

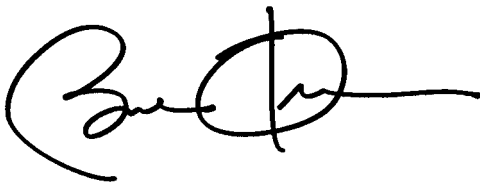
THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

Our Nation's future depends on how well we educate the next generation of leaders. By building on a strong foundation of service, character, and active learning, we can open doors of opportunity for our children and secure a brighter future for our country.

For generations, the Boy Scouts of America has striven to prepare young men for the world they will inherit, and former Boy Scouts have reached the highest levels in every sector of American life. From Members of Congress to CEOs, professors to professional athletes, teachers to fathers, these Americans have written their own chapter in our Nation's story.

As you reflect on your accomplishments and look forward to the years ahead, I wish you all the best.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be Barack Obama's signature, consisting of a large 'B', a stylized 'O', and a horizontal line extending to the right.