

Santa Fe Independent School District Red Ribbon Week Proclamation

Whereas, Alcohol and drug abuse in this Nation have reached epidemic stages; and

Whereas, It is imperative that visible, unified prevention education efforts by community members be launched to eliminate the demand for drugs; and

Whereas, The National Red Ribbon Campaign offers citizens the opportunity to demonstrate their commitment to drug-free lifestyles (no use of illegal drugs, no illegal use of legal drugs); and

Whereas, The National Red Ribbon Campaign will be celebrated in every community in America during Red Ribbon Week, October 23-31; and

Whereas, business, Government, parents, law enforcement, media, medical institutions, religious institutions, schools, senior citizens, service organizations, and youth will demonstrate their commitment to healthy, drug-free lifestyles by wearing and displaying red ribbons during this weeklong campaign; and

Whereas, Santa Fe ISD further commits its resources to ensure the success of the Red Ribbon Campaign;

Therefore, **Be It Resolved** the Santa Fe ISD Board of Trustees do hereby proclaim October 23-31 as Red Ribbon Week, but all year long, making a visible statement that we are strongly committed to a drug-free district.

Passed and Approved this 28th day of September, 2015.

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