



# State of North Carolina

**ROY COOPER**  
GOVERNOR

**DIGITAL LEARNING DAY**

**2018**

**BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA**

**A PROCLAMATION**

**WHEREAS**, Digital Learning Day is an annual celebration of technology-based teaching practices and showcases innovative teachers, leaders, and instructional technology programs that are improving student outcomes in K-12 schools; and

**WHEREAS**, when used effectively, modern technology can make understanding more accessible for all; skilled use of technology and digital content is crucial for students to prepare for further education and ultimately compete in the global economy; and

**WHEREAS**, digital learning and the effective use of technology can assist teachers by providing real-time tracking of students' progress and creating efficient, personalized learning processes that allow more flexibility and time to spend with each student; and

**WHEREAS**, Digital Learning Day provides every teacher, student, parent, and school with the opportunity to use technology to modernize and personalize teaching and learning practices; and

**WHEREAS**, Digital Learning Day provides an opportunity for the education system to embrace new technologies that have the potential to positively transform its processes; and

**WHEREAS**, the seventh national Digital Learning Day will take place on February 22 to help teachers, students, schools, parents, policymakers, and the public understand the benefits of high-quality digital learning;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, ROY COOPER, Governor of the State of North Carolina, do hereby proclaim February 22, 2018, as "**DIGITAL LEARNING DAY**" in North Carolina, and commend its observance to all citizens.



Roy Cooper  
Governor

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of North Carolina at the Capitol in Raleigh this twenty-second day of February in the year of our Lord two thousand and eighteen and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred and forty-second.