

State of North Carolina

ROY COOPER

GOVERNOR

AMERICAN EDUCATION WEEK

2019

BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, public schools are the backbone of our democracy, providing young people with the tools they need to maintain our nation's precious values of freedom, civility, and equality; and

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

WHEREAS, educators work tirelessly to serve our children and communities with care and professionalism; and

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

WHEREAS, North Carolina's system of public education relies not only on the skills and dedication of teachers, school administrators and educational support staff, but also on the encouragement and support of the entire community; and

WHEREAS, the members of the North Carolina Association of Educators are joining educators, students and educational organizations around the nation in special activities in honor of American Education Week;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ROY COOPER, Governor of the State of North Carolina, do hereby proclaim November 18 – 22, 2019, as "AMERICAN EDUCATION WEEK" in North Carolina, and commend its observance to all citizens.



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 thirteenth day of November in the year of our Lord two thousand and nineteen and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred and forty-fourth.