

Honoring Our Heroes



National Police Week

**Santa Fe Independent School District
National Police Week Proclamation**

Whereas, there are 12 full time, 9 part-time law enforcement officers, 7 security assistants, 2 crossing guards, and 1 dispatcher serving in Santa Fe ISD; and

Whereas, nearly 60,000 assaults against law enforcement officers are reported each year, resulting in approximately 16,000 injuries; and

Whereas, since the first recorded death in 1791, more than 20,000 law enforcement officers in the United States have made the ultimate sacrifice and been killed in the line of duty; and

Whereas, the names of these dedicated public servants are engraved on the walls of the National Law Enforcement Officers Memorial in Washington, D.C.; and

Whereas, the service and sacrifice of all officers killed in the line of duty will be honored during the National Law Enforcement Officers Memorial Fund's 33rd Annual Candlelight Vigil, on the evening of May 13, 2021; and

Whereas, May 15, 2021 is designated as Peace Officers Memorial Day, in honor of all fallen officers and their families and U.S. flags should be flown at half-staff;

Therefore, Santa Fe ISD Board of Trustees formally designates May 9-15, 2021, as **Police Week** in Santa Fe ISD, and publicly salutes the service of law enforcement officers in our community and in communities across the nation.

Passed and Approved this 19th day of April 2021.

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