

## School Psychologists Appreciation Day

The Board of Education Pittsburg Unified School District

Resolution #18-12

WHEREAS, children have a natural propensity to learn and have the right to learn; and

WHEREAS, it is imperative that society emphasize the needs of children and youth and invest in education as a top priority; and

WHEREAS, to enhance the total environment in which children live and grow, schools must apply sound psychological principles to instruction and learning, cultivate children's intellectual, social, and emotional development, meet the educational needs of our culturally diverse student population, and promote early intervention to ensure students' scholastic success; and

WHEREAS, school psychologists help parents and educators foster healthy child development and are the school-based experts in children's learning and psychological development; and

WHEREAS, school psychologists are on the front lines in the drive for violence prevention, intervention and response in our schools; and

WHEREAS, school psychologists are leaders in delivering mental health services to students; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that Californians take the time to recognize the important and vital role that school psychologists play in the personal and academic development of our State's children; now therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY The Governing Board of Pittsburg Unified School District designates the day. October 29, 2018, as "School Psychology Day" and encourages all stakeholder groups within the district to celebrate the important contributions to our district from this vital profession.

Be it further resolved, that the Board of Education directs the Superintendent to post a copy of this resolution at our School Sites.

Passed and Adopted, on January 24, 2018, at a regular meeting of the Board of Education by the following vote:

(Arenivar, Canciamilla, Miller, Smith, Woolsidge) (Elam - Student Member) AYES:

NOES: ABSTAIN:

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ABSENT:

De'Shawn Woolridge, Board President