

# CLOVIS CENTENNIAL WRITING CONTEST

Why Clovis is a Great Place to Grow Up

Deadline for submissions:

**DECEMBER 1 TO  
JANUARY 31, 2012**

In conjunction with the Clovis  
City Centennial Celebration

## Contest Guidelines

All entries must be the original work  
of the person submitting the essay.  
Bring to the Clovis Branch or email  
[lisa.campbell@fresnolibrary.org](mailto:lisa.campbell@fresnolibrary.org)

### K-3rd

Each student should submit an original drawing showing “Why Clovis is a great place to grow up.” Students can include a short statement to accompany their picture. Those too young to write their own statement may have help with the mechanics of the writing from a parent or guardian but the content should be their own.

PRIZE: \$25.00 gift certificate

### 4th to 6th grades

Each student should submit a paragraph of 250 words or more explaining why “Clovis is a great place to grow up.” The essay should be the sole original work of the student author without any outside assistance.

PRIZE: \$25.00 gift certificate

### 7th to 8th grades

Each student should submit an essay of 500 words or more explaining why “Clovis is a great place to grow up.” The essay should be the sole original work of the student author without any outside assistance.

PRIZE: Kindle

### 9th to 12th grades

Each student should submit an essay of 1000 words or more explaining why “Clovis is a great place to grow up.” The essay should be the sole original work of the student author without any outside assistance.

PRIZE: Kindle

### Adults

Adult should submit an essay of 1000 words or more explaining why “Clovis is a great place to live.” The essay should be the sole original work of the author without any outside assistance.

PRIZE: Kindle

Entries can be submitted to the Clovis Regional Library in person, by mail or email. All entries should be received by 1/31/12. The judging would occur in February with the winners announced at the birthday bash celebration on 27 February 2012.

**Entries should include:  
Name, address, phone  
number, age and grade.  
Email optional.**

