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## **Commissioner Audette's message to youth at We Day in Montreal**

**Montreal, QC** – Commissioner Michèle Audette sent a powerful message to youth at We Day celebrations in Montreal.

“Thank you to the organizers for the opportunity to speak at We Day,” stated Commissioner Audette, “as an Indigenous woman, a Commissioner for the National Inquiry into Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls, and as a mother who wants what is best for children in all communities, engaging youth is critically important.”

WE is a movement that brings people together and gives them the tools to change the world. We Day is an event bringing together world-renowned speakers, A-list performers, and tens of thousands of youth to celebrate a year of action.

“Make yourselves voluntary ambassadors who reach across territories and generations to work with Indigenous communities and understand what is important to them; preserving their traditions and deep spirituality, along with their unique cultures. I share hope with you today, because by your actions you have the capability to transform lives and change the world. Today is the first day of tomorrow's Canada. We cannot change the past, but we can work together to shape a better future. Be a leader by offering Canada the gift of diversity and reconciliation,” concluded Commissioner Audette.

To learn more about We Day, visit: <https://www.we.org/we-day/we-day-events/>

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