



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 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

May 1-31 Mental Health Awareness Month

May 1-31 National Foster Care Month

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 6-12 National School Nurse Week

May 6 National Day of Prayer

May 3 Generation TX Day (Observed in GPISD 5/7)

May 12 National School Nurse Day

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