

STATE OF INDIANA
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
INDIANAPOLIS

PROCLAMATION

Executive Order

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS MAY COME, GREETINGS:

WHEREAS, Registered Apprenticeship and Pre-Apprenticeship are proven workforce development strategies that combine paid on-the-job learning with structured education and mentorship, preparing individuals for long-term careers while meeting employer talent needs; and

WHEREAS, Indiana's Registered Apprenticeship system strengthens the state's economy by developing a skilled workforce across key sectors including education, healthcare, manufacturing, construction, information technology, and public service; and

WHEREAS, apprenticeship expands access to postsecondary credentials by offering earn while you learn pathways that support individuals, families, and communities across Indiana; and

WHEREAS, employers, educators, workforce partners, and apprentices themselves play a critical role in building and sustaining high-quality Registered Apprenticeship programs throughout the state; and

WHEREAS, National Apprenticeship Week provides an opportunity to recognize the value of Registered Apprenticeship and celebrate the individuals and organizations advancing this work.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mike Braun, Governor of the State of Indiana, do hereby proclaim April 26-May 2, as

NATIONAL APPRENTICESHIP WEEK

in the State of Indiana, and invite all citizens to duly note this occasion.

*In Testimony Whereof, I have
set my hand and cause to be affixed the
Great Seal of the State. Done at the
City of Indianapolis, this 22nd
day of April the year of our
Lord 2026 and of the Independence
of the United States 249.*



BY THE GOVERNOR:

Mike Braun