The Fourteenth Amendment to the U.S. Constitution was ratified in 1868, and we will celebrate its 150th anniversary in 2018. Students should discuss the equal protection clause and its importance in their lives. Students should also demonstrate an understanding of the cases and laws and the nature of the constitutional right to an equal education.

First place essay and video contest winners will receive a $1,000 prize, second place essay and video contest winners will receive a $500 prize, and three third place essay and video contest winners will receive a $100 prize.

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