



**ORANGE UNIFIED SCHOOL  
DISTRICT BOARD OF  
EDUCATION PROCLAMATION**



**California Day of the Teacher – May 14, 2025**

**WHEREAS**, California has long been a global leader in innovation, shaping industries and ideas that influence the world; and

**WHEREAS**, California teachers have consistently set the standard for creativity, innovation, and excellence in education; and

**WHEREAS**, California teachers continually bring fresh, innovative thinking and creativity into their classrooms every day; and

**WHEREAS**, like their peers in other professions, California teachers prioritize their own professional growth by pursuing advanced degrees, coursework, and ongoing professional development throughout their careers; and

**WHEREAS**, the dynamic and creative atmosphere of California influences teachers, inspiring them to foster similar environments in their classrooms; and

**WHEREAS**, California teachers are committed to enhancing Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) programs, ensuring students are well-prepared for the future; and

**WHEREAS**, California teachers strive to cultivate an educational community that encourages inquiry, collaboration, and creative thinking, while receiving the support and freedom to excel;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education hereby declares May 14th, 2025, as "California Day of the Teacher" in recognition of the invaluable contributions of the 1,150 teachers in the Orange Unified School District and to commend their unwavering dedication to our students.

Dated this 7th day of May 2025

Kris Erickson, Board President

  
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