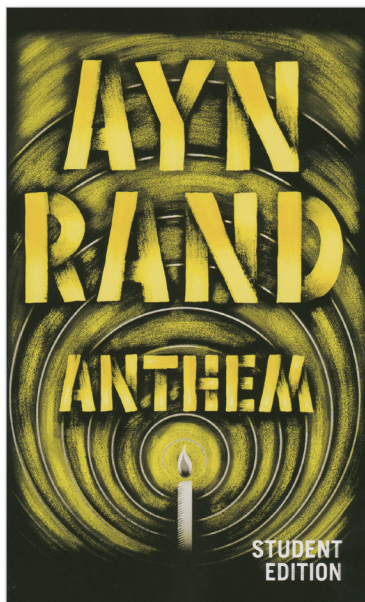


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## FIRST PLACE

- Ashley Yuen, Irvine, CA – Irvine High School, Irvine, CA

## SECOND PLACE

- Min Kim, Seoul, Seoul, South Korea – The Lawrenceville School, Lawrence Township, NJ
- Chenxin Zhang, Coquitlam, BC, Canada – Port Moody Secondary School, Port Moody, BC, Canada
- Serena Zhang, Toronto, ON, Canada – Victoria Park Collegiate Institute, Toronto, ON, Canada

## THIRD PLACE

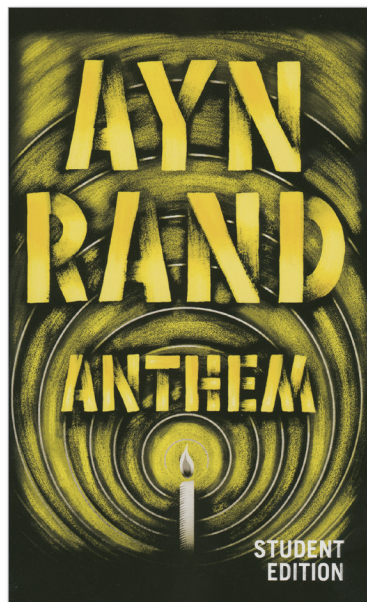
- Yoon Ha, Chun, Seoul, Seoul, South Korea – Seoul International School, Seongnam, Seoul, South Korea
- Angelica Hill, Sandy Springs, GA – Centennial High School, Roswell, GA
- Kent Murray, Vaughan, ON, Canada – Father Bressani Catholic High School, Vaughan, ON, Canada
- Neha Samuel, Monroe, CT – Masuk High School, Monroe, CT
- Rebekah Warrick, Hollywood, FL – College Academy at Broward College, Davie, FL

## FINALISTS

- Moises Acero, Elmhurst, NY – Maspeth High School, Elmhurst, NY
- Alice Mae Alford, Coppell, TX – Coppell High School, Coppell, TX
- Emily Boyett, Du Quoin, IL – Du Quoin High School, Du Quoin, IL
- Peyton Cox, Comox, BC, Canada – SelfDesign Learning Community, Vancouver, BC, Canada
- Emma Gardiner, Temecula, CA – Home-schooled, Temecula, CA
- Victor Gelfuso, Richfield Springs, NY – Richfield Springs Central School, Richfield Springs, NY
- Matthew Giffin, Fayetteville, TN – Fayetteville High School, Fayetteville, TN
- Laim Hansborough, Leeds, West Yorkshire, United Kingdom – York College, York, West Yorkshire, United Kingdom
- Ann Hollis, Holcomb, MS – Home-schooled, Holcomb, MS
- Bona Hong, Seoul, Seoul, South Korea – Phillips Exeter Academy, Exeter, NH

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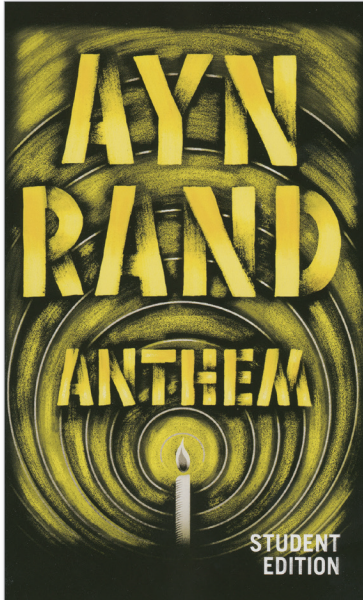


