



6TH, 7TH, AND 8TH  
GRADERS:

**HOW CAN  
YOU MAKE A  
DIFFERENCE  
IN YOUR  
COMMUNITY?**

# Start with an essay to the 2025 National Civics Bee<sup>®</sup>!

**90**  
DAYS LEFT TO ENTER

## HOW IT WORKS

**1**

Use  
the  
**Essay  
Guide**  
to  
write  
an  
essay  
proposing  
your  
ideas  
for

improving  
your  
community.

2

Create  
an  
account  
to  
access  
the  
essay  
application  
form.

3

Submit  
your  
essay  
application  
online  
by  
February  
4

4,

2025.

4

Finalists  
will  
be  
announced  
on  
February  
14,  
2025.

- Top-scoring essay finalists are invited to compete at local and state bees happening March through August.

- The top winner from each state receives a trip to Washington, D.C. to compete in the National Championship.

**CREATE  
ACCOUNT**

**Prizes**

ists compete for prizes, trophies, recognition, and other prizes.

**NATIONAL  
CHAMPIONSHIP**

1ST PLACE

**\$100,000\***

529 plan

2ND PLACE

**\$25,000\***

3RD PLACE

**\$15,000\***

**STATE BEES**

1ST PLACE

**\$1,000\***

2ND PLACE

**\$500\***

3RD PLACE

**\$250\***

**LOCAL BEES**

1ST PLACE

**\$500\***

2ND PLACE

**\$250\***

3RD PLACE

**\$125\***

Prizes listed are the minimum amounts to be awarded. Please refer to the Rules for the latest prize information.



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