



**CITY OF PARKLAND**  
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## **2020 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Poem and Visual Arts Contest**



### **TOPIC:**

On August 28, 1963, Dr. Martin Luther King shared his dream for what the world should be like in the famous “*I Have a Dream*” speech. This speech was given at the Lincoln Memorial and heard by millions around the world. Dr. King dreamed of a fair and peaceful world where everyone had equal access to opportunities. Throughout his life, and in this famous speech, Dr. King spoke about the American dream and reminded us all that the United States was founded on the belief that all people are created equal.

### **PROMPT:**

Describe in writing or through visual art your dream for the community and how you will help make this dream come true.

### **CATEGORIES AND RULES:**

#### **POETRY**

*-Poems must be your original, unpublished work*

*-All entries must be legibly written or typed on an 8.5 x 11” piece of white paper*

#### **VISUAL**

*-Artwork must be 2D and fit on an 8.5 x 11” piece of white paper*

### **ENTRY FORM**

Student First & Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_

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

Age \_\_\_\_\_ Gender \_\_\_\_\_ Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

### **SUBMIT TO:**

**E-Mail:** [avalle@cityofparkland.org](mailto:avalle@cityofparkland.org)

**OR P-REC** at Pine Trails Park: 10559 Trails End, Parkland FL 33076

### **ELIGIBILITY**

Parkland Residency or enrollment in one of the schools located in the City of Parkland

### **AWARDS**

Three winners will be recognized in each category for each grade level group:

\*Grades K, 1, and 2

\*Grades 3, 4, 5

\*Grades 6, 7, 8

\*Grades 9-12

Winners will be announced at the MLK Tribute Event on 1/20/20 from 5:30-7:30pm at Pine Trails Park

### **DEADLINE**

All Entries are due by 5pm on 01/13/20 by email, mail, or dropped off in person