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# **Brainerd Branch**



## **Calling All Writers**

To Be Young, Gifted, & Black: A Creativity Series

We are looking for essay writers to participate in our "Rev., Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr." writing contest.

### **Essay Theme:**

A Letter "Dear Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.: What Celebrating Your Birthday Means to Me."

**Starts**: Tuesday, January 2, 2013 **Ends**: Thursday, January 31, 2013

Essay must be received on or before Thursday, January 31, 2013 at the **Brainerd Branch**, 1350 W. 89<sup>th</sup> Street, Chicago, IL 60620.

For additional information, please call (312) 747-6291. Recommended for students in grades 3-8

#### Essay Rules and Guidelines:

- 1. Essay must be 200 words or less.
- 2. Writer must complete and attach a submission form.
- 3. One essay per student.
- 4. One winner will be chosen from each grade level, for a total of six (6) winners.
- 5. Winners will be selected on Friday, May 31, 2013.
- 6. Winners will be notified on Monday, June 10, 2013.
- 7. All winners will receive a prize and recognition during the summer reading program opening ceremony.

Brainerd Branch, 1350 W. 89<sup>th</sup> Street Chicago, IL 60620 (312) 747-6291 Service Hours: M & W, 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.; T & Th, 12 p.m. - 8 p.m.; F & S, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.; Sun., closed





