



THE RADIANT PEACE FOUNDATION INTERNATIONAL, INC.

**The Radiant Peace Education Awards®
Twenty-seventh Annual — Fall 2017**



**ESSAYS AND ART OPPORTUNITIES
FOR STUDENTS IN GRADES 1-8**



Give your students the opportunity to receive national recognition for their creative and original expressions of Radiant Peace®. Outstanding entries receive cash awards and *all* participants receive beautiful iron-on Radiant Peace Patches – it's easy:



1. Write a short essay about Radiant Peace or create art about Radiant Peace*



2. Mail the essays and/or art with a signed permission form attached to each one to The Radiant Peace Foundation International, Inc. postmarked by **December 6, 2017**



3. In January 2018, look forward to receiving lots of special awards and great Radiant Peace Patches. In addition to cash awards, outstanding entries may also be displayed at **The International Museum of Radiant Peace** in St. Petersburg, Florida

** Essays without the words "Radiant Peace" are not eligible for any awards. Since Radiant Peace goes beyond the dualities of peace and war, art which includes the peace sign used by anti-war movements is not eligible for cash awards.*

Mail all entries, with permission forms attached, to



**The Radiant Peace Foundation International, Inc.
P.O. Box 40822, St. Petersburg FL 33743**

E-mail: RadiantPeaceIntl@gmail.com * Telephone: 727-343-8212



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The International Museum of Radiant Peace

Sponsored by The Radiant Peace Foundation International, Inc.

5601 Central Ave., St. Petersburg, Florida

The International Museum of Radiant Peace is the first-ever and only museum in the world dedicated to Radiant Peace. Visitors of all ages learn about Radiant Peace through a variety of educational and interactive exhibits including “Radiant Peace and Animals,” “Radiant Peace around the World,” and “Radiant Peace in the Solar System.” This unique museum also showcases award-winning essays, art and videos about Radiant Peace from around the world.

The Museum can accommodate groups of up to 15 adults, or 15 children accompanied by teachers or staff. Group tours include interactive activities geared to the interests and ages of the visitors: ask about specific areas of interest when you schedule your tour. Plan 1-1½ hours for your visit. Please note that there no vending machines or eating areas in the museum.

Admission is free. Donations are welcome.

Open many Saturdays 10-3 and weekdays by arrangement.

Please check the Web site for current hours and special events.

Call 727-343-8212 to schedule special group tours or field trips.



The International Museum of Radiant Peace
5601 Central Avenue, St. Petersburg, Florida
— look for the purple awning!



The International Museum of Radiant Peace started in 2001 as a one-room exhibit of selected entries from the first eleven years of The Radiant Peace Education Awards® program. As larger and more varied entries were submitted, more rooms were added. In 2008, the space was remodeled and redesigned, officially becoming The International Museum of Radiant Peace. This first-ever museum dedicated to Radiant Peace® welcomes visitors from around the world.



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The Radiant Peace Education Awards®
for Grades 1-8 (27th Annual – Fall 2017)

PERMISSION TO USE MATERIAL
(Must be included with each essay, piece of art or project)

If from an individual student:

Student's Name _____ (Please print clearly)

Age _____ Grade _____

For all materials:

School _____ Phone _____

School Address _____ Email _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Principal _____ Teacher _____

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I understand and agree that by submitting the attached material to The Radiant Peace Education Awards, it becomes the property of The Radiant Peace Foundation International, Inc. and may be published or reproduced in whole or in part.

Signature of Student or responsible party _____

Please Note: for individual student entries, if signatures of student AND parent/guardian *or* teacher are not completed, material cannot be given national recognition.

Signature of Parent or Teacher (if submitted by a student) _____

Print or type name of Parent/Guardian or person granting permission _____

Email _____

Parents: Please check here to receive additional information about Radiant Peace programs. Your name will be used *only* to send you information and will not be sold or shared in any way. Thank you for your interest!

Schools: Please mail entries and this completed and signed permission form attached to each entry to:

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The Radiant Peace Education Awards
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Checklist for Entries: The Radiant Peace Education Awards®

When you have completed The Radiant Peace Education Awards at your school, please use this checklist to coordinate the mailing. Thank you!

School Name _____

Address _____

Contact Name _____

Email _____

Please include the following information in your entry packet:

Total number of participants:
students, teacher(s), and principal(s)

Grade(s) participating _____

Signed permission forms attached to front of each entry

Cover letter or comments (optional)

Entry or entries (essays must include the words “Radiant Peace”):

Radiant Peace Essays: _____ total submitted
(You may submit all entries. Remember to check spelling!)

Radiant Peace Art: _____ total submitted

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*Please postmark on or before December 6, 2017
Thank you for your participation!*