

2009 – EXPLORE NEW WORLDS. READ!

ENTRY FORM

THE ENTHUSIASTIC READER AWARD

New Jersey Reading Association & New Jersey Association of School Librarians

This certifies that (Student's Name) _____ has successfully met the criteria for the *New Jersey Reading Association & the New Jersey Association of School Librarians'* **ENTHUSIASTIC READER AWARD** – 2009 at the school or public library level.

Student's Home Address: _____ Home Telephone: (____) _____

Student's City & Zip: _____ Home Fax: (____) _____

Name of School or: _____ Grade: _____

Name of Public Library: _____

School or Library Address: _____ Telephone: (____) _____

City & Zip _____ School Fax (____) _____

School District: _____ County: _____

We give the *NJRA & NJASL* permission to: (1) enter student's name in a random drawing to select 9 students to be named **New Jersey's ENTHUSIASTIC READERS – 2009**; (2) use student's name and photograph for promotional activities in regard to *NJ Reading Association & the NJ Association of School Librarians'* activities celebrating literacy and lifetime reading.

Name of teacher or librarian submitting student's name: (Please print) _____

Signature of teacher or librarian: _____

Principal's name: (Please print) _____

Superintendent's Name: (Please print) _____

Parent's Name: (Please print) _____ Parent's Signature: _____

Please complete this form/mail to: ENTHUSIASTIC READER AWARD

c/o Gail Robinson

Deadline: FEBRUARY 2, 2009

9 High Terrace

Montclair, NJ 07042

Celebration of the Winners will take place at the NJRA Spring Conference

Location to be determined

The 9 state winners to be named **New Jersey ENTHUSIASTIC READERS –2009** each will be notified by February 9, 2009 and awarded:

1. Framed Award Certificate from the New Jersey Reading Association
2. Books
3. US Savings Bond
4. Other gifts pending

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New Jersey Association of School Librarians*

Students (K-12) who exhibit the following characteristics are eligible:

1. Exhibit an enthusiasm for reading
2. Exhibit an enthusiasm for sharing books
3. Use books for a variety of purposes
4. Read independently on a voluntary basis
5. Use school and/or public libraries
6. Select books at appropriate interest levels



Teachers, schools and public librarians are asked to commend **as many students as possible** who exhibit the characteristics above.

Possible ways to commend students include:

- (1) present *Certificates of Recognition* which have been signed by your superintendent or director
- (2) hold an Awards Assembly at schools and/or local libraries
- (3) present students with books
- (4) publish students' names in local newspapers

How to Submit Students' Names:

1. Each school district and each public library in New Jersey may submit to the *New Jersey Reading Association* & the *New Jersey Association of School Librarians* the names of **any and all students** the district or public library wishes to recognize as *Enthusiastic Readers*.

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2. These names will be entered in a random drawing to select nine students as state-wide winners to be named by the *New Jersey Reading Association* and the *New Jersey Association of School Librarians* as **New Jersey's ENTHUSIASTIC READERS - 2009**.

The students will be representing these regions:

<i>Region</i>	<i>Elementary</i>	<i>Middle</i>	<i>High School</i>
North Jersey	1	1	1
Central Jersey	1	1	1
South Jersey	1	1	1

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***Enthusiastic Reader Award Winners will represent all of the many students in New Jersey who value the joys and importance of reading.**

Go online to: www.NJASL.org or www.njreading.org

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THE CENTER FOR THE BOOK
THE NEW JERSEY READING ASSOCIATION
THE NEW JERSEY ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOL LIBRARIANS

present this

Certificate of Recognition

to

ENTHUSIASTIC READER

for demonstrating enthusiasm for *reading* during
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Chairperson-Enthusiastic Reader

Superintendent