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To:

Superintendents of School Divisions

Principals of Funded Independent Schools
Directors of First Nations Education Authorities

Student Services Administrators

Manitoba School for the Deaf

Dear Colleagues:

In recognition of the important role of school support staff in Manitoba schools, I am pleased to proclaim September 30 to October 4, 2024, as School Support Staff Recognition Week.

This proclamation is intended to increase public awareness of the many services and contributions that school support staff make to students and schools. The opportunity to observe School Support Staff Recognition Week demonstrates the importance of school support staff in keeping Manitoba children, youth and learning environments safe, and to maintaining a high quality of education for all students.

It is our hope that the observance of School Support Staff Recognition Week in Manitoba will provide educators, parents, and community members with the opportunity to thank school support staff for the valuable role that they play in schools, and in the education of students.

On behalf of the Manitoba government, I would like to express thanks and appreciation to Manitoba's school support staff.

Sincerely,

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Attachment

c. Board Chairs, School Divisions Independent and International Education Unit