

# Building Better Citizens

## Educator Workshops

Join the Tennessee Secretary of State's office for an all-day teacher workshop across the state to learn more about the resources available to teachers through our office. Our goal is to build better citizens by equipping our teachers and students in the classroom. These workshops will outline the resources our office provides. They include an upcoming student mock election, essay contest, and lesson plans created by Tennessee teachers. In addition, hear from elected officials and other teachers about incorporating these tools in the classroom.

### **Dates & Locations:**

#### NASHVILLE

Tennessee State Library & Archives  
Thursday, June 9  
10:00am – 4:00pm

#### KNOXVILLE

Bearden Branch Library  
Wednesday, June 15  
10:00am – 4:00pm

#### MEMPHIS

Cordova Library  
Wednesday, June 22  
10:00am – 4:00pm

### **Participants Receive:**

- 6 hours of professional development credit hours
- \$50 payment
- Lunch

### **To Apply:**

Thirty spots are available for each of these workshops. All educators may apply. Complete the short application attached and submit via email ([Abby.Sutton@tn.gov](mailto:Abby.Sutton@tn.gov)) or mail to:

Abby Sutton  
Tennessee Secretary of State's Office  
312 Rosa L. Parks Ave  
Tennessee Tower, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Nashville, TN 37243

Submit applications by **May 2, 2016**. Applicants will be notified by **May 9, 2016**.

### **Questions?**

Contact Abby Sutton at (615) 253-5778 or [Abby.Sutton@tn.gov](mailto:Abby.Sutton@tn.gov).

## Application for Secretary of State's "Building Better Citizens" Workshops

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Name of School & School District: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Level(s) Currently Teaching: \_\_\_\_\_

Subject(s) Currently Teaching: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number (where you may be currently reached): \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number (where you may be reached this summer): \_\_\_\_\_

**Why do you think it is important that students learn about how to be good citizens?**

**Please indicate which workshop you would like to attend:**

\_\_\_ **Nashville:** Thursday, June 9, 2016 at the Tennessee State Library & Archives

\_\_\_ **Knoxville:** Wednesday, June 15, 2016 at the Bearden Branch Library

\_\_\_ **Memphis:** Wednesday, June 22, 2016 at the Cordova Library

*Please submit this application by **Monday, May 2, 2016**. We will notify you by **Monday, May 9** if you are selected.*

**Tennessee Secretary of State**

Secretary of State Tre Hargett

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