



**"Firearm regulations,
to include bans of
handguns and assault
weapons, are the most
effective way to
reduce firearm
related injuries."**

**American Academy of Pediatrics
position statement, April 2000**

Pictures above are of 13 of the 20 children and 6 adults killed in the Sandy Hook Elementary School shooting December 14, 2012.

Americans Against Gun Violence

**Announces an essay contest open to
all High School students in the United States
with \$15,000 in total awards.**

To enter the contest, high school students should submit an original essay of 500 words or fewer describing their thoughts about the above position statement of the American Academy of Pediatrics.

**Deadline for essay submission is April 18, 2020
For contest details, go to aagunv.org; email: info@aagunv.org;
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