

# District Letterhead

Dear Parent or Guardian,

This year your child will take part in the national **Kids Voting USA** project, which involves millions of students of all grade levels across the United States. Included will be lessons about democracy, along with nonpartisan activities and an opportunity to vote at their official polling places on Election Day, using ballots that replicate those used by registered voters. Recent research has demonstrated that the critical thinking and decision-making skills your child will acquire during the program are enduring and significant.

The **Kids Voting USA** mission fosters informed political dialogue among students and the adults in their lives, and we hope that your household will talk together about politics, government, and the candidates. Research has shown us that one of the most valuable and enduring results of the Kids Voting program is sustained and thoughtful study of current events. If you and your child watch or read the news together and follow up with discussion, you will be patterning the most basic skill of citizenship.

The culminating activity will be the actual vote. Kids Voting has made arrangements with election officials for students to vote at the polls on November 2nd. Volunteers will be available to assist the children with the voting process. The results of their vote will be published in *The Intelligencer* and the *Bucks County Courier Times*, along with the official adult returns.

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If you would like to volunteer, please contact your school building principal.
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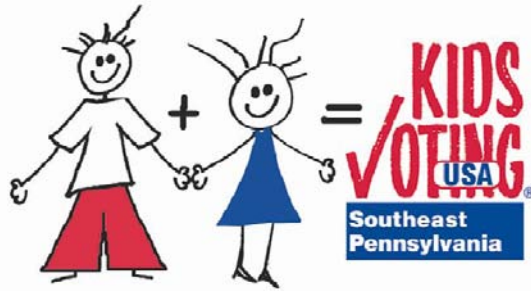
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If you have any questions concerning Kids Voting please contact Richard O. Coe, Ed. D., Executive Director, Kids Voting Southeast Pennsylvania, P.O. Box 372, Washington Crossing, PA 18977, Phone: 215.345.3372  
E Mail: [kidsvoting@comcast.net](mailto:kidsvoting@comcast.net), Web site: [www.kidsvotingsoutheastpa.org](http://www.kidsvotingsoutheastpa.org).

Sincerely,

YOUR NAME

Title



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The culminating activity will be the actual vote. Kids Voting Southeast Pennsylvania has made arrangements with election officials for students to vote at the polls on November 2nd. Look for information regarding specific hours at your local polling location. Volunteers will be available to assist students with the voting process. The results of their vote will be published in *The Intelligencer* and the *Courier Times*, along with the official adult returns.

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