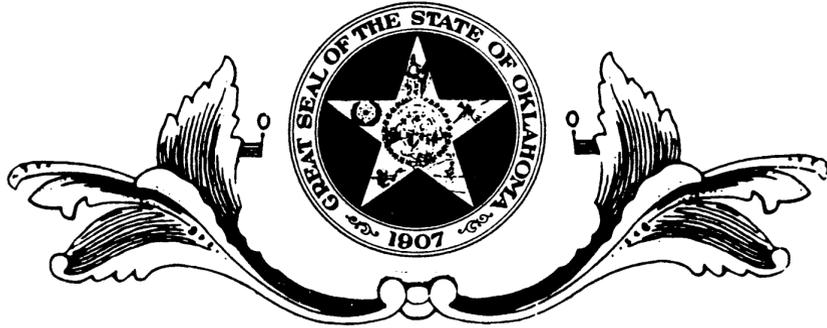


# STATE OF OKLAHOMA



## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

# Proclamation

Whereas, the world is changing fast and the financial world is no exception; and

Whereas, financial life skills can help avert debt problems and provide a strong foundation upon which Oklahomans can shape their future; and

Whereas, people frequently hold bank and credit union accounts, credit cards and other financial tools before they are trained how to use them responsibly; and

Whereas, financial education plays a key role in helping Oklahomans establish and maintain healthy financial habits; and

Whereas, it is essential for Oklahomans to have a significant understanding of budgeting, saving, investing, and credit choices; and

Whereas, throughout the month of April, an awareness campaign will be conducted to highlight the importance of financial literacy, and the need to develop skills and strategies to manage personal finances; and

Whereas, the citizens of Oklahoma are encouraged to improve their financial literacy and make every effort to achieve financial wellness;

Now, therefore, I, Mary Fallin, Governor, do hereby proclaim April 2015, as

## “Financial Literacy Month”

in the state of Oklahoma.

*In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Oklahoma to be affixed.*



*Done at the Capitol, in the City of Oklahoma City, this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of March, in the Year of Our Lord two thousand and fifteen, and of the State of Oklahoma in the One hundred and seventh year.*

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ATTEST:

*C. Benze*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

*Mary Fallin*  
GOVERNOR