

RICK SCOTT GOVERNOR

FLORIDA PRINCIPALS MONTH

WHEREAS, principals are educational visionaries, instructional and assessment leaders, mentors, community builders, budget analysts, facilities managers, and administrators of legal and contractual obligations; and

WHEREAS, principals work collaboratively with teachers and parents to develop and implement a clear mission, Florida's high academic standards, and performance goals; and

WHEREAS, principals create school environments that facilitate great teaching and learning and continuous school improvement; and

WHEREAS, principals play a vital role in protecting and monitoring student safety on school grounds; and

WHEREAS, the celebration of "Florida Principals Month" honors elementary, middle, and high school principals and recognizes the importance of principals in ensuring that every child has access to a high-quality education; and

WHEREAS, the Florida Association of School Administrators, the National Association of Secondary School Principals, and the National Association of Elementary School Principals have declared the month of October 2018 as "National Principals Month";

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rick Scott, Governor of the State of Florida, do hereby extend greetings and best wishes to all observing October 2018 as *Florida Principals Month*.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Florida to be affixed at Tallahassee, the Capital, this 3rd day of October, in the year two thousand eighteen.

Governor