

# Win a week in WASHINGTON D.C. June 17 - 23, 2023

The National Society of The Colonial Dames of America in cooperation with the WASHINGTON WORKSHOPS FOUNDATION is proud to present the Congressional Seminar in Washington, DC for the 2023 NSCDA Essay Contest Winners.



**ESSAYS ARE DUE  
December 1, 2022**

**Apply online or submit your essay  
and enrollment form to your  
NSCDA Patriotic Chairman:**

## ESSAY TOPIC

**Examine the US  
Constitution as a whole  
and explain why you  
think it does or does  
not fully protect the  
Right to Vote.**



## CONGRESSIONAL SEMINAR HIGHLIGHTS

- ✓ Seven days in our nation's capital
- ✓ Guest speakers on the legislative branch, federal government and the media
- ✓ Meet U.S. Senators and Representatives
- ✓ Visit the National Mall, Mount Vernon, The Pentagon, and the memorials and monuments of Washington, D.C.
- ✓ Campus housing at a DC area university
- ✓ Exposure to future career exploration
- ✓ Breakfast and dinner each day of the seminar
- ✓ Chartered motor coach transportation in and around the Washington, D.C. Area

## ESSAY CONTEST RULES:

- Essays are due by December 1, 2022
- Open to grades 10, 11 and 12
- 750 word maximum
- Include essay title, full name, home address, telephone numbers and email address
- Applicant's name should be on every page of the essay
- Complete Application Form on the NSCDA website - [nscda.org](http://nscda.org) (under Student Resources)



For more information and contest rules and regulations, please visit the [Nscda.org](http://Nscda.org) web site and select the "Student Resources" tab, then click the "Congressional Essay Contest" link. For more information contact [dames@dumbartonhouse.org](mailto:dames@dumbartonhouse.org).

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