

THE CRAIG AND BARBARA WEINER HOLOCAUST REFLECTION CONTEST AT FAU

REFLECTING BACK LOOKING FORWARD

Submissions accepted
Dec. 1, 2026 - Feb. 1, 2027



TEACHERS WIN TOO WHILE GUIDING THEIR STUDENTS

- Teachers of 1st Place winners, win \$500 in each category
- Teachers of 2nd Place winners, win \$250 in each category
- Teachers win a \$25 gift card simply by submitting 10 or more entries.

STUDENTS CAN WIN IN 3 CATEGORIES FOR BOTH MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL



1st Place \$1000
in each category



2nd Place \$250
in each category

Objective:

Inspire Florida middle and high school students through personal reflection, creative expression, and historical understanding.

Deliver a Powerful Educational Impact:

Students go beyond textbook learning by listening to firsthand accounts from Holocaust survivors. Personal stories help cultivate empathy, social awareness, and a profound understanding of human rights and moral responsibility.

Encourage Creative Engagement:

Students reflect, through writing, film or art, on Holocaust history in personally meaningful ways. These creative outlets help students connect past events and current societal issues.

Inspire Future Change-Makers:

Students are motivated to consider the importance of social justice, equality, and individual responsibility, nurturing a new generation of informed, compassionate, and active citizens.

Participants will select a survivor's story that speaks to them and express their reflections through one of the following categories:

- Written Expression: Essay or poem
- Film/Video: Original creation
- Visual Arts: Original artwork

For more information, visit

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