

The School for Ethical Education's

# Laws of Life

Essay Program

A writing project promoting character development for students in grades 5-12

**2009-10 Registration Form**

Due January 22, 2010

Name of Program Coordinator: \_\_\_\_\_

School Position Title: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address (required): \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_

School Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (    ) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: (    ) \_\_\_\_\_

Application Date \_\_\_\_\_

## Participant Estimates

Writing Teacher	Grade level	Est. # of essayists

Please add additional teachers on a separate sheet.

TOTALS:

# CLASSES: \_\_\_\_\_ GRADES: \_\_\_\_\_ Total # of STUDENTS: \_\_\_\_\_

Has your school participated in *Laws of Life* in the past? \_\_\_\_\_ If so, which years? \_\_\_\_\_

Has your school had a statewide contest winner? What year(s)? \_\_\_\_\_

Can you download a copy (PDF file) of Connecticut's *Laws of Life* Program Handbook? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

If not, how many copies of the Program Handbook do you need mailed to you? \_\_\_\_\_

When will your students be writing their essays? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you know what your writing prompts will be? (Ex: character in literature or history, quotes, family or personal stories) \_\_\_\_\_

Will you be having an award reception/celebration for your contest winners? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

If not, how will you recognize your essayists? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have plans to involve the community in your contest, such as: (please check all that apply)

\_\_\_\_\_ Local Businesses \_\_\_\_\_ PTA \_\_\_\_\_ Community Civic Group

Others? \_\_\_\_\_

If you have the community involved in your contest, what are they doing? (check all that apply)

Participating as judges \_\_\_\_\_

Providing donations for prizes \_\_\_\_\_

Helping organize or host the awards ceremony \_\_\_\_\_

Would you like SEE staff to assist you with ideas for community support? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

SEE has a template for a press release on our web site. Will you use this template to inform local media?

\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

Would you be willing to send to SEE a copy (with full citation) of any media your project generates? Yes/NO

Is there anything that SEE staff can help you do to get your contest started or to strengthen your current program?

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Program Coordinator's Signature/Date

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School Administrator's Signature/Date

Please submit by **January 22, 2010** to SEE by fax (203) 783-4461,  
Scan and E-Mail—[lawsoflife@ethicsed.org](mailto:lawsoflife@ethicsed.org)  
or mail to SEE, 440 Wheelers Farms Rd., Milford, CT 06461 Atten: Laws of Life

If you have any questions please visit SEE's website at [www.ethicsed.org](http://www.ethicsed.org)

Or call SEE at (203) 783-4439