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## **Inclusive Schools Week 2017**

The Inclusive Schools Network is pleased to announce the 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Inclusive Schools Week will be celebrated December 4-8, 2017, in classrooms, schools, and communities throughout the world. Inclusive Schools Week™ (ISW) highlights and celebrates the progress schools have made in providing a supportive and quality education to all students, including those who are marginalized due to disability, gender, ethnicity, geography and language. It also provides an important opportunity for educators, students, and families to discuss what else needs to be done to ensure that schools continue to improve their ability to successfully educate all children. ISW is sponsored by the Inclusive Schools Network at Stetson & Associates, Inc.

This week celebrates how schools can make progress on their journey and encourage everyone to “Stand Up for Inclusion” while following a path of sharing and action. This year’s Celebration Guides contains updated resources to plan a successful Inclusive Schools Week™ celebration and includes new tools aimed at supporting schools in the process of becoming more inclusive.

The Celebration Kit is available for download at the extensive Inclusive Schools Network website at <http://inclusiveschools.org>. Inclusive Schools Network has a wealth of innovative resources and is the best place to find updated information about Inclusive Schools Week and order new inclusion products. Leading up to the ISW 2017 Celebration there will be weekly postings of ideas, events, and resources to support schools in planning their ISW activities.

For more information about the Inclusive Schools Network and Inclusive Schools Week, please visit <http://inclusiveschools.org> or email [support@inclusiveschools.org](mailto:support@inclusiveschools.org). Be sure to sign up for Inclusive Schools Network News for regular updates as well as other news and information related to building schools and communities that are welcoming of all children and youth.