

# 2024 STARR WRITERS CONTEST

**\$200 PRIZES FOR 6 WINNERS**

## **SHARE YOUR STORY**

Share how your experiences in an Adult Literacy Program  
or an Adult Learning Centre have changed your life!

**DEADLINE: MARCH 15, 2024**

Eligibility: Current or former ALP or ALC students

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## 2 CATEGORIES FOR ENTRY

- Adult Literacy Program (ALP) → 250 - 500 words
- Adult Learning Centre (ALC) → 500 - 1000 words

## ESSAY TOPIC SUGGESTIONS

Tell your story your way. If you need some ideas to get started, you may consider focusing on:

- Your personal journey. What motivations, challenges, and successes have shaped your adult education experience?
- Your school. What is it about the people, the courses, and the daily sights and sounds that makes your school a great place to learn?
- Your suggestions for success. What advice would you give other adult learners returning to school?
- Your learning community. How do the teachers, administrators, support staff, and/or students at your school create a supportive and successful learning environment?
- The effects of education. What have you been able to accomplish or what has improved in your life since starting or completing your classes?
- The importance of adult education in Manitoba. How do adult education and literacy programs benefit our communities and our province?