



Minister of Education and Early Childhood Learning

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To: Superintendents of School Divisions
Directors of First Nations Education Authorities
Manitoba School for the Deaf
Doncaster School
Principals of Funded Independent Schools
Student Services Administrators

Dear Colleagues:

I am pleased to proclaim the week of April 13 to 17, 2026, Education Week in Manitoba. This proclamation is intended to acknowledge the importance of Kindergarten to Grade 12 education, and educators' crucial role in ensuring all children and youth have a sense of belonging and succeed in reaching their full potential.

We acknowledge educational professionals as well as business and apprenticeship partners who work within and across our provincial education system to support young people as they prepare for the careers and challenges of the future.

It is my hope that the observance of Education Week will encourage all Manitobans to reflect on the historic and enduring influence of education in our province and the education system's continued relationship to the health of our communities and workplaces.

Please share this information with your schools and staff.

Sincerely,

Original signed by

Honourable Tracy Schmidt

Attachment

- c. Board Chairs, School Divisions
Principals of Public Schools
Independent and International Education Unit