



WHEREAS, all children in Colorado should have access to the highest-quality education possible; and

WHEREAS, Colorado recognizes the important role that an effective education plays in preparing all students in Colorado to be successful adults; and

WHEREAS, quality education is critically important to the economic vitality of Colorado; and

WHEREAS, Colorado is home to a multitude of high-quality public and nonpublic schools from which parents can choose for their children, in addition to families who educate their children at home; and

WHEREAS, educational variety not only helps to diversify our economy, but also enhances the vibrancy of our community; and

WHEREAS, Colorado has many high-quality teaching professionals in all types of school settings who are committed to educating our children; and

WHEREAS, School Choice Week is celebrated across the country by millions of students, parents, educators, schools, and organizations to raise awareness of the need for effective educational options;

THEREFORE, I, Jared Polis, Governor of the State of Colorado, do hereby proclaim the period between January 25 and January 31, 2026, as

COLORADO SCHOOL CHOICE WEEK

in the State of Colorado.

GIVEN under my hand and the Executive Seal of the State of Colorado, this twenty-fifth day of January, 2026



A blue ink signature of Jared Polis, written in a cursive style.

Jared Polis  
Governor