

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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3 HOUSE

4 RESOLUTION 1010

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7 AS INTRODUCED

8 A Resolution recognizing the unique and important
9 alliance between the state of Oklahoma and the
10 Académie d'Amiens; welcoming students and faculty
11 from Lycée Jean Racine; and providing for
12 distribution.

13 WHEREAS, in 2007, the Oklahoma State Department of Education
14 entered into an accord with the Académie d'Amiens in the Picardy
15 region of France; and

16 WHEREAS, the collaboration has five goals: promote educational
17 and cultural cooperation for the benefit of the citizens of Oklahoma
18 and France; foster knowledge and appreciation of the two cultures;
19 provide participants with a world language education that trains
20 them for personal, academic and professional success; provide
21 teachers with professional growth opportunities; and establish
22 exchanges across the curriculum that go beyond the development of
23 linguistic skills and promote global competency of teachers and
24 students; and

1 WHEREAS, the partnership also allows Oklahoma students and
2 teachers to travel to France and French students to travel to
3 Oklahoma and conduct research on individual projects; and

4 WHEREAS, a group of students and faculty from Lycée Jean Racine
5 will be visiting Westmoore High School in Moore, Oklahoma from March
6 31 to April 14, 2017; and

7 WHEREAS, during their stay, they will live with Westmoore host
8 families, attend classes at Westmoore to experience the life of
9 American high school students, travel around Oklahoma, and visit
10 sites in Dallas, Texas, and New Orleans, Louisiana.

11 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
12 OF THE 1ST SESSION OF THE 56TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE:

13 THAT the Oklahoma House of Representatives recognizes this
14 unique and important alliance between the state of Oklahoma and the
15 Académie d'Amiens.

16 THAT the Oklahoma House of Representatives does hereby extend a
17 warm welcome to the visiting students and faculty from Lycée Jean
18 Racine.

19 THAT a copy of this resolution be distributed to Dr. Robert
20 Romines, Superintendent of Moore Public Schools.

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