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Girls
Gone
Great

2012 Scholarship Essay Contest





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Submission Guidelines for the Girls Gone Great 2012 Contest

You have a voice, you have great ideas, you contribute, you have hopes and dreams...and, WomanTalk Live wants to hear all about it!

Tell us how you are a *girl gone great* and be eligible to win a \$1,000 continuing education scholarship and more!

Girls Gone Great is a scholarship essay contest for young women living in Maryland who are in their junior or senior year of high school in the Fall of 2011.

How to Enter

Step 1

Your essay should address all of these questions:

1. How are you making a difference in your community?
2. Why is making a difference important to you?
3. How do your actions support your vision for the future?

Your essay should be 800 words or less, single-spaced in 12-point font and checked for grammar and spelling.



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At the top of your essay, be sure to include the following information:

- You name
- Your grade level
- What high school you attend and what town it's located in
- Your home mailing address
- A phone number where you can be reached
- A working email address

Step 2

Submit a reference from someone who is *not* a family member.

At the top of the reference, please include the following information:

1. The name of the "girl gone great" they are supporting
2. The reference's name, mailing address, phone number and email address
3. Their relationship to you (teacher, advisor, church member, coach, etc.)
4. How long they have known you and in what capacity

And, answer the following question: What makes you a *girl gone great*?

Step 3

Submit your essay and reference together (as either a single attached document/pdf or as 2 *attached* documents/pdfs) and email it to **GirlsGoneGreat@WomanTalkLive.com**.



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The deadline for submission is midnight, Saturday, December 31, 2011.

When your submission is received, you will receive a confirmation email within 5 days.

All essay submissions become the property of **WomanTalk Live**. Excerpts from your essay may be read on Talkradio 680 WCBM during the WomanTalk Live show. In addition, excerpts from your essay may be used on the **WomanTalk Live** website, or in the **WomanTalk Live** newsletter, social media pages, or other printed materials.

Step 4

Really important: Review the above guidelines and instructions to ensure compliance. Failure to follow *all* guidelines will result in your essay being disqualified.

The 2012 Girl Gone Great will be announced on the WomanTalk Live radio show airing Saturday, March 3, 2012.

The 2012 Girl Gone Great will be a guest on WomanTalk Live on Saturday, March 31, 2012 (make sure you will be available for this).

Thanks for your interest in our **2012 Girls Gone Great Scholarship Essay Contest**. Good Luck! We look forward to learning all about you!

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