

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

PROCLAMATION

AMERICAN EDUCATION WEEK NOVEMBER 15-21, 2021

WHEREAS, public schools in the state of North Dakota and across the United States are the backbone of American democracy, providing young people with the tools they need to maintain the precious values of freedom, civility and equality; and

WHEREAS, since American Education Week was first observed in 1921, a century ago this year, schools and communities across the United States have come together at this time of year to bring special attention to the importance of having access to great public schools, which is considered to be a pillar of democracy and a cornerstone of American opportunity; and

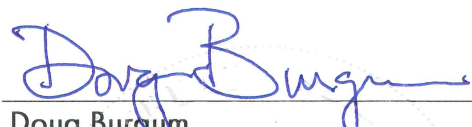
WHEREAS, by equipping young Americans with both practical skills and broader intellectual abilities, schools give them hope for, and access to, a productive future; and

WHEREAS, education employees – be they custodians or teachers, administrative assistants, bus drivers or librarians – work tirelessly to serve our children and communities with care and professionalism; and

WHEREAS, schools are community anchors, bringing together adults and children, educators and volunteers, business leaders and elected officials in a common enterprise.

NOW, THEREFORE, as Governor of the State of North Dakota, I do hereby proclaim
November 15-21, 2021, AMERICAN EDUCATION WEEK in the State of North Dakota.




Doug Burgum
GOVERNOR

ATTEST: 
Alvin A. Jaeger
SECRETARY OF STATE