

STATE *of* WISCONSIN  
DEPARTMENT *of* PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

# *Proclamation*

*Whereas*, the National School Lunch Program has served our nation effectively for 76 years through advanced practices and nutrition education; and

*Whereas*, more than 2,400 public and private schools in Wisconsin participate in the National School Lunch Program and served at least 84,920,953 meals during the 2021-22 school year; and

*Whereas*, recent research shows students are receiving their healthiest meals at school, and there is evidence of continued need for nutrition education and awareness of the value of school nutrition programs; and

*Whereas*, the success of this effort is due largely to resourceful and creative local food service administrators, managers, and staff working in cooperation with parents, families, teachers, community groups, government personnel, and students;

*Therefore*, be it resolved that, I, Dr. Jill K. Underly, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, declare October 10-14, 2022, National School Lunch Week, a time to celebrate the importance of a program helping keep students nourished so they can learn.

## **National School Lunch Week**

*Peace, Love & School Lunch*

October 10-14, 2022



A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Jill Underly".

Jill K. Underly, PhD, State Superintendent