



*Benjamin Franklin*  
S C H O L A R A W A R D

*Guidelines and Calendar*

Write an essay of no more than 750 words discussing the modern-day relevance of the following quote by Benjamin Franklin:

"Love your Enemies, for they tell you your Faults".

Franklin, Benjamin. "Poor Richard Improved." 1756. [www.franklinpapers.org](http://www.franklinpapers.org).

**Requirements for Students:**

1. Be in their junior year at a Pennsylvania public high school.
2. Refer to Turnitin rubric-Argument tab for judging criteria.
3. Create original work accurately documented with citations.
4. Essay must have a works cited page to be considered for judging.
5. Include the page number and title of the essay in the footer of each page.
6. Save essay document as **EssayTitle\_StudentInitials**.
7. Submit essay to your school's BFSA coordinator who will then complete online essay submission.

**2020 Calendar:**

- **Essay Submission Deadline: Friday, February 21, 2020**
- Winner Notification: Monday, March 23, 2020
- Award Presentation at The Pennsylvania Society Annual Meeting and Luncheon in Hershey, PA: Friday, April 17, 2020