## **ANNOUNCING:**

JCTA's Human & Civil Rights Committee's

Annual MLK, Jr. Diversity Arts Contest

# 2017-2018 Themes:

#### Elementary (K-3, 4-5, ECE):

"Be a bush if you can't be a tree. If you can't be a highway, just be a trail. If you can't be a sun, be a star. For it isn't by size that you win or fail. Be the best of whatever you are." —from speech before a group of students at Barratt Junior High School in Philadelphia, October 26, 1967

### Middle School (6-8, ECE)/High School (9-12, ECE):

"... I am convinced that men hate each other because they fear each other. They fear each other because they don't know each other, and they don't know each other because they don't communicate with each other, and they don't communicate with each other because they are separated from each other."—MLK, Jr speech at Cornell College on October 15, 1962

### **Categories:**

(Elementary: K-3, 4-5; Middle School: 6-8; High School: 9-12: ECE) Writing----Visual Art----Drama

- The winner in each category will be invited to attend the JCTA Martin Luther King, Jr. Awards Dinner in January 2018.
- All entries must be postmarked by Thursday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> or hand-delivered to the JCTA office by 5:00 p.m. on Friday, November 3rd in order to be considered.
- Go to the JCTA website at <u>www.jcta.org</u> to download contest information.
- Questions? Contact JCTA UniServ Director Dawn Moretz at 454-3400 or HCR@jcta.org.

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