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SPECIAL OBSERVANCE DAYS

The School District of Evansville shall provide for proper observance of the following special observance days in accordance with law, tradition, and practice. On the following days when school is held or, if the day falls on a Saturday or Sunday, on a school day immediately preceding or following the respective day, the day shall be appropriately observed for the purpose of educating students about our culture and history:

September 16	Mildred Fish Harnack Day
September 17	U.S. Constitution Day
Third Friday in September	POW-MIA Recognition Day
Wednesday, 3 rd full week in September	Wisconsin Day
September 28	Frances Willard Day
October 9	Leif Erikson Day
October 12	Christopher Columbus' Birthday
November 11	Veterans Day
January 15	Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
February 12	Abraham Lincoln's Birthday
February 15	Susan B. Anthony's Birthday
February 22	George Washington's Birthday
March 4	Casimir Pulaski Day
March 17	"The Great Hunger" in Ireland from 1845 to 1850
April 9	Prisoners of War Remembrance Day
April 13	American Creed Day
April 19	Patriots' Day
April 22	Environmental Awareness Day
The last Friday in April	Arbor Day
June 14	Robert La Follette Sr. Day/Flag Day

The last Friday in April shall be observed as Arbor Day, except that if the governor by proclamation sets apart one day to be designated as Arbor and Bird Day, that day shall be appropriately observed. Also, if school is held on June 14, the day shall be appropriately observed as Robert M. La Follette, Sr. Day. The Wednesday of the third week in September shall be observed as part of Wonderful Wisconsin Week.

The administration, along with the teaching staff, shall be responsible for providing activities for the observance of the above specified days.