

2019-20 List of Local and National Observances and Celebrations*

Days, weeks and months of celebration, appreciation and national observances are provided for your convenience.

September 2019

Sept. 8-14 — National Arts in Education Week

Sept. 8, Sunday — International Literacy Day

Sept. 8, Sunday — National Grandparents Day

Sept. 11, Wednesday — Texas First Responders Day

Sept. 15-21 — Celebrate Freedom Week

Sept. 17, Tuesday — Constitution Day

October 2019

October — National Bullying Prevention and National Principals' Month

Oct. 1, Tuesday — Child Health Day

Oct. 2, Wednesday — Maintenance and Custodian Appreciation Day

Oct. 2, Wednesday — International Walk to School Day

Oct. 6-12 — National Fire Prevention Week

Oct. 14-18 — National School Lunch Week

Oct. 16, Wednesday — National Boss' Day

Oct. 21-25 — National School Bus Safety Week

Oct. 23-31 — National Red Ribbon Week

Oct. 26, Saturday — Make-a-Difference Day

November 2019

Nov. 11, Monday — Veterans' Day

Nov. 18-22 — American Education Week

Nov. 20, Wednesday — Educational Support Professionals' Day

Nov. 21, Thursday — National Parent Involvement Day

Nov. 22, Friday — Substitute Educators' Day

December 2019

Dec. 2-6 — National Inclusive Schools Week

January 2020

January — School Board Appreciation Month and National Mentoring Month

Jan. 13-17 – Plano ISD College & Career Week

February 2020

Feb. 3-7 — National School Counseling Week

Feb. 17, Monday — National PTA Founders Day

Feb. 23-29 — National FFA Week

March 2020

March — National Nutrition Month; Social Work Month; National Music in Our Schools Month; Theatre in our Schools Month; and Youth Art Month; National Nutrition Month

Mar. 2, Monday — NEA's Read across America Day

Mar. 2-6 — National School Breakfast Week

April 2020

April — School Library Month, World Autism Awareness Month

Apr. 2, Thursday — International Children's Book Day

Apr. 19-25 — National Library Week

Apr. 19-25 — Administrative Professionals Week

Apr. 19-25 — National Student Leadership Week

Apr. 21, Tuesday — National Librarian Appreciation Day

Apr. 20-24 — Public School Volunteer Week

Apr. 22, Wednesday — Earth Day

Apr. 22, Wednesday — Administrative Professional Day

May 2020

May — National Physical Fitness Month and Sport Month

May 1-7 — National Physical Education and Sport Week

May 1, Friday — School Lunch Hero Day

May 4-8 — Teacher Appreciation Week

May 4-10 — National Children's Book Week

May 5, Tuesday — National Teacher Appreciation Day

May 6, Wednesday — National School Nurse Day

May 6, Wednesday — National Bike to School Day