



# National Literacy Co-Chair Endorsement



**Lady Nneka Hobbs**  
*2021-2023 National Literacy Co-Chair*

Top Ladies of Distinction, Inc.:

Lady Kendra was my Top Teens Advisor and mentor. Under her advisory, we gained knowledge on applying to college, resume writing and interviewing skills which still hold value to this day. Although my time as a teen ended, Lady Kendra still provided wisdom as a young professional as an HR Director while I was living in D.C. as an early career Howard graduate. Her counsel has led me to my career today.

Serving as the Co-Chair of the National Literacy Committee, I had a full circle moment working with Lady Kendra on several joint events with the National Literacy Committee and Top Teens. These included Black History programs (Passing, Wakanda Forever) and the Scholarship Zone – a first for TLOD.

Her deep understanding in leveraging the talents of both Ladies and Teens has provided me with an experience that has been unmatched. I continue to learn and grow in my TLOD journey with Lady Kendra. She is extremely knowledgeable, organized, and is always up to date on the latest trends and developments in current technology which has proven to keep our Teens engaged and will drive innovation for the future of TLOD.

I am pleased to provide my endorsement for Lady Kendra Gillespie as our next National 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President.

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