



# *Proclamation*

## *By the Governor of Alabama*

*WHEREAS, Alabama's gifted children are one of Alabama's greatest assets; and*

*WHEREAS, gifted children can be found in all ethnic, socioeconomic and cultural groups and provide our state with a vast resource for potential leadership in all areas of society; and*

*WHEREAS, the state of Alabama is home to tens of thousands of gifted and talented children, whose full potential can be tapped only through the cooperation of education, community and government; and*

*WHEREAS, gifted students have special needs in the following areas: intellectual, academic and creativity; and*

*WHEREAS, providing rigor and challenge in the classroom for Alabama's gifted students is vital to ensuring their intellectual, social-emotional, and academic development for college and career readiness:*

*NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kay Ivey, Governor of Alabama, do hereby proclaim January 2026 as*

# *Gifted Education Month*

*in the state of Alabama.*



*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 4<sup>th</sup> day of December 2025.*

*Kay Ivey*  
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Kay Ivey, Governor