

**Ann Arbor District Library
2012
It's All Write!
Teen Short Story Writing Contest**

1st Place \$250

2nd Place \$150

3rd Place \$100

Prizes for each category in **Grades 6-8, Grades 9-10 and Grades 11-12**
Winners will be announced at the awards ceremony held on
Saturday, May 12, 2012 with guest author **Caitlin Horrocks**

Entries accepted JANUARY 30 through MARCH 16

Guidelines: One submission and single author per entry
Entrants must be in grades 6-12
Previously submitted or published stories will not be accepted
4 to 8 numbered pages, with 1.5 line spacing, and a 12 point font,
with 1 -inch margins
Insert a HEADER containing:
Title, category and page numbers on far right
Do not print writer's name in the header or on the story
(ex. My Great Story, 6-8, p.1)

Only Electronic Submissions Will Be Accepted:

To enter, send in the BODY of an email:

- Writer's name
- Writer's address including state/country/zip code
- Telephone number and/or cell number
- Grade & school name or note as home schooled
- Title of the story

Save your work in a WORD document or in .rtf file format. (rich text format)

- Entrants will receive a **reply by email** after receiving a story
- Attach the file and email to: allwrite@aadl.org
- The email subject line must say: 2012 and the grade level of the entrant
(ex. 2012 grade 9 or 2012 grade 6)

We cannot switch versions of your story if you've changed something.
Pictures or graphics will not be seen by the judges.

All accepted submissions will be published on the library website after the contest.
Winning stories will be printed in a booklet.

If you have questions about the contest call Shirley at 734.327.4291 or Vicki at 734.327.4586

It's All Write is sponsored by the Friends of the Ann Arbor District Library.

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