



# CONTEST

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# ENDING VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN

nov 26 - dec 10, 2012



essay contest



SHOW YOUR  
**SUPPORT**  
ENTER NOW  
**TO WIN AN**  
**iPOD**  
Touch & Shuffle!

Tell us about a specific action you can take in the international effort to **END VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN** in an essay of 200 words.

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In conjunction with **16 DAYS OF ACTIVISM AGAINST GENDER VIOLENCE** and **IN RECOGNITION OF INTERNATIONAL DAY FOR THE ELIMINATION OF VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN on NOVEMBER 25, 2012**, the Lincoln Resource Center would like to invite you to participate in an essay-writing contest.

**THEME/TITLE: "Ending Violence Against Women"**

Tell us about a specific action you can take in the international effort to end violence against women.

**GUIDELINES:**

- Participant must be Malaysian national between the ages of 16 and 20,
- One essay per person,
- Essays must be original and unpublished,
- The essay must be typed in English; not more than 200 words,

- Font: Times Roman
- Font size: 12 point

At the bottom of your essay, provide:

- total word count,
- your full name,
- age,
- e-mail address,
- postal mailing address,
- telephone numbers.

**DEADLINE:** Essays must be received before Monday, December 10, 2012

**PRIZES:** Winner: iPod Touch and certificate  
Runners Up: iPod Shuffle and certificate

The winning essay will be published on the U.S. Embassy and Lincoln Resource Center websites and social media platforms. The Embassy reserves the right to edit the winning essay for clarity and grammar before it is published on Embassy electronic platforms.

**PLEASE SEND YOUR ENTRIES VIA EMAIL (ONLY) TO:** [IRCKualalumpur@state.gov](mailto:IRCKualalumpur@state.gov)

**Visit a Lincoln Corner!** You are welcome to visit any of our nine [Lincoln Corners](#) located across the country and to browse through our collection, including the books, periodicals, multimedia materials and database, to expand your understanding of this issue and the worldwide effort to end violence against women. You may use the Lincoln Corner computer/s, iPads, and Kindles if you wish, to type and submit your original essays (no plagiarism, please). Only the winner and runners-up will be notified. Results will be published in the third week of December.

The Embassy's decisions will be final. No correspondence will be entertained on the decisions.

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