



BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION

FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES DAY

- WHEREAS:** Family and consumer sciences is the comprehensive body of research, knowledge, and skills that help people make informed decisions about their well-being, relationships, and resources; and
- WHEREAS:** Family and consumer science professionals are committed to the science of helping people live well, further empowering individuals and families to manage the complexities of living and working in a diverse global society; and
- WHEREAS:** It is crucial for policymakers, education administrators, and the public understand the scope of family and consumer sciences and its direct relevance to crucial societal concerns, including obesity, financial literacy, and the role of parents, caregivers, and other adults in preparing children for school readiness; and
- WHEREAS:** Family and consumer sciences professionals provide relevant content to students preparing for careers in teaching and human services, among other careers; and
- WHEREAS:** Federal, state, and local decision makers strongly influence the allocation of funds for family and consumer sciences as well as the administrative and curricular structure at all levels; and
- WHEREAS:** Entities within family and consumer sciences support the development and implementation of initiatives to promote uniform name recognition and greater understanding of the importance of family and consumer sciences in preparing families and individuals to successfully manage the varied challenges of everyday life; now
- THEREFORE:** I, BRIAN P. KEMP, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim February 13, 2020 as FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES DAY in Georgia.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Executive Department to be affixed this 7th day of January in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty.



B. P. Kemp

GOVERNOR

ATTEST

Trinity K. Fleming

CHIEF OF STAFF