



Proclamation

BY THE STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

National School Social Work Week

WHEREAS: School social workers are employed in schools to ensure students are able to be in the classroom physically and mentally ready to learn; and

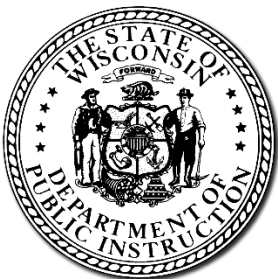
WHEREAS: School social workers are trained to assist with mental health concerns, behavioral concerns, classroom support, coaching and consultation with teachers, families, and administrators as well as provide individual and group counseling and systems work; and

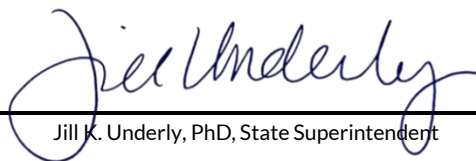
WHEREAS: School social workers empower students and families to remove barriers to learning that often stem from outside the school building; and

WHEREAS: School social workers work to engage families and community organizations to create better outcomes for students to achieve success in school and beyond.

THEREFORE: I, Jill K. Underly, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, declare March 3 – 9, 2024, as National School Social Work Week, a time to recognize the school social workers supporting Wisconsin students.

Proclaimed the week of March 3 – 9, 2024




Jill K. Underly, PhD, State Superintendent

