



PROVINCE OF MANITOBA

PROCLAMATION

Bullying Awareness and Prevention Week

WHEREAS Manitoba Education is committed to safe and caring schools where all students have a sense of belonging and receive the quality education they need to have a strong start in life; and,

WHEREAS Manitoba Education is committed to fostering inclusion for all people. An inclusive school is a respectful and safe place for all members of the school community; and,

WHEREAS Bullying occurs in many environments, including schools, the community, at home, in the workplace, and online. It is unacceptable conduct that causes harm to individuals, families, and the community as a whole; and,

WHEREAS Manitoba Education recognizes the complex nature and impact of bullying behaviours. As citizens of Manitoba, we share a responsibility to prevent bullying, and to promote healthy and safe environments for children, youth, and adults; and,

WHEREAS Manitoba Education, schools, families and community members must work together to prevent bullying through education and awareness. By working together, we will strengthen our capacity to create safer school communities where all students are respected, valued, safe, and can reach their full potential.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT KNOWN THAT I, Kelvin Goertzen, Minister of Education, for the Province of Manitoba, do hereby proclaim that the week of November 15-21, 2020 is designated as

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in Manitoba and I commend its thoughtful observances to all citizens in our province.

Kelvin Goertzen
Minister
Education