

ANNE ARUNDEL  
STUDENT CREATIVE  
ARTS COMPETITION  
CELEBRATING THE LIFE  
AND LEGACY OF  
FREDERICK DOUGLASS



FD 200

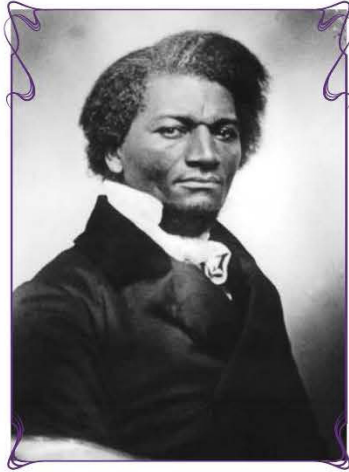
CREATIVE ARTS  
COMPETITION

2018



# *“Frederick Douglass 200 Creative Arts Competition.”*

**THEME: Following In His Footsteps**



## **ABOUT FREDERICK DOUGLASS**



2018 marks the "Year of Frederick Douglass" in Maryland, and what better way to celebrate his life than through student voices and creative expression! Born Frederick Augustus Washington Bailey (1818-1895) in Talbot County, Maryland, Frederick Douglass was the first African American to gain international fame as a social crusader. Douglass helped lead the anti-slavery movement and also fought for women's rights.

Douglass understood that “reading was his pathway from slavery to freedom”.

*Anne Arundel County students, grades 4 through 12, are invited to participate in the “Frederick Douglass 200 Creative Arts Competition” and “Follow In His Footsteps”.*

*Send an “I am interested” note with your name, contact information and school & grade to [nacpsnews@gmail.com](mailto:nacpsnews@gmail.com) or call 410 533-1977.*

**For more information, visit <http://bdmuseum.maryland.gov/youth/>, contact your Art Teacher or your local Anne Arundel County Library**



Galesville Community Center Organization, Inc.



# FREDERICK DOUGLASS 200 CREATIVE ARTS COMPETITION

## GUIDELINES

Read about Frederick Douglass. Decide how you can follow in his footsteps. Create an item and describe how you envision following in his footsteps.

*Create Artwork* - Drawing, painting or photography, 36 x 42 inches maximum

*Create a Video - (MP4 file format)*-Animation, spoken word, or rap, in 3-5 minutes

*Create a Storybook* - Written composition with illustrations, 7 page maximum

*Create a Textile Object* - Such as a quilt or garment

**\*NOTE!!! ALL PROJECTS MUST INCLUDE A 1-PAGE DESCRIPTION OF HOW YOUR PROJECT SPEAKS TO THE LIFE AND LEGACY OF FREDERICK DOUGLASS AND HOW YOU ARE FOLLOWING IN HIS FOOTSTEPS.**

## RULES

High School students, Middle School students, 4th and 5th grade students, as of October 2018 in all Anne Arundel County Schools are eligible to apply. **The FD 200 Creative Arts Competition has a new deadline-October 6, 2018.** All CAC contestants must submit their registration information /parental consent form and artwork by **October 6th.** Bring your submission material, including the 1 page "How learning about Frederick Douglass influenced you" and your artwork to the **Wiley H. Bates Legacy Center, 1101 Smithville St. Annapolis, on Oct. 4, 5 or 6 from 3 to 6 pm each day.** Bring a photo of yourself along with your artwork or send it to "northarundel@hotmail.com". Questions? Call 410 533-1977.

## EVALUATION

A panel composed of impartial art, humanities and science educators/practitioners will evaluate each object or format submitted by students, no later than October 11, 2018. Criteria elements - uniqueness, creative relevance, theme relationship, clarity of expression and presentation attractiveness, applied on a 1 to 5 rating scale for assessing each item. Higher criteria application will be used in cases of "ties".

## AWARDS

One winner will be selected in each group - High School, Middle School and 4th & 5th graders.  
Prizes: High School-\$200, Middle School-\$200, 4th & 5th grades-\$200.

## PRESENTATIONS

An awards presentation and showcase celebration of artwork will be held at the Chesapeake Arts Center from 6:00-8:00 pm on Friday, November 9, 2018. All participants will be acknowledged and given mementos for participating. All artwork will be returned to students.

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## Parental Consent Form

Please fill out information below and email to [nacpsnews@gmail.com](mailto:nacpsnews@gmail.com) with subject line "Parental Consent Form" (copy and paste form into the email), mail to [NACPS, Box 44, Hanover, MD 21076](mailto:NACPS, Box 44, Hanover, MD 21076), or drop off at **Wiley H. Bates Legacy Center, 1101 Smithville St. Annapolis, on Oct. 4, 5 or 6 from 3 to 6 pm each day.**

As the parent/guardian of \_\_\_\_\_ [student name], I grant permission to the "Frederick Douglass 200 Creative Arts Competition" committee to photograph my child/dependent and his/her artwork for "Frederick Douglass 200 Creative Arts Competition" promotional materials.

My name is \_\_\_\_\_

I attend \_\_\_\_\_ (school must be in Anne Arundel County)

Parent/guardian name \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian email & phone \_\_\_\_\_

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# Ideas for Researching Frederick Douglass



## -Visit Museums

**Banneker-Douglass Museum**  
84 Franklin Street Annapolis, MD  
[www.bdmuseum.maryland.org](http://www.bdmuseum.maryland.org)

**Frederick Douglass National Historic Site**  
1411 W Street, SE, Washington, DC 20020  
[www.nps.gov/frdo/index.htm](http://www.nps.gov/frdo/index.htm)

**Frederick Douglass Museum and Cultural Center**  
3200 Wayman Avenue, Highland Beach, MD 21403  
[www.highlandbeachmd.org](http://www.highlandbeachmd.org)

## -Read a Book!

**Anne Arundel County Public Library**  
<https://www.aacpl.net/>

**Thrift Books**  
<https://www.thriftbooks.com/a/frederick-douglass/196650/>

## -Other Important Resources

**Teaching American History in Maryland, Documents for the Classroom, Famous Marylanders-Frederick Douglass, presented by the Maryland State Archives**  
<http://teaching.msa.maryland.gov/000001/000000/000181/html/t181.html>

**Frederick Douglass Bicentennial events in Anne Arundel County**  
<http://www.visitannapolis.org/discover/articles/frederick-douglass-bicentennial-celebration>

**National Youth Summit: Abolition- Conversation Kit**  
<http://americanhistory.si.edu/nys/abolition>

**Frederick Douglass Family Foundation 100 Days of Service**  
<http://www.fdfi.org/fd.html>

***Interested Anne Arundel County students and parents/ guardians are invited to a “Summer Orientation” to learn more about this great leader. There are three orientation sessions: Monday, July 30, 6 to 8 pm at St Mark UM Church, 1440 Dorsey Road, Hanover; or Saturday, August 18, 10 am to 1 pm at Banneker-Douglass Museum, 84 Franklin St., Annapolis or Wednesday, August 22, 6 to 8 pm at Galesville Community Center, 916 West Benning Road, Galesville. To reserve your space in a session, reply to nacpsnews@gmail.com or call 410 533-1977.***

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