



WORLD FEST 2010:

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Friday, September 24, 2010

World Cultural Fair Contest

The City of Little Rock's Racial and Cultural Diversity Commission [RCDC] will host its annual *World Cultural Fair Contest* – a competition aimed at promoting diversity/international education among students.

The *World Cultural Fair Contest* functions like a science fair in which participating students research and showcase a country during the World Fest 2010 event.

Contest participants are required to create a tri-fold display board with information (geography, history, culture, etc) about their assigned country. Students should be prepared to tell judges/visitors highlights and interesting facts about the country they are representing. Displays will be judged on appearance, information presented and the students' knowledge about their country. Judging will be complete by 12:00pm. Additionally, we would ask that students (on a rotation basis) are available at their display to discuss features about their country with other students and the general public.

We invite all high schools, middle schools and elementary schools in the state— both public and private to participate.

Classroom teachers may enter their students in the competition by completing the *World Cultural Fair Contest* registration form (see attached). Completed forms must be faxed to: (501) 244-6467 or submitted by mail to :

Attn: RCDC
501 W. Markham, Suite 220W
Little Rock, AR 72201.

Completed forms must be received by September 10, 2010.

Upon receipt of the completed registration form, you will be notified of the country assignment(s) from the continent(s) you have selected for your students.

There will be one Grand Prize and a 1st, 2nd, and 3rd, place winner for each continent listed below:



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 Racial & Cultural Diversity Commission
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 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Clinton Presidential Center Park
 1200 President Clinton Avenue

WORLD CULTURAL FAIR REGISTRATION FORM

The deadline for applications is September 10, 2010.

Name of School: _____
 Teacher: _____ Grade Level _____
 Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
 Phone: _____ Cell No: _____
 E-mail: _____ Fax No: _____

SELECT THE CONTINENT(S) FOR THE CONTEST

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Africa | <input type="checkbox"/> North America | <input type="checkbox"/> Asia |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Australia/Oceania | <input type="checkbox"/> South America | <input type="checkbox"/> Europe |

Contest Coordinator will assign a country from the selected continent for contest

STUDENTS SHOULD CONSIDER SOME OR ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:

- Must display information (geography, history, culture, etc.) on a tri-fold board on selected country
- Must provide an oral presentation of the highlights and interesting facts about their selected country
- May wear traditional clothing, have a flag of your country, teach a craft, demonstrate an ethnic game, dance, or provide music (optional)
- Must have a student at the display to discuss their country with the general public at all times
- Students should be as creative as possible

Teachers are encouraged to help in the planning process and set up.

For more information on the World Cultural Fair Contest, please contact *Ericka Benedicto, Contest Coordinator, at (501) 244-5483 or by email at rcdcworldfest@littlerock.org.*

Internal Use : Date _____ Country Assigned _____ School District _____ Confirmed space # _____