# 2024 Entry Form

Please Print Clearly

Story Title:	
Word Count:	
Author's Name:	
Email:	
Phone:	
Address:	
Check One: □ City □ County □ MD of Greenview	
Entry Category Check One	

- □ Grades 1-3
- □ Grades 4-6
- □ Grades 7-9
- □ Grades 10-12
- □ Adult

# **PRIZES**

## <u>Grades 1 - 3</u>

First Prize	\$150.00
Second Prize	\$125.00
Third Prize	\$100.00

# <u>Grades 4 - 6</u>

First Prize	\$200.00
Second Prize	\$150.00
Third Prize	\$125.00

# <u>Grades 7 - 9</u>

First Prize	\$250.00
Second Prize	\$200.00
Third Prize	\$150.00

#### <u>Grades 10 - 12</u>

First Prize	\$300.00
Second Prize	\$250.00
Third Prize	\$200.00

#### <u>Adult</u>

First Prize	\$350.00
Second Prize	\$300.00
Third Prize	\$250.00





Memories connect us to the past and keep our history alive. They stay with us forever. Memories can be vivid pictures or sweet recollections, but they can also be distorted or unreliable.

As we head into the 20th anniversary of the Collins Writing Contest, we ask local writers to explore the idea of

# Memories



All winners, including honourable mentions will receive a copy of the anthology of the winning stories.

#### **RULES SUMMARY**

Authors are responsible for reading the full rules and FAQ available at www.gppl.ca and at the Children's Information Desk.

- 1. Authors must live in the City or County of Grande Prairie, or the MD of Greenview.
- 2. Entries must be unpublished, 2000 words or less, and be the work of a single author.
- 3. Entries must be typed and double spaced, with a minimum of 12-point font.
- 4. Entries must include a completed entry form, stapled to the front of the story.
- 5. The author's name must not appear anywhere on the story itself.
- 6. Entries must be submitted in print form emailed entries will not be accepted.
- 7. Each author must save a copy of their story (as .doc, .docx) to submit if they are selected as a winner.

GPPL staff members will notify winners by phone, starting Friday, April 5, 2024

#### **ENTERING CONTEST**

Entries can be dropped off at the Grande Prairie Public Library, or mailed to

Collins Writing Contest
Grande Prairie Public Library
101-9839 103 Avenue
Grande Prairie, AB
T8V 6M7

#### **Entry Deadline**

Thursday, February 29, 2024 at 8:00 pm

Stories submitted after the deadline will not be accepted.

### **Questions?**

Check our website at www.gppl.ca for full rules and FAQ

Questions? Call 780-357-7477