

## **Substitute Teacher Appreciation Day**

The Board of Education
Pittsburg Unified School District
Resolution 18-66

WHEREAS, substitute teachers are an essential part to the education of our children, though they rarely receive the recognition or respect from the community they deserve for the noble work that they do; and

WHEREAS, it is inevitable that regular teachers will on occasion be absent, leaving their students' learning environment and educational agenda disrupted and in need of a substitute teacher to maintain order until the regular teacher returns; and

WHEREAS, in many cases, substitute teachers are serving as long term subs, covering classes and teaching instructional lessons for classes that might not be staffed with a regular credentialed teacher.

WHEREAS, every substitute teacher must be very flexible in order to adapt to different teaching styles and planning, as well as command the respect of the scholars that he or she may be teaching on a given day; and

WHEREAS, Substitute teachers must continually adjust to different working conditions in order to provide continuity in the learning process for students;

**RESOLVED BY** The Governing Board of Pittsburg Unified School District designates the day, November 15, 2019, as "Substitute Teacher Appreciation Day" and encourages all stakeholder groups within the district to celebrate the important contributions made to our schools by substitute teachers.

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 <u>February 6, 2019</u> at a regular meeting of the Board of Education by the following vote

AYES: 3 NOES: 0 ABSTAIN: 0 ABSENT: 2

Duane Smith, Board President