



## “Diversity and Environment Education for Everyone”

### World Cultural Fair Contest - Sept. 26, 2008

The City of Little Rock Racial and Cultural Diversity Commission: WorldFest 2008 will highlight the diversity of our students during the “World Cultural Fair” (much like a science fair) on September 26, 2008, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the William J. Clinton Presidential Library and Park. This year’s theme is “Diversity and Environment Education for Everyone.” We invite all high schools, middle schools and elementary schools in the state, both public and private to participate.

Schools may enter the contest by selecting one or more continents they wish to represent. Once you have made your selection(s), email that information to Dr. Reginald Wilson, at [reginald.wilson@arkansas.gov](mailto:reginald.wilson@arkansas.gov). Dr. Wilson will return your email and assign you a country from that continent(s) you have selected for your class to represent at WorldFest.

Schools should create a tri-fold board with information about the country (geography, history, culture, etc) to display. Students should be prepared to tell judges/visitors highlights and interesting facts about the country they are representing. Displays will be judged on appearance, information presented, and the students’ knowledge about their country. Additionally, we would ask that students (on a rotation basis) are available at their display to discuss highlights about their country with the general public attending WorldFest on Friday.

There will be one Grand Prize winner and a 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup>, place winner for each continent.

Continents:

- \_\_\_\_\_ Africa
- \_\_\_\_\_ Asia
- \_\_\_\_\_ Australia/Oceania
- \_\_\_\_\_ Europe
- \_\_\_\_\_ North America
- \_\_\_\_\_ South America

Application must be received no later than September 5th, 2008.



# City of Little Rock Racial & Cultural Diversity Commission: WorldFest 2008

William J. Clinton Presidential Center and Park,  
1200 President Clinton Avenue,  
Little Rock, AR 72201

**“Diversity and Environmental Education for Everyone”**

Friday, September 26, 2008  
9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

## WORLD CULTURAL FAIR REGISTRATION FORM

**Deadline for applications is September 5, 2008**

Name of School: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Level \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell No: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax No: \_\_\_\_\_

### SELECT THE CONTINENT FOR THE CONTEST

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|--|--|---------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Africa            | <input type="checkbox"/> North America | <input type="checkbox"/> Asia   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Australia/Oceania | <input type="checkbox"/> South America | <input type="checkbox"/> Europe |

***Contest Coordinator will assign a country from the selected continent for contest***

### STUDENTS SHOULD CONSIDER SOME OR ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:

- Must display information (geography, history, culture, etc.) on a tri-fold board on selected country
- Must provide an oral presentation of the highlights and interesting facts about their selected country
- May wear traditional costume, have a flag of your country, teach a craft, demonstrate an ethnic game, dance, or provide music (optional)
- Must have a student at the display to discuss their country with the general public at all times
- Students should be as creative as possible

Teachers are encouraged to help in the planning process and set up.

For more information on the World Cultural Fair Contest, please contact  
Dr. Reginald Wilson, Contest Coordinator, at [reginald.wilson@arkansas.gov](mailto:reginald.wilson@arkansas.gov) or (501) 682-1059 or  
WorldFest 2008 staff at (501) 918-5314 or (501) 244-5483.

Attachment

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Country Assigned \_\_\_\_\_

School District \_\_\_\_\_

Confirmed space # \_\_\_\_\_