

PROVINCE OF MANITOBA

## PROCLAMATION

## Teacher and Staff Appreciation Week February 6 to 10, 2023

- WHEREAS The Manitoba government declares February 6 to 10, 2023, as
  Teacher and Staff Appreciation Week to acknowledge the many
  important contributions of educators, administrative and education
  assistants, educational clinicians and associates, nurses, bus drivers,
  custodians, and all other school support staff working in Manitoba's
  Kindergarten to Grade 12 schools; and
- WHEREAS Educators and school support staff help to establish supportive, inclusive, and high quality learning environments which provide students with the education and skills they need to secure meaningful roles in their communities and fulfilling futures; and
- WHEREAS Educators and school support staff can have a profound influence on students' learning and active engagement, helping students to discover, develop, and realize their potential; and
- WHEREAS While COVID-19 concerns have alleviated, it continues to pose unique challenges for all school and support staff, students, and families requiring innovation, flexibility, adaptations, and thoughtful, holistic care and consideration for students, families and fellow staff as we move to live in a post-COVID world; and
- WHEREAS It is appropriate that Manitoba educators and school staff are acknowledged and thanked for their continued dedication and commitment to the education of our students; and
- WHEREAS The Manitoba government encourages citizens in communities from across Manitoba to celebrate and express gratitude toward educators and school support staff in Manitoba schools.
- NOW THEREFORE BE IT KNOWN THAT I, Wayne Ewasko, Minister of Education and Early Childhood Learning for the Province of Manitoba, do hereby proclaim February 6 to 10, 2023 be designated as

## **TEACHER AND STAFF APPRECIATION WEEK**

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

Wayne Ewasko Minister

Education and

Early Childhood Learning