

HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS *SEND US YOUR COLLEGE ESSAYS!*

“ **Mirrors show us what we look like, not who we are. Similarly, when I look into the faces of others I know they see me, but not who I am. They see parts of me, the halves—the half-black half-white skin, the half-straight half-curly hair—and they are unable to put the pieces together to see who I am.** ”

EXCERPT: 'THEY SEE ME IN HALVES OR PARTS'

BY SYDNI SHEFF

2017 SN&R COLLEGE ESSAY FIRST PLACE WINNER

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You spent time crafting the perfect essay that would make your family proud and dazzle your college picks. Why not get a little more out your hard work?

SN&R is giving you the opportunity to show off your college essay to our 350,000 readers--and the chance to win some extra money.

THE PRIZES: First place will receive a \$2,000 award, second place \$1,000; and third place \$500.

THE RULES: High-school seniors graduating in 2018 are eligible. Only one entry allowed per student, and you must live in the Sacramento region to apply. No SN&R employees or their relatives may enter.

THE DETAILS: The details: Essays must be no longer than 650 words. Send your essay as a Word document, a PDF or place it in the body of your email to: collegeessay@newsreview.com, with the subject line "College Essay Contest." Deadline is Friday, May 11, at 5 p.m.

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