



PROVINCE OF MANITOBA

PROCLAMATION

MANITOBA SCHOOL LIBRARY DAY OCTOBER 26, 2026

- WHEREAS The fourth Monday in October is celebrated annually as Manitoba School Library Day;
- WHEREAS The theme for Manitoba School Library Day 2026 is “**School Libraries Shine!**”;
- WHEREAS School libraries in Manitoba foster literacy, critical and creative thinking, inquiry, and collaboration, helping students develop the knowledge and skills they need to succeed in school and beyond;
- WHEREAS School libraries in Manitoba provide welcoming and inclusive spaces where students feel represented, connected, and empowered to learn, explore, and grow; and
- WHEREAS School libraries in Manitoba provide instruction, equitable access to diverse resources, and learning opportunities that support curriculum implementation, enhance student achievement, and inspire a lifelong love of learning;
- NOW THEREFORE BE IT KNOWN THAT I, Tracy Schmidt, Minister of Education and Early Childhood Learning for the Province of Manitoba, do hereby proclaim Monday, October 26, 2026, as

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

Original signed by

Honourable Tracy Schmidt
Minister
Manitoba Education and
Early Childhood Learning

