

WHEREAS, studies show that when parents, families, and schools collaborate effectively, students achieve higher levels of academic performance, demonstrate better attendance and homework completion, and are less likely to drop out of school; and

WHEREAS, students from all cultural backgrounds tend to perform better academically when their parents, families, and the professionals at their schools bridge the gap between the culture at home and the classroom; and

WHEREAS, students benefit from active involvement by well-informed and engaged parents and families in their life and education; and

WHEREAS, Colorado desires to continue increasing graduation rates, academic achievement levels of all students, and rates of enrollment and persistence in secondary and post-secondary education;

THEREFORE, I, Jared Polis, Governor of the State of Colorado, do hereby proclaim the month of November 2024, as

FAMILY AND SCHOOL PARTNERSHIP IN EDUCATION MONTH

in the State of Colorado.



GIVEN under my hand and the Executive Seal of the State of Colorado, this first day of November, 2024

Jared Polis Governor