AMVETS

Americanism Program

• Submissions due to local post _____ by _____ •

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THE AMVETS
AMERICANISM PROGRAM

A PATRIOTIC PROGRAM OFFERED TO SCHOOLS
AND YOUTH ORGANIZATIONS AS A RESOURCE
FOR TEACHING CHILDREN IN
KINDERGARTEN THROUGH 12TH GRADE
ABOUT THEIR AMERICAN HERITAGE, CIVICS
AND CITIZENSHIP. THE PROGRAM INCLUDES
FLAG DRAWING, POSTER AND ESSAY
CONTESTS THAT ARE GRADE SPECIFIC AND
AGE APPROPRIATE.

Kindergarten and 1st: Flag Coloring Contest
2nd through 5th: Poster Contest
6th through 12th: Essay Contest

Please visit our Americanism page at:
amvets.org/americanism
for entry packet.

Themes:

2017-2018: “Why is the Constitution important to me?”
2018-2019: “Why should you say ‘Thank you’ to a Veteran?”
2019-2020: “What does freedom mean to me?”
2020-2021: “What do I think of when I see the American flag?”
2021-2022: “Why should we honor and respect our Veterans?”

Awards:
Awards are given at the local, state and national level. National Entries are due by 1 July from States. Award amounts vary.