

NEVADA GIRLS STATE  
SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 10

Memorializes the 2017 session of the Nevada Legislature to enact legislation that will mandate that Nevadan High Schools incorporate Current Event Awareness into the required Core Curriculum.

WHEREAS, Raising student awareness of global issues is increasingly important as the countries of the world become more interdependent; and

WHEREAS, Studying current events helps students understand the importance of people, events, and issues in the news; and

WHEREAS, Students who study news or watch television news in school are more interested in current events than those who do not; and

WHEREAS, Current events cover a wide range of topics and can be tied into all areas of curriculum; and

WHEREAS, Continued exposure to current events help students form their own view on an event through cross analyzing different news sources; and

WHEREAS, students in grades 9 to 12 who study news or watch television news in school are more likely to engage in news-seeking behavior outside of school; and

WHEREAS, Students studying current events have reported higher ACT and SAT scores than students who do not study current events; therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY THE GIRLS STATE OF NEVADA, assembled in Carson City on June 26 2015, the 2017 Session of the Nevada Legislature is hereby memorializes to enact legislation that will, mandate that Nevadan High Schools incorporate Current Event Awareness into the required Core Curriculum.