



BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION

SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGY WEEK

- WHEREAS: School psychologists are among the most highly trained educators, working directly with students, teachers, and parents to meet the special learning needs of our children; and
- WHEREAS: School psychologists perform evaluations and comprehensive assessments that help identify children's educational strengths and weaknesses and make effective recommendations that will address individual requirements; and
- WHEREAS: Teachers consult with school psychologists in planning for the instructional needs of individual students in regular and special classrooms and for information concerning learning principles, social behavior, classroom management, and academic behavior; and
- WHEREAS: School psychologists provide family counseling and help facilitate relationships between students, parents, teachers, and school administrators, thereby fostering a better understanding of a child's problems and special educational needs; now
- THEREFORE: I, NATHAN DEAL, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim November 11-15, 2013, as SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGY WEEK in Georgia and encourage our citizens to join in recognizing psychologists and the important contributions they make to the education of our children.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Executive Department to be affixed this 24th day of September in the year of our Lord two thousand thirteen.



Nathan Deal

GOVERNOR

ATTEST

Chair W. Riley

CHIEF OF STAFF