

PROVINCE OF MANITOBA

PROCLAMATION

MANITOBA SCHOOL LIBRARY DAY

WHEREAS the fourth Monday in October will be celebrated annually as

Manitoba School Library Day;

WHEREAS "Speak Up for School Libraries" is the theme for the 2024 Manitoba

School Library Day;

WHEREAS school libraries in Manitoba are active learning centres that support

literacy, inquiry, diversity education, critical and creative thinking,

collaboration and research;

WHEREAS school libraries in Manitoba foster safe and inclusive spaces for

students to explore, question, learn, and grow; and

WHEREAS school libraries in Manitoba function as information-rich centres

that provide instruction and access to a wide range of resources that enhance student learning and achievement, support curriculum

implementation, and help create a lifelong love of learning.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT KNOWN THAT I, Nello Altomare, Minister of Education and Early Childhood Learning for the Province of Manitoba, do

hereby proclaim Monday, October 28, 2024, as

MANITOBA SCHOOL LIBRARY DAY

in Manitoba and commend its thoughtful observance to all citizens of our province.

Original signed by

Nello Altomare Minister Education and

Early Childhood Learning