



TRIO Education National Apprenticeship Week Proclamation

WHEREAS, 2026 marks the 89th Anniversary of the National Apprenticeship Act; and

WHEREAS, TRIO Education recognizes the urgent need to prepare and sustain an inclusive, diverse, and highly skilled workforce capable of meeting industry demands and strengthening our economy; and

WHEREAS, Registered Apprenticeship programs enable employers to develop and train their future workforce while providing career seekers with pathways to quality jobs and well-paying careers; and

WHEREAS, TRIO Education recognizes the role of Registered Apprenticeship in expanding workforce opportunities that are inclusive of individuals who have been historically underserved, marginalized, or adversely affected by persistent poverty and inequality—thereby creating pathways for all qualified individuals, including women, youth, people of color, rural communities, justice-involved individuals, and individuals with disabilities, to become apprentices and contribute to America’s industries; and

WHEREAS, TRIO Education further recognizes that Registered Apprenticeship is a proven, industry-driven training model that strengthens our workforce and builds pipelines to quality careers, helping address our nation’s most pressing workforce challenges, including rebuilding infrastructure, meeting supply chain demands, supporting a clean energy workforce, modernizing cybersecurity, and responding to care economy needs.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Andrea Calvo, Principal Contact of the TRIO Education Apprenticeship Program, call upon TRIO Education to recognize the value of Registered Apprenticeship and to promote industry awareness and expansion during the observance of:

**National Apprenticeship Week
April 26 – May 2, 2026**

IN SUPPORT,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "A. Calvo".

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