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## Feeling creative? Enter Dallas Public Library's Short Story Contest

*The competition is part of the Dallas International Book Fair to be held July 6-8*

**DALLAS, TX** – Do you have a story to tell? If so, you could win a prize in the Dallas Public Library's Short Story Contest. The contest is part of the Second Annual Dallas International Book Fair, to be held July 6-8 at the Central Library, 1515 Young St.

First, second and third place prizes will be awarded, and winners will be invited to a special ceremony with local, national and international authors. Stories must be original, not a copy of an existing piece, and not previously published, and entrants must be 18 or older

Stories can be submitted in English, Spanish, Chinese, Vietnamese and Korean, and may be submitted in person, or by mail to: International Book Fair, 1515 Young St, Dallas, TX 75201 or to [mrodriguez@dallaslibrary.org](mailto:mrodriguez@dallaslibrary.org). **Deadline for entries is 5 p.m. Thursday, June 21.** For complete rules and requirements, go to <http://www.dallasinternationalbookfair.com/contest.doc>.

Local, national and international authors and illustrators will discuss their work, present workshops and sign books at the Second Annual Dallas International Book Fair. The free event will also feature artistic and cultural performances for the entire family. Activities are scheduled from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and Saturday and 1 to 5 p.m. Sunday, July 6-8.

Find more information about the International Book Fair at [www.dallasinternationalbookfair.com](http://www.dallasinternationalbookfair.com).

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