

*2018 Rhode Island Law Day Essay Contest Student Entry Form*

Describe in no more than 1,000 words how the student believes the separation of powers protects our freedom, and why this is important.

*Separation of Powers: Framework for Freedom*

Background information on this topic can be found on our website at [www.ribar.com](http://www.ribar.com) under:

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Students are encouraged to draw on additional sources, but all outside information must be credited.

**Please type or print legibly.**

**Student's Name:**

**Student's Email:**

**Student's Home Address:**

**Student's Home Telephone:**

**Student's Cell:**

**School Name:**

**School Telephone:**

**Teacher's Name:**

**I affirm I am a 10<sup>th</sup> or 11<sup>th</sup> grade student and the attached essay I have submitted for the 2018 Law Day Essay Contest is the result of my own work.**

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**Student's Signature**

**I affirm the attached essay is solely the work of the student named above.**

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**Teacher's Signature**

**All entries must be no longer than 1,000 words, typed, and received no later than**

**May 4, 2018 at 4:00 p.m.**

**at**

**2018 Law Day Essay Contest**

**Rhode Island Bar Association**

**41 Sharpe Drive**

**Cranston, RI 02920**

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