

NORTH CAROLINA STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Proclamation in support of

**INTERNATIONAL
EDUCATION WEEK**

from the NC State Board of Education

WHEREAS, the North Carolina State Board of Education has a vision that every public school student will be empowered to accept academic challenges, prepared to pursue their chosen path after graduating high school, and encouraged to become lifelong learners with the capacity to engage in a globally-collaborative society; and

WHEREAS, the North Carolina State Board of Education first adopted a resolution promoting the importance of global education on April 3, 2008; and

WHEREAS, global education remains a priority focus in the North Carolina State Board of Education's strategic plan; and

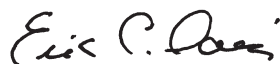
WHEREAS, the North Carolina State Board of Education engages in partnerships to ensure students and educators have opportunities to interact with international communication and technology; and

WHEREAS, global education experiences allow students and educators to prepare for collaboration in a constantly changing international environment; and

WHEREAS, the North Carolina State Board of Education recognizes the importance of developing the "Whole Child" with standards that promote strong student character, personal responsibility, and community/world involvement; and

WHEREAS, global education in North Carolina helps educators receive the preparation and professional development in the interconnectedness of the world;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the North Carolina State Board of Education does hereby proclaim November 16-20, 2020, as International Education Week in North Carolina and that Board members direct the Secretary to the State Board of Education to enter a copy of this proclamation into the official minutes of the North Carolina State Board of Education.



Eric C. Davis, Chairman
North Carolina State Board of Education



Mark R. Johnson, Superintendent
North Carolina Department of Public Instruction

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