

3RD BIENNIAL SENATOR BLAKE TILLERY YOUTH LEGISLATOR SCHOLARSHIP CONTEST

**Voice Your Thoughts, Opinions,
and Experiences as Youth**

**Senator Blake Tillery is hosting his 3rd
Biennial Scholarship Contest.**

**Any middle or high school student
residing in the 19th District may apply.**

**Students are asked to prepare an essay
on one of two topics provided within
contest guidelines.**

**We look forward to your
participation!**



Grand Prize: \$250.00

Additionally, the Grand Prize Winner's teacher will receive
\$150.00 for classroom supplies.

2nd Place-\$150.00

3rd Place-\$100.00

VISIT BLAKETILLERY.COM FOR MORE DETAILS AND APPLICATION

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SCHOLARSHIP CONTEST
RULES**

THE CONTEST

Senator Blake Tillery is sponsoring a contest open to middle school and high school students residing in the 19th Senatorial District. The purpose of this contest is to inspire youth involvement in state government process. Applicable students must choose to draft an essay on **one of the two** following subjects:

1.) "As the COVID-19 pandemic continues affecting many different people in a variety of ways, please explain how has the pandemic changed the way you think about social interaction/going to school? What is something positive that has or could come out of this experience? (For you or your family or the whole community?) What have you learned about yourself during the quarantine? What is something you hope to do or see as the State of Georgia attempts to return to normal conditions? Please identify the specific details that are personal to you and what you believe."

2.) "What steps could the State of Georgia take to encourage young individuals to remain in or move to non-metropolitan/rural areas of Georgia? What incentive better motivate you to build a life and a career in rural Georgia? Please identify what specific changes that you believe should be made to better accommodate young people and give details on how these changes may be implemented."

ESSAY SUBMISSION RULES

- The contest will begin **October 12, 2020** and the last day submissions will be accepted is **November 20, 2020**. **Late submissions will not be accepted.**
- Any middle or high school student residing in the 19th District may apply. Public, private, and homeschool students are invited to participate.
- Essays shall be no more than 3 pages, typed, and double-spaced.
- Essays will be scored for grammar, complete coverage of the above topic provided, and concise manner in which the above topic is addressed.
- Essays must be submitted with a completed contest application.
- Entries are limited to 1 per student.
- Essays along with completed applications should be submitted in PDF form via email to : frontdesk@tilleryfirm.com
If electronic submission is not possible, mail on standard 8 ½" by 11" paper to:

Georgia Youth Legislator Scholarship Contest
ATTN: **Blake Tillery**
404 Durden Street
Vidalia, Georgia 30474

CONTEST WINNERS

The contest winner will be announced January 22, 2021.

1st Place: \$250.00

Additionally, the winning student's teacher will receive \$150.00 for classroom supplies.

2nd Place- \$150.00

3rd Place- \$100.00

QUESTIONS

Please direct questions and concerns to: Jordan Powell, frontdesk@tilleryfirm.com or call 912-537-3030. Thank you for your participation!

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LEGISLATOR SCHOLARSHIP CONTEST
APPLICATION COVER PAGE

CONTESTANT INFORMATION

Full Name

Address

City

State

Zip

Home Phone

Date of Birth

Cell Phone

Grade Level

Email

PARENT OR GUARDIAN INFORMATION

Parent Name

Parent Cell Phone

Parent Email

SCHOOL INFORMATION

Participating School Name

School Address

City

State Zip

Teacher Name

Teacher Email