

Americanism

Purpose:

- Be knowledgeable on flag history, etiquette, and proper disposal methods, and promote the observation of patriotic holidays so your community will look to the ALA for information.
- Increase participation in the Americanism Essay Contest.
- Participate in the promotion of The American Legion Americanism programs.

2022-2023 Save the Date:

- Americanism Essay is due to Southern Division Chairman by April 15. Please set your deadlines accordingly. Topic: "What does Patriotism mean to you?" Department deadline will be by March 15, 2023.
- Americanism Unit and Department Awards must be postmarked or emailed by June 1 at 1700.

2022-2023 Challenges:

- Contact local schools and teach our youth about flag etiquette! Please check with the school about their picture policy. Post pictures in the Department of Texas Americanism Facebook page (remember to put your unit number)! The unit, district, and division with the most likes on their pictures will get a prize!

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