

Vivek Ramaswamy American Identity Scholarship

In the face of declining national pride, **Vivek Ramaswamy** will endow a new scholarship to revive patriotism amongst young Americans. This year, ten high school students will be eligible to receive a \$25,000 scholarship for concisely articulating what it means to be an American in 2023.

Ten winners will be selected by a panel of judges to each receive a \$25,000 scholarship for post-secondary education, entrepreneurial endeavors, or their commitment to serve in a military or law enforcement role.

The scholarship will be administered by <u>Incubate Debate</u>, a nonprofit organization that leads U.S. students to debate important issues of public importance.

In consultation with the founding benefactor (Vivek Ramaswamy), <u>Incubate Debate</u> will provide coaching tips to students on delivering confident, concise, and clear messages via Twitter.

Rules

- Submit a **two-minute** video answering the question, "What does it mean to be an American?"
- Current high school student (grades 9-12) or recent graduate (class of 2023)
- Submit by Friday, August 18 at 9PM Eastern Time

- Winners will be announced in late-September 2023 (shortly after the start of the new school year)
- Any submission reasonably interpreted to endorse any specific candidate for public office or political party will be disqualified.

Judging Criteria

• Submissions will be evaluated based on their thoughtfulness, insight, and ability to stimulate thought or discussion about the topic.

First Name	Last Name	
Email Address		
City, State		
Phone Number		
What do you plan to pursue after graduating from high schoool?		
Upload your video	<u>X</u>	

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