

SENATE RESOLUTION 31

(By Senators Rucker, Grady, Taylor, and Roberts)

[Introduced February 9, 2026]

1 Designating February 10, 2026, as Homeschool Day at the Legislature.

2 Whereas, The State of West Virginia is committed to excellence in education; and

3 Whereas, The State of West Virginia recognizes that parental involvement and
4 individualized attention to educational success are unique and basic components of
5 homeschooling; and

6 Whereas, Homeschooled students exhibit self-confidence and good citizenship and are
7 prepared academically to meet the challenges of today's society; and

8 Whereas, Contemporary studies continue to confirm that children who are educated at
9 home score exceptionally well on national achievement tests and score above the national
10 average on SAT and ACT tests; and

11 Whereas, Homeschooled students have shown to be competitive with publicly and
12 privately schooled students at the college level; therefore, be it

13 *Resolved by the Senate:*

14 That the Senate hereby designates February 10, 2026, as Homeschool Day at the
15 Legislature; and, be it

16 *Further Resolved,* That the Senate recognizes students, teachers, and families involved
17 with home schooling for their dedication to excellence in education; and, be it

18 *Further Resolved,* That the Clerk is hereby directed to forward a copy of this resolution to
19 the West Virginia Home Educators Association and the Christian Home Educators of West
20 Virginia.