

Essay/Graphic Contest

Write an essay or design a graphic presentation that captures the spirit of "Making the Connection" after you have visited the 2009 Career Fair.

YOU COULD WIN ONE OF TWO LAPTOP COMPUTERS!



The ACE Foundation
Careers 09

Make the Connection!
October 22nd and 23rd, 2009

Application forms and contest rules can be downloaded from www.careerpaths.bm and are also available from your teacher.

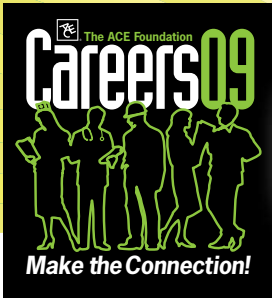
Deliver your entry to:
Career Fair Contest
The ACE Foundation, ACE Building
17 Woodbourne Avenue
Hamilton HM08

Contest Entry Deadline: 4:30pm, Monday, November 16th.



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TRAINING

Make the Connection... enter and have a chance to win!



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GENERAL RULES

1. The career fair essay/graphic contest is open to high school aged students in the Bermuda public school system, in the private school system and home schools.
2. All submissions must be dropped off at the ACE Building reception, 17 Woodbourne Avenue by 4:30pm on Monday 16 November.
3. All submissions MUST have a completed ACE contest application and waiver form attached.
4. No identifying information about the student should appear anywhere in the essay or graphic.
5. Students will be disqualified if there is evidence of plagiarism or unethical conduct. Essays must be appropriately referenced if needed.

TOPICS & INSTRUCTIONS

You may enter this contest either as an essay writer or as a graphic artist.

Essay Writer

- Write an essay based on *EITHER* Topic 1 or Topic 2.
- Write between 500 - 600 words.
- Essays must be typed, double-spaced, on 8¹/₂ x 11 paper. All pages must be numbered.
- Papers will be disqualified if students grossly exceed or are grossly under the word limit. Word count must be recorded on the application form.

Topic 1

One of your friends has dropped out of school. Describe the aspects of the career fair that could be a great motivator for their successful future.

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Topic 2

Describe your dreams and aspirations and how the career fair opened your eyes on how to start achieving them.

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Graphic Artist

Subject: Bermuda's most exciting career fair.

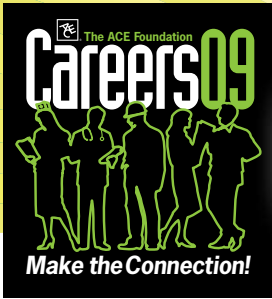
Communicate your idea in a graphic presentation in one of the following formats:

Static traditional media

- Any media, no smaller than 8¹/₂ x11 inches and no larger than 11x17 inches.

Computer graphics (Mac or PC)

- Static image (*printed out on 8¹/₂ x11 inch paper or card*).
- Animated 'flash' file or animated gif, from 15 to 30 seconds in length (*no embedded video*) submitted on a clearly labelled CD or DVD. (*publish your finished 'flash' files as 'projector files' for both Mac and PC*).



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CONTEST APPLICATION FORM *(must be completed for each entry)*

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY AND WRITE OR TICK WHERE APPLICABLE

Student Name *(Last)* _____ *(First)* _____

Name of School _____ Year Level _____

Date of Birth _____ Age _____ Male _____ Female _____

Home Address _____

Mailing Address *(if different from above)* _____

Telephone Number _____ Email Address _____

Essay Subject Choice 1 _____ 2 _____ Exact number of words used _____ or Graphic Presentation _____

Receiving Clerk _____ Date Submitted _____

CONTEST WAIVER FORM

The career fair committee reserve the right to use part or all of the contents in any future promotional needs of the ACE Foundation Careers Fair.

Student's Signature _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian of students under the age of 16 _____

Committee Chair _____