During the month of May, the United States celebrates National Foster Care Month to recognize the unique challenges foster children face and to create a positive framework that increases their chances for success.

Did You Know?

- There are nearly 400,000 children and youth currently in the foster care system.
- About 52% are male and about 48% are female.

The average age of a child in foster care is nine years old.

“Foster care is the opportunity to make a big difference in a child’s life”
– Sam Macer, Foster Care Parent/PTA Leader

Famous Foster Care Children

Steve Jobs
Marilyn Monroe
Ice T
Babe Ruth
John Lennon
Eddie Murphy