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- Sabrina Iraschko, Calgary, AB, Canada – Springbank Community High School, Calgary, AB, Canada
- D’Nean Jarrett, Scarborough, ON, Canada – Agincourt Collegiate Institute, Toronto, ON, Canada
- Mikaela Jarvis, Herriman, UT – Herriman High School, Herriman, UT
- Zichen Jin, Shanghai, Shanghai, China – Shanghai World Foreign Language Academy, Shanghai, Shanghai, China
- Alina Jugan, Raleigh, NC – Wake Stem Early College High School, Raleigh, NC
- Joshua Kang, Austin, TX – Westwood High School, Austin, TX
- Avani Kashyap, Irving, TX – Coppell High School, Coppell, TX
- Rachel Ker, Irvine, CA – Arnold O. Beckman High School, Irvine, CA
- Serin Koh, Fort Lee, NJ – Dwight-Englewood School, Englewood, NJ
- Vivian Kuang, San Ramon, CA – Dougherty Valley High School, San Ramon, CA
- Young Jae Lee, Seoul, Seoul, South Korea – Seoul Scholars International, Seoul, Seoul, South Korea
- Eiman Leung, Irvine, CA – Irvine High School, Irvine, CA
- Enling Liao, Lyneham, Australian Capital Territory, Australia – Radford College, Bruce, Australian Capital Territory, Australia
- Edisa Longo, Kampala, Central, Uganda – Uganda Martyrs’ Secondary School Namugongo, Wakiso, Central, Uganda
- Raegan Marek, Normandy Park, WA – Mount Rainier High School, Des Moines, WA
- Braden Marshall, Fall River, NS, Canada – Lockview High School, Fall River, NS, Canada
- Natalie McDaniel, Early Branch, SC – Home-schooled, Early Branch, SC
- Allie Melville, Nanjing, Virginia Beach, VA – Floyd Kellam High School, Virginia Beach, VA
- Jodie Meng, Champion, IL – Illinois Mathematics and Science Academy, Aurora, IL
- Trang Nguyen, Oakville, ON, Canada – Oakville Trafalgar High School, Oakville, ON, Canada
- Sydney O’Connell, Beaverdam, VA – Patrick Henry High School, Ashland, VA
- Alexis Okengwu, Brampton, ON, Canada – Ascension of Our Lord Secondary School, Mississauga, ON, Canada
- Elijah Priwer, Castaic, CA – West Ranch High School, Valencia, CA
- Salma Ragheb, Toronto, ON, Canada – Humber College, Toronto, ON, Canada
- Avery Reed, Santa Rosa, CA – Credo High School, Rohnert Park, CA

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## FINALISTS (continued)

- Olivia Ridley, West Orange, NJ – West Orange High School, West Orange, NJ
- Josune Rodriguez, Somersworth, NH – Tri-City Christian Academy, Somersworth, NH
- Eden Rowland, Greer, SC – Home-schooled, Greer, SC
- Anastazia Rudolph, Dayton, NV – Silver Stage High School, Silver Springs, NV
- Hannah Schlecht, Fontana, CA – Whitman Academy, Amman, Amman, Jordan
- Maya SinhaRoy, Edison, NJ – J.P. Stevens High School, Edison, NJ
- Danielle Sommerman, English, IN – Crawford County High School, Marengo, IN
- Dhruvraj Taragi, Nainital, Uttarakhand, India – St. Joseph's College, Nainital, Uttarakhand, India
- Kathleen Thomas, Standish, ME – Home-schooled, Standish, ME
- Sara Viray, Glendale, CA – Crescenta Valley High School, La Crescenta, CA
- Rachel Wachman, Sharon, MA – Sharon High School, Sharon, MA
- Catherine Wang, San Diego, CA – Canyon Crest Academy, San Diego, CA
- Yiffin Wang, Irvine, CA – Irvine High School, Irvine, CA
- Andre Washington, West Chester, PA – B. Reed Henderson High School, West Chester, PA
- Lydia West, Frenchtown, MT – Frenchtown High School, Frenchtown, MT