

**2022 ALABAMA STATE CONFERENCE OF THE NAACP
DELLA M. BRYANT ORATORICAL CONTEST
SATURDAY OCTOBER 8, 2022
10:05 A .M.
WESTIN HOTEL BIRMINGHAM, AL**

REGISTRATION FORM FOR CONTESTANTS

Contestant's Name _____

Address _____

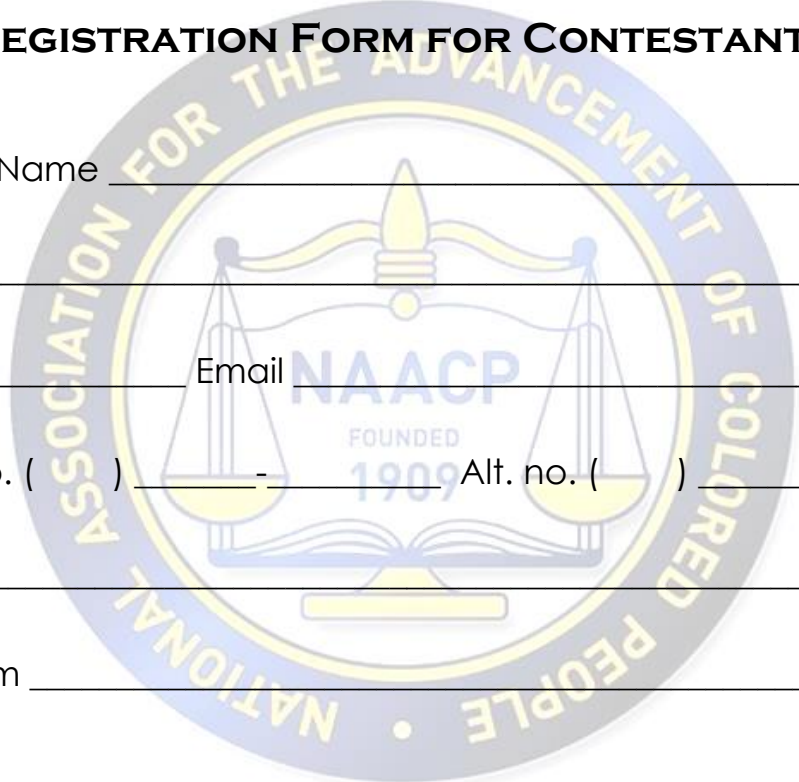
Zip Code _____ Email _____

Telephone no. () _____ - _____ Alt. no. () _____ - _____

School _____

School System _____

County _____

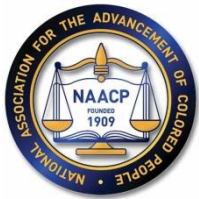


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Contestant Information Sheet

Dr. LaShonda D. Brown, Education Committee Chair
(256) 640-0766

School Name _____

School System _____

Principal's Name _____

School Address _____

Zip Code _____ Email _____

Telephone no. () _____ - _____ Alt. no. () _____ - _____



Category and name of student(s) who will be participating in the Oratorical Contest. The subject that ages 11 – 18 will be speaking on is:

“What does it mean to be a good student on the field, in the classroom, and in the community?”

Age 17 – 18 _____

Age 14 – 16 _____

Age 11 – 13 _____

- The subject that ages 5 – 10 will be speaking on is: “ **Why is it important to be kind to others?**”

Age 8 – 10 _____

Age 5 – 7 _____

Contestants will be present their Oratory on Saturday October 8, 2022 at 10:05 a.m.

_____ Yes _____ No

RULES FOR THE 2022 ALABAMA STATE CONFERENCE OF THE NAACP DELLA M. BRYANT ORATORICAL CONTEST

Eligibility

Participants must be a resident of Alabama, attend an Alabama School, and range in age from 5 –18. Age categories are listed below.

Regulations

The official in charge of the contest will conduct a drawing to determine the order in which each contestant will appear. The chairperson will introduce the contestant. Each contestant will prepare their oration based on their theme according to their age. The contestant must deliver their prepared oration in no fewer than five minutes and no more than seven minutes.

Age Groups

Ages 5 – 7 Ages 8 – 10 Ages 11 – 13 Ages 14 – 16 Ages 17 – 18

Attire

ATTIRE – All contestants must dress as follows:

- A. Boys –Dress slacks/pants, white shirts, and dark ties. Jackets are optional.
- B. Girls –Dress skirts, and white shirts, blouses, tops or turtlenecks.

Please contact your branch or the AL NAACP Office for an
application

Complete and submit the application by

Monday, September 19, 2022

The application can be emailed to either of the following addresses:

blashonda20@gmail.com or info@alnaacp.org

JUDGING CRITERIA

Ages 11-18

- Aplomb – poise, self-confidence, audience appeal
- Voice Quality – audibility, articulations, inflection of voice, moderation of pitch
- Creativity and Relevant Content – poetic and/or musical interpretation welcome
- Accuracy of Content
- Composition – punctuation, spelling, grammar

JUDGING CRITERIA

Ages 5-10

- Aplomb – poise, self-confidence, audience appeal
- Voice Quality – audibility, articulations, inflection of voice, moderation of pitch
- Observance of Time Limit – contestants should not go over nor under time limit
- Relevant Content – poetic and/or musical interpretation welcome
- Composition – punctuation, spelling, grammar,

Maximum awarded points in each area is 20 points for a maximum of 100 total points.

Prizes

Cash prizes will be presented to winners in each age group.