

## Minister of Education and Early Childhood Learning

Legislative Building, Winnipeg, Manitoba R3C 0V8 CANADA

To: Superintendents of School Divisions
Directors of First Nations Education Authorities
Principals of Funded Independent Schools
Student Services Administrators
Manitoba School for the Deaf

## Dear Colleagues:

I am pleased to acknowledge the collaboration and commitment of Manitoba schools, childcare services, families, and communities to foster inclusive learning environments and declare February 2025 as Manitoba Inclusive Education Month.

Our collective efforts to foster inclusive shared beliefs, mindsets and practices are necessary so that all children and youth know that they matter, they belong and are successful and safe.

The attached proclamation for Manitoba Inclusive Education Month provides us with dedicated time to recognize and honour our incredibly diverse children and youth. We recognize staff, families and community partners working to ensure children and youth with diverse learning needs and abilities are warmly welcomed into childcare programs and classrooms across Manitoba.

Sincerely,

Original signed by

Honourable Tracy Schmidt Acting Minister

## Attachment

Board Chairs, School Divisions
 Principals of Public Schools
 Independent and International Education Unit