Presenting the 2017 Cesar Chavez Student Art, Writing and Multimedia Contest

Students will respond to the following words of Cesar Chavez:

“Perhaps we can bring the day when children will learn from their earliest days that being fully man and fully woman means to give one’s life to the liberation of the brother who suffers. It is up to each one of us. It won’t happen unless we decide to use our lives to show the way.”

**STUDENT DEADLINE:**
Students to submit contest entries to an English or an Art Teacher at their school site by: Tuesday, February 28, 2017

**SCHOOL DEADLINE:**
Each school site to send their first place winners to District Office by: Monday, March 6, 2017 c/o Dolores Vargas, Instructional Services

**CONTEST RULES –** All work must be original, not copyrighted. The quote must be incorporated into the entry.

**WRITING CATEGORY:** May be a poem or an essay on 8½ 11” white paper. Maximum Length: 500 words. (*Department Chair must send* the word document of the poem electronically to vargasd@esuhsd.org along with the reporting form, by due date.)

**ART CATEGORY:** Poster size **MUST** be 11x16 inches. Color, black and white, shades of gray, any flat two dimensional technique, except may not be a digital printout (see Multimedia Category below) along with the reporting form.

**MULTIMEDIA CATEGORY:** Teams may not be larger than 2 (Prize money shared). The content can be an array of types: short performance, stills, live action, animations, with or without music, etc. Acceptable file types include: .mp4, .mov, and .jpg. You may upload your content to YouTube, along with the reporting form. District Grand Prize, First Place and Second Place winners in all categories, will be invited to attend an award ceremony in their honor on **Thursday, March 30, 2017** at Mt. Pleasant H.S. Theatre

**CONTEST PRIZE CATEGORIES FOR WRITING, ART, AND MULTIMEDIA**

- Grand Prize (District – Level) $250
- First Place (per school) $100