GET TO KNOW NATIONAL APPRENTICESHIP WEEK
Established by the U.S. Department of Labor, NAW is a nationwide celebration that brings together business leaders, career seekers, labor, educational institutions and other critical partners to demonstrate their support for apprenticeship. NAW also provides apprenticeship sponsors with the opportunity to showcase their programs, facilities, and apprentices in their community. The week-long celebration highlights the benefits of apprenticeship in preparing a highly-skilled workforce to meet the talent needs of employers across diverse industries.

WHO SHOULD PARTICIPATE?
NAW is for everyone—from employers to sponsors to educators and other critical partners that support and complement the path to apprenticeship. NAW is an annual opportunity to spotlight apprenticeship champions that are creating the future of work.

WHY PARTICIPATE?
NAW gives employers and sponsors the opportunity to showcase their programs, facilities, and apprenticeships. It also provides career seekers with the opportunity to learn more about the benefits of apprenticeship and the programs available in their communities.

HOW CAN I PARTICIPATE?
Join apprenticeship champions from across the U.S. by hosting an event, signing and submitting a proclamation, or attending an event in your community.

WHAT COUNTS AS AN EVENT?
Hosts representing diverse industries from across the U.S. have put the spotlight on apprenticeship through virtual events, apprenticeship graduations, career fairs, skills competitions and more.

DISCOVER APPRENTICESHIP
Interested in starting an apprenticeship program or becoming an apprentice? Visit the U.S. Department of Labor’s one-stop source for all things apprenticeship at Apprenticeship.gov.

Visit Apprenticeship.gov/NAW to learn more about National Apprenticeship Week and for resources to help plan, promote, and enhance your event, or secure a proclamation.

Apprenticeship.gov/NAW

The Employment and Training Administration promotes registered apprenticeship under the National Apprenticeship Act.

2019 NAW Achievements:
- 50 States Participated
- 120,000+ Event Attendees
- 170+ Proclamations Made
- 5,840+ mentions on social media during the course of the week
- 1,054+ Events Held Around the Country

Figures represent cumulative NAW engagement, 2019