



STATE OF TENNESSEE

# PROCLAMATION

BY THE GOVERNOR

**WHEREAS**, an excellent public education system is key to our State's continued prosperity and success, ensuring the quality of life for Tennessee's communities and the economic development of the State; and

**WHEREAS**, our local school boards have demonstrated a strong commitment to quality public education by securing necessary resources, promoting academic standards, and fostering partnerships within communities; and

**WHEREAS**, school board members support and appreciate the efforts of students, educators, and administrators who diligently encourage students to graduate high school prepared for the workplace; and

**WHEREAS**, the men and women of our local school boards are elected by the people to make decisions most appropriate for their communities and deserve recognition and thanks for their countless hours of service to public education in Tennessee;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Bill Lee, Governor of the State of Tennessee, do hereby proclaim January 22-28, 2023 as

## *School Board Appreciation Week*

in Tennessee and encourage all citizens to join me in this worthy observance.



**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the official seal of the State of Tennessee to be affixed at Nashville on this fifteenth day of November 2022.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Bill Lee".

Governor

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Su Hargitt".

Secretary of State