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Sen. Frank Barnitz Welcomes Salem R-80 Fourth Grade Students to the Capitol

JEFFERSON CITY – State Sen. Frank Barnitz, D-Lake Spring, on March 2 welcomed to the Missouri State Capitol more than 100 fourth-grade students from Salem Upper Elementary School. During their time in Jefferson City, the students were able to tour the Capitol and its museums, observe the Missouri Senate in session and tour the Governor’s Mansion.

The Senator and his staff gave to the students special packets full of information about Missouri and its government, as well as highway maps to use in future Missouri geography lessons in their classrooms.

“It’s always a pleasure to welcome to Jefferson City the fourth-graders from Salem,” said Sen. Barnitz, who represents Missouri’s 16th Senate District. “It is important to expose these young people to state government early on so they may gain an appreciation for how their government functions. I hope that tours like this will develop these students into responsible, civic-minded citizens.”

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Photo attachment: Senator Frank Barnitz with fourth-grade students from Salem Upper Elementary School