Resolution 2019-09

A Resolution of the School Board of Volusia County, Florida,
Proclaiming the month of March 2019 as “Theatre in Our Schools Month”
for the School District of Volusia County

KNOW ALL CITIZENS BY THESE PRESENT, that the Volusia County School Board, a
political subdivision of the State of Florida, hereby recognizes the month of March 2019 as
“Theatre in Our Schools Month.”

WHEREAS, theatre is essential in people’s lives and theatre education provides a
positive effect on student academic achievement; and

WHEREAS, theatre education contributes to improve reading and communication
skills; and

WHEREAS, theatre provides opportunity to build student self confidence and social
skills; and

WHEREAS, involvement in the arts increases student engagement and encourages
consistent school attendance; and

WHEREAS, the American Alliance for Theatre and Education has designated the
theme “Celebrate Theatre in Our Schools,” focusing on the theme “Theatre Education for
All.”

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SCHOOL BOARD OF VOLUSIA
COUNTY, FLORIDA, IN OFFICIAL SESSION, DULY ASSEMBLED IN DELAND,
FLORIDA, THIS 26th DAY OF FEBRUARY 2019, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The School Board of Volusia County Florida endorses the observance of
“Theatre in Our Schools Month” as a time to support the goals and opportunities of theatre
education and to encourage teachers, parents and students to recognize and celebrate
Theatre.

Section 2. The School Board of Volusia County rededicates itself to maintaining
theatre education that will be relevant to the needs of its students and that will positively
influence each child.

Section 3. That a copy of this Resolution be spread upon the official minutes of the
School Board of Volusia County, Florida, distributed to all public schools and appropriate
governmental bodies in Volusia County, Florida.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 26th DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2019
THE SCHOOL BOARD OF VOLUSIA COUNTY

[Signatures]

Mr. Carl G. Persis, Chairman
Mrs. Ida D. Wright, Vice Chairman
Mrs. Linda Cuthbert
Mr. Ruben Colón
Ms. Jamie M. Haynes
Mr. James T. Russell, Superintendent