



Americans Against Gun Violence
7862 Winding Way #151
Fair Oaks, CA 95814
(916) 668-4160
aagunv.org / info@aagunv.org

The Americans Against Gun Violence 2023 High School Essay Contest is now open to all U.S. high school students.



A total of at least \$15,000 will be awarded to a minimum of 12 students with individual prizes ranging from \$100 to \$3,000.

To enter the contest, students must submit an essay of 500 words or fewer in response to the following prompt:



“Describe your thoughts about lockdown drills conducted in response to the threat of shootings on school campuses.”

The deadline for students to enter the contest is April 15, 2023. For full contest details and the online entry form, go to the High School Essay Contest page of the Americans Against Gun Violence website.

*Note: Lockdown drill graphics are examples of commercially available signs and are not a direct component of the essay contest prompt.