



PROVINCE OF MANITOBA

PROCLAMATION

FINANCIAL LITERACY MONTH November 2024

- WHEREAS The Manitoba government proclaims November 2024 as Financial Literacy Month, in recognition of the importance of financial literacy and consumer awareness education for Manitoba Kindergarten to Grade 12 students;
- WHEREAS Knowledge of personal finance equips youth to make responsible and informed decisions throughout their lives, contributing to their overall well-being and to the health of the provincial economy;
- WHEREAS Infusing financial concepts across the curriculum provides youth with opportunities to explore and analyze the implications of decisions from an interdisciplinary perspective;
- WHEREAS Teachers and school staff can have a profound influence on student engagement and learning, helping students to understand the costs, benefits, and implications of both personal and local financial and economic issues, contexts and dynamics through rich learning experiences;
- WHEREAS Students given the opportunity to learn how financial and economic matters and considerations relate to their career choices are better equipped to explore, develop, and realize their full potential; and
- WHEREAS The Manitoba government encourages all Manitobans who work with young people across the province to engage students in financial literacy learning.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT KNOWN THAT I, Tracy Schmidt, Acting Minister of Education and Early Childhood Learning for the Province of Manitoba, do hereby proclaim November 2024 as

FINANCIAL LITERACY MONTH

in Manitoba and commend its thoughtful observance to all citizens of our province.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Schmidt".

Honourable Tracy Schmidt
Acting Minister
Education and
Early Childhood Learning