

WHEREAS, Colorado is home to over 800,000 students, many of whom excel in one or more areas of their studies; and

WHEREAS, the State of Colorado encourages and promotes high standards for academic achievement; and

WHEREAS, providing a challenging experience in the classroom for Colorado's gifted and talented students is vital to ensuring their continued intellectual, social, and academic development; and

WHEREAS, the Colorado Association for Gifted and Talented is committed to ensuring that teachers, administrators, and parents understand and meet the unique needs of Colorado's best and brightest students;

THEREFORE, I, Jared Polis, Governor of the State of Colorado, do hereby proclaim the period of time between October 20 and October 26, 2024, as

GIFTED AND TALENTED EDUCATION WEEK

in the State of Colorado.



GIVEN under my hand and the Executive Seal of the State of Colorado, this twentieth day of October, 2024

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