



NEHS

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Adventure Writing Award

This award invites NEHS student members and Chapter Advisors to reflect on the meaningful adventures they have undertaken, whether short or long, close to home or far-flung, that have shaped their understanding of the world.



For 2027, the Hebestreit Award for Adventure Writing invites submissions that engage with the idea of reaching, and reimagining, the edge of the map. Consider how landscapes, cities, and changing environments shape emotion, memory, and perception. Whether wandering through unfamiliar streets or internal places, think about what it means to move beyond the boundaries of the known, and how place transforms your understanding of the world and yourself.

Applicants must submit an original piece in one of the following genres: fiction, nonfiction, poetry, drama, hybrid forms, or graphic storytelling.



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