

## Proclamation

## By the Governor of Alabama

WHEREAS, all children in Alabama should have access to the highest-quality education possible; and

WHEREAS, Alabama recognizes the important role that an effective education plays in preparing all students to be successful adults; and

WHEREAS, quality education is critically important to the economic vitality of Alabama; and

WHEREAS, Alabama is home to a multitude of high-quality public and nonpublic schools from which parents can choose for their children, in addition to families who decide to educate their children in the home; and

WHEREAS, educational variety not only helps to diversify our economy, but it also enhances the vibrancy of our community; and

WHEREAS, Alabama has many high-quality teaching professionals in all types of school settings who are committed to educating our children; and

WHEREAS, School Choice Week is celebrated across the country by millions of students, parents, educators, schools and organizations to raise awareness of the need for effective educational options;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kay Ivey, Governor of Alabama, do hereby recognize January 22 through January 28, 2023, as

## Alabama School Choice Week

and I call this observance to the attention of all of our citizens.



Given Under My Hand and the Great Seal of the Office of the Governor at the State Capitol in the City of Montgomery on the 17th day of November 2022.

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