

# State of Maine

In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Twenty-two

## JOINT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING MAY 1, 2022 TO MAY 7, 2022 AS MAINE HOME EDUCATION WEEK


**WHEREAS**, the Maine Legislature is committed to excellence in education and recognizes the importance of family participation and parental choice in the pursuit of that excellence; and


**WHEREAS**, families that choose the option of educating students at home make many sacrifices, and the number of students in the State who are being homeschooled has increased during the COVID-19 pandemic, with mothers, fathers, grandparents and other caregivers educating these students; and

**WHEREAS**, excellent individualized preparation for citizenship and life work can be provided by home education; and


**WHEREAS**, homeschoolers in the State will be celebrating home education from May 1, 2022 to May 7, 2022, the 35th consecutive year Maine homeschoolers will have celebrated home education; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**: That We, the Members of the One Hundred and Thirtieth Legislature, now assembled in the Second Regular Session, on behalf of the people we represent, take this opportunity to declare the week of May 1, 2022 to May 7, 2022 as Maine Home Education Week.


In Senate Chamber  
April 13, 2022  
Read and Adopted  
Sent Down for Concurrence  
  
Darek M. Grant  
Secretary of the Senate

House of Representatives  
April 13, 2022  
Read and Adopted  
In Concurrence  
  
Robert B. Hunt  
Clerk of the House

S.P. 749  
ATTEST:

  
Troy D. Jackson  
President of the Senate

ATTEST:

  
Ryan M. Fecteau  
Speaker of the House of Representatives

Sponsored by: Senator Pouliot of Kennebec County  
Cosponsored by: Representative Lyman of Livermore Falls  
Senator Black of Franklin County  
Senator Farrin of Somerset County  
Senator Guerin of Penobscot County  
Senator Stewart of Aroostook County  
Senator Timberlake of Androscoggin County  
Representative Dillingham of Oxford  
Representative Morris of Turner  
Representative Connor of Lewiston