



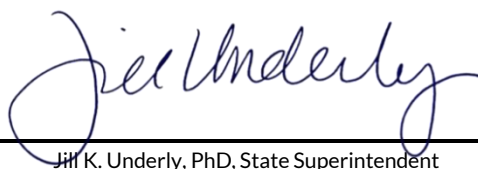
# Proclamation

BY THE STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

## Teacher Appreciation Week

- WHEREAS: Wisconsin educators positively influence our students as they learn, process information, become critical thinkers, gain knowledge and skills needed to be successful in everyday life; and
- WHEREAS: Our teachers are dedicated to their students' learning, wellbeing, and future success, and work tirelessly with colleagues in their schools and districts to make sure every student has the support they need to thrive; and
- WHEREAS: Teachers educate students on much more than just subject matter; they teach children how to persevere when challenges arise, how to work diligently and be critical thinkers, encourage them to be compassionate individuals, make friends and resolve conflicts, promote being part of a greater community, realize their own self-worth and the worth of others, and how to ask for and receive support to keep growing and learning; and
- WHEREAS: Teachers' dedication to students is immeasurable, with the work and demands on their time not ending when the final bell rings for the day, as they lesson plan, grade papers, develop themselves as teachers, and find new ways to support their students; and
- WHEREAS: Now, more than ever, we encourage every Wisconsinite to celebrate the never-ending efforts and commitment of our teachers, who work each day to strengthen and support our children, our state's future leaders.
- THEREFORE: I, Jill K. Underly, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, proclaim May 6-10, 2024, as Teacher Appreciation Week, a time to recognize those who are becoming tomorrow's teachers, and to show gratitude to the many teachers whose commitment makes a difference in the lives of children in Wisconsin's schools.

**Teacher Appreciation Week**  
May 6-10, 2024



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Jill K. Underly, PhD, State Superintendent

