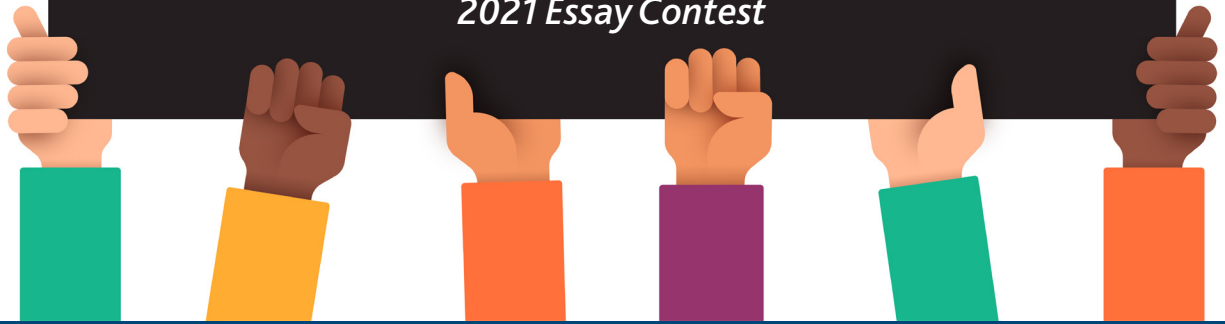


The Law Society of British Columbia

RULE OF LAW

2021 Essay Contest



BC secondary school students are invited to submit a 1,000 – 1,500 word essay for the Law Society's sixth annual Rule of Law essay contest.

There are two topics for this year's essay contest.

1. How does civil disobedience impact the rule of law?
2. What role does the rule of law have in advancing reconciliation with Indigenous people?

Submission deadline: May 14, 2021

WHO IS ELIGIBLE:

BC Grade 12 students and students who have taken, or are currently enrolled in, either Law 12, Political Studies 12, Social Studies 12 or Social Justice 11.

AWARD PRESENTATION AND PUBLICATION:

The Law Society will select one winning essay and one runner-up from the entries it receives overall. (There will not be one winner and runner-up for each topic). The first prize winner will receive an award of \$1,000; the runner-up will receive \$500. Winning entries will also be published in the Law Society's newsletter, the Benchers' Bulletin. If circumstances permit, the winner and runner-up will be invited to a special awards presentation.

FOR CONTEST DETAILS:

Further details are available on our [website](#).

Entries should be submitted as a PDF or MS Word document by email to the Law Society at essay@lsbc.org or by mail to:

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