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## Civics Education

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A delegation of 15 Civics Educators from around the world will be in Central Ohio November 1-5, 2003. The program, being coordinated locally by International Visitors Council, Inc. and nationally by the International Institute for Education, is designed to provide the visiting leaders with an overview of civics education techniques in the United States. In addition to Columbus, the delegation will travel to several other cities during their stay in the United States, October 23-November 13, 2003.

### Program Objectives:

To provide a better understanding of democracy in the United States, and to demonstrate how U.S. citizens participate in the democratic process

To observe the variety of methods used in schools, the workplace, and civic organizations to educate citizens about civic rights and responsibilities in a thriving democracy

To explore how civics education lays the foundation for successful participation in a democratic form of government by developing an informed, engaged, and responsible citizenry

IVC's mission is to build partnerships between Central Ohioans and citizens of other countries that strengthen democratic ideals, encourage economic development, and promote cultural understanding through the exchange of ideas and knowledge.

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The delegation is in Columbus as part of IVC's International Visitor Program conducted under the auspices of the U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs. If you would like to learn more about this visiting delegation, please call (614) 225-9057 or <mailto:info@columbusivc.org>.

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