Pride in Public Education \$1,000 scholarship for a Year 11 Student

The recently announced Essay Competition is "Another way of recognising the talents of our students in NSW's world-class Public Education System" says P&C Federation President Jason Vials.

The Hon Adrian Piccoli MP, Minister for Education, launched the inaugural Public Education Foundation Essay Competition run by The Public Education Foundation. The Essay Competition is open to NSW year 11 students who attend a public school. Students are invited to write a 400 word essay on 'Why a Good Public Education System Matters in Modern Australia'.

"The Public Education Foundation has an essential role in advancing the reputation of public education by actively advocating for the sector and celebrating excellence and achievement within it" says Jason.

The winning entry will receive a \$1,000 scholarship from the Public Education Foundation to support their education expenses. Entries, as judged by members of the Retired Teachers Association, should showcase quality of content, originality and format.

More information at http://www.publiceducationfoundation.org.au/scholarship-archive/the-publiceducation-foundation-essay-competition/

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