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UNESCO has designated September 8, 2013 as International Literacy Day to encourage all of us to call attention to the need for literacy as well as the impact on and success of our students and our services.



If you have not already done so, you may still have time to plan activities. Consider the following for you at the state level and for your local programs:

- Develop feature newspaper articles of successful students who have been impacted by their adult education experiences,
- Obtain a governor's and mayor's proclamation of adult education and literacy day (NOTE: if you have copies of past proclamations, send them to Lennox at lmclendon@naepdc.org to be added to our Resource Library for others to use.)
- If your legislature is in session, host a reception for Members with students from their districts
- Publish articles about the educational levels of adults in the state or locality with emphasis on the impact on the state and local economies
- Present an award to a legislator or business that has supported adult education.

Here is the UNESCO URL:

<http://www.unesco.org/new/en/unesco/events/prizes-and-celebrations/celebrations/international-days/literacy-day/>

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Keep up the good work. Let me know when we can help.

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