

GOVERNOR'S PROCLAMATION



WHEREAS, in order for schools to create strong and effective partnerships with families, we believe all families have dreams for their children and want the best for them; and

WHEREAS, all families have the capacity to support their children's learning; and

WHEREAS, families should be partners with school staff during the education of their children; and family engagement should be linked to learning; and

WHEREAS, the responsibility for building partnerships between school and home rests in part with school staff, families and school leaders; and

WHEREAS, the Parent Education Network, Wyoming State PIRC, is available to assist schools with their communication with families and foster more active engagement in their children's education and learning; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that we recognize the outstanding contributions made by families in fostering a love of learning and schools which acknowledge the importance of family engagement and take action to make it an intricate part of the school community.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DAVE FREUDENTHAL, Governor of the State of Wyoming, do hereby proclaim October as

FAMILY AND SCHOOL INVOLVEMENT MONTH

in Wyoming, and I do hereby encourage all citizens to take this month to raise the level of their involvement in their child's learning and setting high expectations for their students.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Executive Seal of the Governor of Wyoming to be affixed this 3rd day of September, 2008.




Governor