

Honoree: Monique Coleman (Actor)

Grade: 1st grade

Subject: Social Studies

Standards Addressed:

Social Studies

Standard 1-2: The student will demonstrate an understanding of how government functions and how government affects families.

1-2.1 Explain the making and enforcing of laws as a basic function of government.

Objective: The students will create a brochure about laws that we follow as citizens.

Materials:

- Calendar information on Monique Coleman
- Construction paper
- Crayons, markers

Steps/Strategies:

1. Discuss Monique Coleman and her roles in “High School Musical”, Malcolm In The Middle”, and “Suite Life of Zack and Cody.”
2. Her last role involves the youth show “Gimme Mo” focusing on discussions of good choices in life.
3. Create graphic organizer of laws/rules that we follow and the consequences of the lack of rules/laws.
4. Students will create a brochure about making good choices in life.

Extension: Students can role play situations of not following the laws and how to make good choices.