## Do The Write Thing (DTWT) Essay Contest Detroit Teachers Meeting



Meeting Time & Location: Wednesday, December 9, 2015 4:00 PM Detroit Enterprise Academy 11224 Kercheval Detroit, MI 48214

A meeting will take place for all Detroit middle school teachers that are interested in learning about the Do the Write Thing (DTWT) essay contest. The DTWT challenge gives middle school students an opportunity to examine the impact of youth violence on their lives in classroom discussions and in written form by communicating what they think should be done to change our culture of violence. By encouraging students to make personal commitments to do something about the problem, the DTWT program ultimately seeks to empower them to break the cycles of violence in their homes, schools and neighborhoods. Each year, two essay finalists are selected to present Detroit in Washington, D.C., and the students' essays are added to the Library of Congress. Contact the Detroit City DTWT Chair, Zemen Marrugi, for additional information about the DTWT essay contest and the teachers meeting.

**Contact Information to RSVP:** 

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