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Secretary of State Shirley N. Weber Invites California Schools to Participate in the 2022 Student Mock Election

SACRAMENTO – In an effort to encourage students to become active voters as soon as they are old enough to cast a ballot, Secretary of State Shirley N. Weber, Ph.D., and Superintendent of Public Instruction Tony Thurmond invite high school and middle school students, teachers and principals to participate in the California Student Mock Election, which will take place on October 11, 2022. Students will cast their ballots for constitutional office candidates and statewide ballot measures that will appear on the actual ballot this November.

"The earlier we can involve young people in democracy, the more likely they are to continue participating," Secretary of State Shirley N. Weber said. "The student mock election provides a valuable opportunity for students to learn how elections function and how government can impact their lives."

To register for the 2022 Student Mock Election and view digital resources, visit our web page [here](#).

Digital resources include Student Voter Information Guides, ballots, posters, "I Voted" sticker templates, and other materials. In addition, the 2022 California Student Mock Election web page contains a collection of standards-based lesson plans designed to engage students and share ideas that other schools have used as part of their California Student Mock Election activities.

Schools that register by September 19, 2022, and would like to receive a supply kit in the mail, may request one by emailing MyVote@sos.ca.gov.

If you have any questions about the 2022 California Student Mock Election or other civic engagement opportunities, please contact the Student Mock Election Team at [\(916\)-651-3070](tel:916-651-3070) or MyVote@sos.ca.gov.

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