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WATERLOO SCHOOL DISTRICT CELEBRATES AMERICAN EDUCATION WEEK

WATERLOO, IA – The Waterloo Community School District is dedicated to providing each and every student with quality public education. As a part of the National Education Association’s 90th annual American Education Week celebration, November 13-19, 2011, the Waterloo Schools will be take part in activities to draw attention to “Great Public Schools: A Basic Right and Our Responsibility.”

The school district’s activities are in partnership with the National Education Association. This association is the largest professional employee organization, representing more than 3.2 million elementary and secondary teachers, higher education faculty, education support professionals, school administrators, retired educators, and students preparing to become teachers.

American Education Week presents all Americans with an opportunity to honor individuals who are making a difference in ensuring that every child receives a quality education. This weeklong celebration spotlights the different people who are critical in building great public schools for the nation’s 50 million K-12 students. This week will include:

Monday, November 14: Kick-off Day. From national commemorations to local events, Americans will celebrate public education.

Tuesday, November 15: Parents’ Day.

Wednesday, November 16: Education Support Professionals Day.

Thursday, November 17: Educator for a Day.

Friday, November 18: Substitute Educators Day.

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“Waterloo Schools: Preparing students to be responsible and productive citizens.”