



Proclamation

By the Governor of Alabama

WHEREAS, Summer Learning Week is a time to reflect on the importance of keeping young people learning, safe, and healthy every summer, ensuring they return to school in the fall ready to succeed in the year ahead; and

WHEREAS, whether remote or in-person, with the support of business and community leaders, students can learn, gain real world experience, contribute to their community and economy, and experience safer environments through summer jobs, internships, mentoring and/or volunteer opportunities; and

WHEREAS, summer learning programs are proven to maintain and advance students' academic and social/emotional growth, keep children safe and healthy during the summer, and send young people back to school ready to learn; and

WHEREAS, a wide array of public agencies, community-based organizations, schools, libraries, museums, recreation centers, camps and businesses in our community contribute to the well-being of youth through summer programming; and

WHEREAS, joyful summer learning experiences are a critical component of our collective effort to ensure America's educational recovery and that all students heal, grow and thrive through and beyond this global pandemic;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kay Ivey, Governor of Alabama, do hereby proclaim July 12-16, 2021, as

Summer Learning Week

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 1st day of July 2021.

Kay Ivey
Kay Ivey, Governor