



Gary Richard Herbert  
Governor

Declaration

Whereas, Utah is the only A+ state for financial literacy in the United States per the 2017 Financial Report Card from Champlain College's Center for Financial Literacy;

Whereas, there are more than 400 teachers teaching approximately 45,000 students the importance of savings in a General Financial Literacy Course in Utah each year;

Whereas, all Utahns have a responsibility to help teach children strong financial values and money management skills, such as how to save;

Whereas, financial health, including having a savings plan and emergency cash fund, is essential to household economic stability in Utah; and,

Whereas, teaching children to save money early can help form a lifetime of positive habits committed to savings and fiscal responsibility, ultimately helping the rising generation eliminate problems with debt, relieve financial anxiety, and ensure a higher quality of life;

Now, therefore, I, Gary R. Herbert, Governor of the great State of Utah, do hereby declare April 20, 2018, as

Teach Children to Save Day in Utah

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