EVERY CHILD HAS A NAME
LEGACY PROJECT

Million children were killed during the Holocaust. The Every Child Has A Name Legacy Project will remember these children through research and creative thought.

1. Visit the Yad Vashem Central Database of Shoah Victim’s Names.
2. Go to Advanced Search.
3. Search for a child murdered during the Holocaust by entering a year of birth between 1929 and 1940.
4. Select a child’s name to learn more about them, including birth place, place of death, and more.
5. Use the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum’s Encyclopedia of the Holocaust to research your selected child’s place of birth, place of death, and other locations on their record.
6. Create an artwork, poem, creative narrative, essay or other work inspired by the your selected child.

Criteria

• Must be submitted online in PDF format to: https://dhhrm.formstack.com/forms/echn
• Must be an original project based on individual research of a child murdered in the Holocaust.
• Must be on 8.5” x 11” paper.
• Your work should be guided by the following questions:
  Why did you select this child? How did this child inspire you? Why does this child need to be remembered? What can we learn from this child’s short life?
• Entries will be judged using a rubric based on artistry, creativity, originality, level of demonstrated research, and overall impact.

Selected projects will be honored at a special virtual or in-person ceremony in 2021.

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