

STATE OF MAINE

**IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
TWO THOUSAND TWENTY-THREE**

**JOINT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING TEACHER
APPRECIATION WEEK, MAY 8, 2023 TO MAY 12, 2023**

WHEREAS, Maine's future depends upon the provision of high-quality education to all students; and

WHEREAS, teachers mold future citizens through guidance and education; and

WHEREAS, teachers are among the most dedicated of public servants in the State; and

WHEREAS, it is important to raise public awareness of the contributions of teachers and to promote greater respect for and understanding of the teaching profession; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That We, the Members of the One Hundred and Thirty-first Legislature now assembled in the First Special Session, on behalf of the people we represent, take this opportunity to recognize the week of May 8, 2023 as Teacher Appreciation Week and strongly encourage the citizens of the State to recognize the efforts of teachers in educating the children of their communities and to support teachers in their efforts.