Proclamation

Whereas children today face more complex and life-threatening health problems requiring care in school; and

Whereas all students have the right to have their health needs safely met while in the school setting; and

Whereas school nurses understand the link between health and learning and are in a position to make a positive difference for children every day; and

Whereas school nurses have served a critical role in improving public health and in ensuring student academic success for more than 100 years; and

Whereas school nurses are professional nurses who advance the well-being, academic success, and life-long achievements of all students by serving on the frontlines and providing a critical safety net for our nation's most fragile children;

Therefore we, the members of the Lake Washington School District Board of Directors, do hereby proclaim Wednesday, May 8, 2019, as

School Nurse Day

in Lake Washington School District

Dr. Jane Stavem, Superintendent

Siri Bliesner, Board President

Signed April 22, 2019