



PROVINCE OF MANITOBA

PROCLAMATION

Bullying Awareness and Prevention Week November 12-18, 2023

WHEREAS Manitoba Education and Early Childhood Learning is committed to safe and caring schools where all students feel a sense of safety and belonging and receive the quality education they need to reach their full potential;

WHEREAS Manitoba Education and Early Childhood Learning is committed to fostering inclusion for all people. An inclusive school is a respectful and safe place for all members of the school community;

WHEREAS Bullying occurs in many environments, including schools, the community, at home, in the workplace, and online. It is unacceptable conduct that causes harm to individuals, families, and the broader community;

WHEREAS Manitoba Education and Early Childhood Learning recognizes the complex nature and impact of bullying behaviours. As citizens of Manitoba, we share a responsibility to prevent bullying, and to promote healthy and safe environments for children, youth, and adults; and

WHEREAS Manitoba Education and Early Childhood Learning, schools, families and community members must work together to enhance safe and caring schools through education and action. By working together, we will strengthen our capacity to create safer school communities where all students are respected, valued, and engage in the highest quality learning experiences.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT KNOWN THAT I, Nello Altomare, Minister of Education and Early Childhood Learning for the Province of Manitoba, do hereby proclaim that the week of November 12-18, 2023 is designated as

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in Manitoba and commend its thoughtful observances to all citizens in our province.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Nello Altomare".

Nello Altomare
Minister
Education and
Early Childhood Learning