



State of Missouri
Governor's Proclamation

WHEREAS, student knowledge of civics is imperative to know what government is, how it works, the principles upon which it was founded, how it affects your life, and how one can influence or change it; and

WHEREAS, study of the history, workings, influence, organization, and evolution of United States political thought, governmental systems, and political processes is the very core of citizenship and civic duty; and

WHEREAS, the importance of civics awareness in Missouri, is to inform students of the true American experiment: our system of limited government and its checks and balances were designed to promote self-government; and

WHEREAS, Missouri remains committed to have students be knowledgeable of the key points of United States history and civics; and

WHEREAS, it is important to emolden all Missouri students, educators, and parents/guardians to participate fully with civics awareness.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Michael L. Parson, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI, do hereby proclaim October 2021 to be

CIVICS AWARENESS MONTH

in Missouri.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Missouri, in the City of Jefferson, this 13th day of July, 2021.



A blue ink signature of Michael L. Parson.

Michael L. Parson
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

A blue ink signature of Jay Ashcroft.
SECRETARY OF STATE