

NB_230_12_11, March is Women's History Month

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Background. We are pleased to announce that March is Women's History Month. The national theme for 2012 Women's History Month is "**Women's Education – Women's Empowerment.**"

The spirit of the theme honors American women who through education and empowerment have reached their full potential in influencing American history and culture.

As you commemorate Women's History Month, take time to recognize the contributions of women around you and support and empower them as they strive to be the best they can be.

During the month of March, there will be many Women's History Month events, and I encourage each of you to participate in them.

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