meals an important part of the school day?
* Describe how receiving school meals has had an impact on your education.

Deadline: April 30, 2019

Email entry to: [executivedirector@snapa.org](mailto:executivedirector@snapa.org)

The School Nutrition Association of Pennsylvania

Essay Contest Form

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| Name: | School District: | |
| Home Address:  Home City  Home Zip |  | |
| Primary Contact Phone: |  | |
| Email Address: | |  |
| Judging Category  5-8 Grade  9-11 Grade | | |
| Why are school meals an important part of the school day? (min. 250 words- max. 500 words) Use additional sheet if necessary. | | |
| Describe how receiving school meals has had an impact on your education. (min. 250 words- max. 500 words) Use additional sheet if necessary. | | |
| Parent or Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | | |