

WOODS ELEMENTARY

ESSAY CONTEST

Contest Theme: How do you show your Wolverine G.R.O.W.L. at Woods?

Our school is the very best when students Give their best effort, show Respect for all, have Outstanding character, Wolverine pride, and Lead by example. How do you help make Woods a better place? Write an essay to explain what it means to show your G.R.O.W.L.

Essay Criteria:

- ★ All essays must be original and performed without adult help. No plagiarism.
- ★ Essay Minimum Word Requirements
 - Kindergarten- 15 words
 - 1st Grade- 1 paragraph/25 words
 - 2nd Grade- 2 paragraphs/50 words
 - 3rd Grade- 3 paragraphs/75 words
 - 4th Grade- 5 paragraphs/125 words (typed, size 12 font, double spaced)
 - 5th Grade- 5 paragraphs/150 words (typed, size 12 font, double spaced)
 - 6th Grade- 5 paragraphs/175 words (typed, size 12 font, double spaced)

Contest Rules:

- ★ Only open to current Woods students.
- ★ All entries must be received by the student's classroom teacher by May 1, 2024.
- ★ Winning essays and/or quotes may be distributed and shared on Woods social media pages and other school communications.
- ★ Student's first and last name and room number must be included on every page.

Awards:

- ★ One winner per grade level. Winning students will be awarded a medallion.
- ★ All Participating 4th-6th grade students will earn Block W credit.

Due to Teacher: May 1, 2024

