The challenge:

Identify First Peoples from two different nations. Compare and contrast their marginalization in a historical context and current experience.

(E.g., Maori, Hawaiian, Tlingit, Native people of the Americas, South Pacific, Danish, Thai, Scott, Irish, Celtic, Cambodian, Tartar, India, etc.)

Entries can be submitted in the form of an essay, poem, story, painting, collage, or photograph.

Students choosing to submit artistic work, please include a description of your inspiration and how the piece represents the topic.

Open to all 6th, 7th, and 8th graders

Entries must be received by the City Clerk’s office no later than Friday April 3rd, 2015. Entries can be mailed to: Juneau Human Rights Commission c/o 155 S. Seward, Juneau, Alaska 99801, or e-mailed to City.Clerk@Juneau.org

Include on your submission the following: your name, grade, school, and contact information (please include a mailing address to which your submission may be returned).

Awards for selected entries:

$50 for artistic entries
$50 for essay entries
Presentations to the CBJ Assembly and Alaska State Legislature
Local media publication

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