

# Granite School District Proclamation

**WHEREAS,** Teachers are the backbone of Granite School District, working daily to open the world to our students; and

**WHEREAS,** The classroom teacher is the single most influential factor in a child's educational experience; and

**WHEREAS,** Educators in Granite District shape the future as they work each day to prepare our students to compete globally; and

**WHEREAS,** Classrooms throughout Granite District are places where students have the opportunity to display creativity and imagination and develop a passion for learning; and

**WHEREAS,** Educators in Granite District teach important life lessons that will help students succeed beyond term papers and standardized tests; and

**WHEREAS,** Teachers fill many roles, including listener, role model, advisor, motivator and mentor; and

**WHEREAS,** The value of our talented, committed, tireless and inspirational teachers is without measure,

**Now, therefore,** be it proclaimed

**that the members of the  
Granite School District Board of Education  
hereby join the rest of the country celebrating**

**Teacher Appreciation Week  
during May 7 through May 12, 2017, and**

**National Teacher Day  
on Tuesday, May 9, 2017.**

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*Terry H. Bawden, President, Board of Education*

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*Dr. Martin W. Bates, Superintendent*



Signed this 2nd day of May