

## Poster Contest Entry Form

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First Name

Last Name

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Address

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City

State

Zip Code

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Parent/Guardian Name

Parent/Guardian Phone Number

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Parent/Guardian Email Address

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Grade in school

Age

If School

Entry:

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School Name

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Teacher's Name

(Pick-up services are available for submissions of 5 or more – teachers please call and leave message at 970-985-1688)

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### **Contest Rules:**

- Only 1 entry per student
- Student must live in Mesa County
- Poster must be created by the student only
- Poster must be submitted by the deadline time and date
- Poster Entry Form must be filled out completely, and submitted with poster.

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### **Poster Guidelines:**

- Poster size must be no larger than 16" x 20"
- Poster may be created on regular paper, cardboard, or canvas
- Poster may be created with various art supplies: paints, colored pencils, and charcoal, but we also allow collage materials to be used (if using paints or glues they must be completely dry when poster is submitted)
- Poster must relate to this year's theme, *Speak Justice; Do Justice*
- No profanity, nudity, or otherwise offensive items/words/images may be used
- Judges will examine the exploration and use of this year's theme, as well as creativity, when making their decisions

Presented by the Grand Junction group  
Black Citizens and Friends,

# The 2021 Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration Poster Contest

This year's theme is:

## “Speak Justice; Do Justice”

from the quote:

“When you see something that is not right, not fair, not just, you have to speak up. You have to say something, you have to do something”

-John Lewis

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### Contest Information:

- Age categories are: Kindergarten - 5<sup>th</sup> grade  
6<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> grade  
9<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> grade  
College
- Winning posters may be published on the MLK Jr. Celebration website, and the Grand Prize Winner will have their poster's image placed on the 2021 MLK Jr. Celebration t-shirts.
- Top three winners in each category receive a prize, the following three semi-finalists will receive a certificate of recognition.
- Winners will be announced either at the MLK Jr. Community dinner on, Jan. 17th, 2021 at 4pm or Monday Jan. 18th at the MLK Event or by Virtual. Winners not present will be notified no later than Friday, Jan. 31, 2021 (using the contact information provided with submission).
- All posters submitted will be displayed at the dinner or online.

**Prizes for Poster Winners**    *1<sup>st</sup> place - \$50\*, 2<sup>nd</sup> place - \$30\*, 3<sup>rd</sup> place - \$20\**

*\*Gift cards given in stated amounts.*

**Entry Deadline: 5pm on Friday, January 13th, 2021 – all locations**

*In Grand Junction:* Submissions accepted at the Basil T. Knight Center, 596 N. Westgate Drive to Denice Cording Laird.

BC&F PO Box 3774, Grand Junction, CO 81502

*In Fruita:* Submissions accepted at the Lithic Bookstore & Gallery, 138 S. Park Square #202.