



# Memorandum

from the

Department of Communication Services

The following is a list of Observance Days that Galena Park Independent School District will recognize for the 2020 - 2021 school year:

August 26 Women's Independence Day (Women's Equality Day)  
September 7 Labor Day (District Holiday)  
September 11 Patriot Day/Texas First Responders Day  
September 13 Grandparents' Day (Observed in GPISD on 9/11)  
September 14-18 Celebrate Freedom Week  
September 15 Hispanic Heritage Month (9/15 – 10/15)  
September 17 Constitution Day  
September 23 See you at the Pole  
September 28 - Oct 2 Custodial Appreciation Week  
October 1-31 National School Principals Month  
October 4-10 Fire Prevention Week  
October 6 National Night Out  
October 7 Texas Education Human Resources Day  
October 12-16 National School Lunch Week  
October 12 Columbus Day (Student Holiday)  
October 19-23 National School Bus Safety Week  
October 23-31 Red Ribbon Week (Observed in GPISD 10/26-10/30)  
November 1 Standard Time Change (clocks set back)  
November 3 Father of Texas Day - Stephen F. Austin  
November 9-13 National School Psychology Appreciation Week  
November 11 Veterans Day  
November 16-20 American Education Week  
November 18 Educational Support Professionals' Day  
November 20 Substitute Educators' Day  
November 26 Thanksgiving Day  
November 27 American Indian Heritage Day  
December 25 Christmas Day  
January 1-31 School Board Appreciation Month

January 1 New Year's Day  
January 6 Sam Rayburn Day  
January 18 Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Day (District Holiday)  
February 1-28 Black History Month  
February 1-28 Career & Technical Education Month  
February 1-28 National Children's Dental Health Month  
February 1-5 National School Counseling Week  
February 14 St. Valentine's Day  
February 15 Presidents' Day (District Holiday)  
February 17 National PTA Founders' Day  
February 19 STAR Day (State of Texas Anniversary Remembrance Day)  
February 19 Iwo Jima Day in Texas  
  
February 26 Go Texan Day  
February 20-28 National FFA Week  
March 1-5 Texas Public Schools Week  
March 1-31 Texas History Month  
March 1-31 Music in Our Schools Month  
March 1-31 National Middle-Level Education Month  
March 1-31 National Nutrition Month  
March 1-31 Youth Art Month  
March 1-5 Texas Public Schools Week  
March 1-5 Educational Diagnosticians' Week  
March 2 Texas Independence Day  
March 8-12 National School Breakfast Week  
March 14 Daylight Savings Time (clocks set forward)  
March 23 National Agriculture Day  
April 1-30 National Child Abuse Prevention Month  
April 1-30 Mathematics Awareness Month  
April 2 International Children's Book Day  
April 2 Good Friday (District Holiday)  
April 4-10 National Library Week  
April 6 National Library Workers' Day  
April 19-23 Public School Volunteer Week  
April 19-23 Administrative Professionals' Week  
April 21 Administrative Professionals' Day  
April 21 San Jacinto Day  
April 22 Earth Day  
April 22 National Take Your Child to Work Day (Tentative)

May 1-31 Better Hearing and Speech Month  
May 1-31 GPISD Internet Safety Month  
April 30 Go Texan Day  
May 3-7 Student Nutrition Employee Appreciation Week  
May 3-7 National Music Week  
May 3-7 National Teacher Appreciation Week  
May 3-9 National Children's Book Week  
May 3-9 National School Nurse Week  
May 5 National School Nurse Day  
May 6 National Day of Prayer  
May 3 Generation TX Day (Observed in GPISD 5/7)  
May 15 Peace Officer Memorial Day  
May 17-21 National Educational Bosses' Week  
May 19 Educational Bosses' Day  
May 31 Memorial Day (District Holiday)  
June 14 Flag Day  
June 19 Emancipation Day (Juneteenth)  
July 4 Independence Day