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High school students can win up to \$1,000 in the Bill of Rights Institute's national "Being An American" essay contest. The contest asks students to explore the founding principles outlined in the Constitution by answering the question, "How does the Constitution establish and maintain a culture of liberty?"

The top three student winners from each of five geographical regions will be awarded cash prizes of \$1,000 for first place, \$500 for second place and \$250 for third place. In addition, teacher sponsors of each student winner will receive cash prizes of \$100 each.

Essays must be submitted online at www.BillofRightsInstitute.org/Contest by 11:59 p.m. Dec. 15.