



SPONSOR: Rep. Matthews & Rep. Gray on behalf of all
Representatives & Sen. Cloutier on behalf of all Senators

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
149th GENERAL ASSEMBLY

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 80

DESIGNATING APRIL 25, 2018 AS ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY EDUCATION DAY IN THE STATE OF
DELAWARE.

1 WHEREAS, Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) are important tools for each Delaware student;
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3 WHEREAS, the world economy is becoming more STEM based each day and STEM literacy is the best way for
4 Delaware students to prepare themselves to play an active role in society upon graduation from high school and/or college;
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6 WHEREAS, Delawareans recognize the high quality instruction needed in STEM Education to improve and
7 strengthen the workforce in Delaware's future economy; and

8 WHEREAS, a high level of STEM literacy among Delawareans is necessary for Delaware to compete in the
9 global market place; and

10 WHEREAS, this Resolution recognizes the 80th anniversary of the International Technology and Engineering
11 Educators Association (ITEEA) which is the professional teacher association that advocates an integrative STEM
12 educational approach to connect science, technology, design, math, and engineering in forward thinking ways, meeting the
13 needs of a 21st century workforce; and

14 WHEREAS, this Resolution further recognizes the 40th anniversary of the Technology Student Association (TSA)
15 which is the oldest career and technical student organization dedicated to middle and high school students engaged in
16 STEM education providing challenging competitions, personal development, leadership training, community service, and
17 career opportunities.

18 NOW, THEREFORE:

19 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the 149th General Assembly of the State of Delaware, the
20 Senate concurring therein, that April 25, 2018, is designated as Engineering and Technology Education Day in the State of
21 Delaware.

SYNOPSIS

This concurrent resolution designates April 25, 2018, as Engineering and Technology Education Day.