



STATE of MINNESOTA

Proclamation

WHEREAS:

College Knowledge Month in Minnesota seeks to increase the number of students who are applying to college early in their senior year, with an emphasis on first-generation students, low-income students, and students who may not otherwise apply to college; and

WHEREAS:

In 2011, 17 schools participated in a pilot program known as College Application Week. This year, more than 175 schools, including college access programs, will participate in what is now known as College Knowledge Month in Minnesota; and

WHEREAS:

College Knowledge Month in Minnesota is part of a nationwide American College Application Campaign (ACAC) initiative. During the 2014 school year, all 50 states and Washington, DC will participate; and

WHEREAS:

Students at participating Minnesota high schools will receive assistance as they complete college applications during the school day, with the goal of each participating student submitting at least one college application.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARK DAYTON, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the month of October 2014, as:

COLLEGE KNOWLEDGE MONTH

in the State of Minnesota.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this 1st day of October.


GOVERNOR



SECRETARY OF STATE