

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

Proclamation

WHEREAS, Catholic schools in the State of New Jersey have educated millions of New Jerseyans throughout the years in preparation for their responsibilities as residents of this State and as members of society; and

WHEREAS, Catholic schools in the State currently provide students with an education that emphasizes the formation of moral values and a commitment to community service; and

WHEREAS, parents who support such education are exercising their rights to choose a Catholic education for their children; and

WHEREAS, the welfare of the State requires that this and future generations of school-age children be assured ample opportunity to develop to the fullest their intellectual capacities;

WHEREAS, NOW, THEREFORE, I, Philip D. Murphy, Governor of the State of New Jersey do hereby proclaim

JANUARY 27 THROUGH FEBRUARY 2, 2019

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CATHOLIC SCHOOLS' WEEK

in New Jersey, recognizing their theme of "Catholic Schools: Learn. Serve. Lead. Succeed." And call on all citizens of the State to recognize the contribution Catholic schools make to education in our State and commend their faculties, students, and parents for their dedication and devotion to the quality education given to this State's most precious resource, our children.



GIVEN, under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of New Jersey, this fourteenth day of December in the year two thousand eighteen, the two hundred forty-third year of the Independence of the United States.


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