



BLACK HISTORY MONTH ESSAY CONTEST

Write an essay on “What event in Black History do you think most influenced America's way of life...and why?” and you could win a computer!

The Broward County African-American Research Library and Cultural Center, in partnership with Love 94 (WLVE-FM) and BrandsMart, USA, is sponsoring an *essay contest* for Black History Month. Four winners will each receive a *personal computer* system. The essay contest is open to students in grades K through 12 in Broward, Miami-Dade and Palm Beach Counties. Entries will be judged on originality, grammar, spelling and content. Entry forms are available at BrandsMart store locations, online at www.love94.com , www.broward.org/library, and at the African-American Research Library and Cultural Center, 2650 Sistrunk Blvd., Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33311. Entries must be submitted by deadline of 8:00pm, February 28, 2006. Winners will be notified at the end of March. For more information, call 954-625-2823.

2006 Black History Month Essay Contest – Official Entry Form

Name _____ School _____ Grade _____
Phone number _____ email (optional) _____

Please answer the following questions:

1) Are you involved in any clubs, sports, or after school activities? () yes () no
If yes, please describe:

2) Do you have any accomplishments that you would like to share? () yes () no
If yes, please list:

3) What are your career goals?

Basic Essay Contest Rules (complete contest rules are available at www.love94.com)
Describe in 200-300 words: "What event in Black History do you think most influenced America's way of life...and why." Please use a separate sheet of paper. All types of written formats will be accepted, but it must be legible. All entries must have this form attached to the front of the essay. Entries may be mailed. All entries must be submitted by 8:00pm, Tuesday, February 28, 2006, to the African-American Research Library and Cultural Center, Youth Services Section, 2650 Sistrunk Blvd., Fort Lauderdale, FL, 33311. Winners will receive their prizes at a special presentation at the Love 94 studios in Miramar.