



STATE of MINNESOTA

Proclamation

- WHEREAS: Computer science is embedded in modern life and foundational to nearly every sector of the U.S. economy, contributing to innovation, workforce development, and economic growth; and
- WHEREAS: Minnesota was an early leader in the development of computers, devices, networks, and educational computing; and
- WHEREAS: Access to computer science education, including qualified teachers, technology, and age-appropriate curriculum, promotes critical thinking skills and creativity; and
- WHEREAS: Significant equity barriers remain in computer science, including racial and gender disparities and unequal access to resources, instruction, and infrastructure; and
- WHEREAS: Through the K-12 Computer Science Education Advancement Act and state grants, Minnesota is working to address these disparities and advance equitable computer science education for all students; and
- WHEREAS: Artificial intelligence (AI) literacy helps students move from passive users of technology to informed, thoughtful participants, building understanding, curiosity, and confidence in emerging technologies; and
- WHEREAS: Leadership in computer science and AI support innovation, economic strength, community well-being, and future workforce needs; and
- WHEREAS: Computer Science Education Week highlights the importance of expanding access to computer science and AI education for learners across Minnesota.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, TIM WALZ, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim December 8-12, 2025, as:

COMPUTER SCIENCE
EDUCATION WEEK

in the State of Minnesota.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand
and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be
affixed at the State Capitol this 88th day of December.




GOVERNOR


SECRETARY OF STATE