

State of South Carolina

Governor's Proclamation

- WHEREAS,** innovation and technology have transformed our world, making modern life more efficient, accessible, and connected; and
- WHEREAS,** a highly trained workforce is vital to our nation's ability to compete in today's global economy; and
- WHEREAS,** most industries and organizations have embraced technology and used it to help improve their operations and outcomes; and
- WHEREAS,** it is important to recognize the potential that effective use of technology can offer in providing new ways for improved and personalized instruction for students; and
- WHEREAS,** offering new and exciting ways for students to learn each day, digital learning and the effective use of technology can assist teachers by providing real-time data to track individual student progress and can help give teachers more time to spend with each student by creating improved and more efficient learning processes; and
- WHEREAS,** Digital Learning Day provides an opportunity to educate teachers, students, schools, parents, policymakers, and the public on ways to successfully integrate high-quality digital learning and the effective use of technology to help improve the learning of every student.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Nikki R. Haley, Governor of the great State of South Carolina, do hereby proclaim February 17, 2016, as

DIGITAL LEARNING DAY

throughout the state and encourage all South Carolinians to learn about innovation in the classroom and promote digital learning practices already taking place in classrooms in the Palmetto State and across the nation.



A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Nikki R. Haley".

NIKKI R. HALEY
GOVERNOR
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA