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February Writing Competition

Middle College Students (Grades 9-12)

1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners receive \$50, \$30 and \$20--CASH.

All essays will be graded using the TNREADY Informative Rubric for grades 9-12.

Black History Month (February) 2021

Who was Robert Church (Senior) and how did he save Memphis after the Yellow Fever Epidemic?

Cite evidence from research to support your thesis.

Resources to Get You Started—Also locate additional texts

- [Robert Church—BlackPast.org](#)
- [How Did Robert Church Save Memphis \(Commercial Appeal\)?](#)
- [In Class with Dr. Carr—Who Was Robert Church \(YouTube\)](#)
- [Robert Church—TN Encyclopedia](#)

All essays must be emailed to

Dr. Gnintedem at gnintedemaf@scsk12.org before noon on Friday, February 26th, 2021.



Developing Exceptional Writers, One Essay at a Time!