

**State of Vermont
Executive Department
A Proclamation**

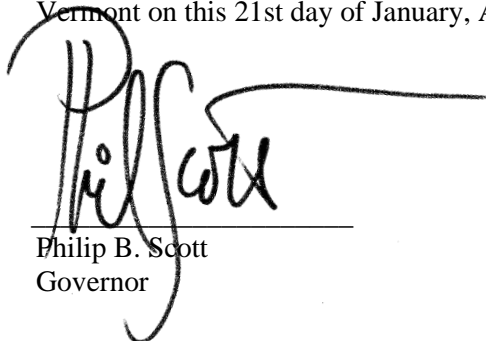
- WHEREAS,** every student in Vermont should have access to an effective education; and
- WHEREAS,** Vermonters agree continuing to improve the quality of education is an issue of importance to our state's leaders; and
- WHEREAS,** Vermont recognizes the essential role an effective and accountable system of education plays in preparing all children to be successful adults; and
- WHEREAS,** Vermont has many different types of public and nonpublic schools, as well as families who educate their children in the home; and
- WHEREAS,** Vermont has many high-quality, dedicated teaching professionals in all types of education environments; and
- WHEREAS,** it is important for parents in Vermont to explore and identify the best education options available to their children; and
- WHEREAS,** research demonstrates providing children with multiple education options improves academic performance; and
- WHEREAS,** School Choice Week is a national celebration recognized by millions of students, parents, educators, schools and community leaders for the purpose of raising public awareness of the importance of effective education options for children.
- NOW, THEREFORE,** I, Philip B. Scott, Governor, hereby proclaim January 23-29, 2022 as

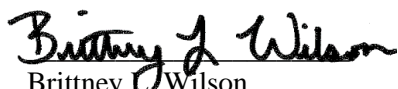
VERMONT SCHOOL CHOICE WEEK

in Vermont.



Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Vermont on this 21st day of January, A.D. 2022.


Philip B. Scott
Governor


Brittney L. Wilson
Secretary of Civil and Military Affairs