

# *Black Writers On Tour 2017*

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**LITERACY IS EVERYBODY'S BUSINESS**

**High School & College Students**

**WRITER'S CONTEST-WIN CASH**

**1<sup>st</sup> Place - \$200.00**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Place - \$100.00**

**3<sup>rd</sup> Place - \$50.00**

**High School & College Students—Ages 16-25**

(Winner need not be present)

Have your students participate in our writing contest for Black Writers on Tour 2017 Writers Conference.

Saturday, April 29, 2017 at Congresswoman JMM Community Center, (Carson Community Center), 801 E. Carson Street, Carson, CA 90746.

Writing materials must be submitted no later than Friday March 24, 2017.

Writing competition showcase will be featured at the writers' conference from 9:30 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.

*Free* writing classes for participants such as: Creative Writing Class For Beginners, How To Write A Best-Selling Novel, How To Develop Characters That Leap Off The Page, and How To Write A Book Made Simple And Your Publishing Options.

Have participant include, name, grade, address and telephone number on their material.

**SEND WRITING MATERIALS TO: ADDRESS ABOVE.**

**SEE TOPIC TO WRITE ABOUT ON SECOND PAGE 2**

## **Writing topic for high school and college students**

Start your writing with information such as:

My name is\_\_\_\_\_. Give your age, ethnicity, and high school/college you are currently attending,

Provide your Educational, Career Goals.

What are your Vocational Goals?

Tell why you chose this profession/career/vocation.

Do you want to be a business owner or an employee?

Explain the reasons for your choice.

Was race a factor when making your career choice?

What impact does racism have in regard to your future, your success or your failure?

How do you see the future for people of your race for the future?

Do you believe in our political system?

Provide a conclusion.

**ADDRESS ALL THESE ISSUES IN YOUR WRITINGS. YOU CAN ADD OTHER INFORMATION.**

**GOOD LUCK!**