



**MINISTER
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To: Superintendents of School Divisions
Principals of Funded Independent Schools
Directors of First Nations Education Authorities
Student Service Administrators

Dear Colleagues:

I am pleased to proclaim September 15 to 21, 2023 as Peace Days. On September 15, 2023, the 10th annual peace walk with elementary students will be held at the CN Stage at The Forks and will include a walk inside the Canadian Museum for Human Rights.

The proclamation is intended to increase public awareness of the importance of peace and to help students learn more about their duties as citizens in promoting peace and compassion. For more information about Peace Days and how to become involved, visit the Peace Days website at www.peacedays.ca.

It is our hope that the observance of Peace Days in Manitoba will encourage educators, students, parents and community members to engage in activities that promote peace and compassionate action throughout the year.

Please share this information with the schools in your division.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Wayne Ewasko".

Wayne Ewasko

Attachment

- c. Board Chairs, School Divisions
Principals of Public Schools