

Proclamation

WHEREAS, education support professionals are involved in nearly every aspect of education — maintaining buildings and grounds; preparing and serving meals; keeping school facilities clean and orderly; assisting in the classroom; performing and conducting research activities; providing information technology and media services, administrative support functions, safe transportation, and a secure and healthy environment; and many other specialized services; and

WHEREAS, these dedicated individuals deserve recognition and thanks for the outstanding work they are doing for this state, their communities, and the students enrolled in Stanwood-Camano schools; and

WHEREAS, there are about 350 education support professionals working with and helping students in the Stanwood-Camano School District; and

WHEREAS, education support professionals are instrumental in fulfilling the state's responsibility to educate all students; and

WHEREAS, by supporting the learning environment, education support professionals are crucial partners with teachers, parents, administrators and school boards;

NOW THEREFORE, we, the members of the Stanwood-Camano School Board and the Superintendent, do hereby proclaim the week of March 13-17, 2023, as

Education Support Professionals Week

in the Stanwood-Camano School District, and I urge all staff and citizens to join me in this special observance. Signed this 7th day of March, 2023.

Miranda Evans

President,

Stanwood-Camano School Board

Dr. Deborah Rumbaugh

Superintendent,

Stanwood-Camano School District