



27-02-25 Results of the student short film (video) competition on the theme “The Holocaust in the Collective Memory of the Greeks”, school year 2024–2025

Following the completion of the evaluation process by the competent committee, the results of the student short film (video) competition on the theme “The Holocaust in the Collective Memory of the Greeks” for the 2024–2025 school year have been announced.

The prize winners and honorary mentions in the competition, which has been organized for the 11th consecutive year by the General Secretariat for Religious Affairs of the Ministry of Education, Religious Affairs and Sports in cooperation with the Jewish Museum of Greece, will participate in a special educational program of the Jewish Museum of Greece, including an educational visit to the Auschwitz-Birkenau State Museum in Poland. For the 2024–2025 school year, the student short film competition was held, for the first time, simultaneously in Cyprus, in cooperation with the Ministry of Education, Sport and Youth of Cyprus, pursuant to the Memorandum of February 27, 2024, between the Ministry of Education, Religious Affairs and Sports (General Secretariat for Religious Affairs) of the Hellenic Republic, the Church of Greece, the Central Jewish Council of Greece, the Jewish Museum of Greece, the Ministry of Education, Sport and Youth of the Republic of Cyprus, and the Church of Cyprus.

For schools in Greece, five (5) Awards and eighteen (18) Honorary Mentions are granted, as follows:

AWARDS

- 2nd General High School of Koropi – SONDERKOMMANDO 182727
- N. Zagorianakou Educational Institutions – Lublin
- 2nd General High School of Eleftheriou Kordeliou – Holocaust Distortion
- 7th General High School of Thessaloniki – Zakhor: Remember
- 7th General High School of Thessaloniki – “Let’s Stay Alive...”

HONORARY MENTIONS

- 2nd General High School of Thermaikos – There Is No “Why” Here
- 1st General High School of Alimos – War Hide-and-Seek
- Private Day General High School Diamantopoulos Educational Institutions – In Search of Redemption
- 6th General High School of Glyfada – The Holocaust through the Eyes of a Child
- Arsakeio High School of Thessaloniki – The Past
- 3rd General High School of Alimos – Shadows in Time. Light in the Soul. The Athletes of the Holocaust
- E. Mantoulides Schools – Silence Is a Cry
- Fryganiotis Schools – I Am Rozina
- 6th General High School of Glyfada – Who Remembers?
- 3rd General High School of Agia Paraskevi – Fear
- 2nd General High School of Sykies – Memory of the Romaniotes
- 2nd General High School of Thermaikos – Grandma’s Letter
- Gerakas Art Middle School with High School Classes – Rails
- Private Day General High School Diamantopoulos Educational Institutions – The Final Solution: The Road of Martyrdom
- 2nd Model General High School of Thessaloniki “White Tower” – Lives That Were Extinguished
- 6th General High School of Glyfada – 115965 Errikos Aaron Halegua
- Day General High School of Pastra – APEL FINAL
- 1st Model General High School of Thessaloniki M. Andronikos – Voices of the Past-The Memory of the Holocaust in Thessaloniki

During the 2024–2025 school year, fifty-four (54) valid entries from thirty (30) schools were submitted from the Regional Directorates of Attica, Central Macedonia, the Ionian Islands and Epirus, and specifically from the Directorates of Secondary Education of A, B, C and D of Athens, East Attica, East Thessaloniki, West Thessaloniki, Kefallinia and Ioannina.

Two (2) awards are granted to schools of Cyprus, as follows:

AWARDS

- Pancyprian High School of Larnaca – Memories with a Taste of Ice Cream
- Agios Georgios High School of Lakatamia – The Holocaust in the Collective Memory of the Greeks

The General Secretariat for Religious Affairs would like to warmly thank and congratulate all participants for the noteworthy and interesting work they presented and to emphasize that the efforts of all participants are highly commendable.