



MEMORANDUM

TO: School Board Members

FROM: Dr. John B. Gordon III, *Superintendent*

DATE: January 16, 2025

RE: Calendar of Special Events

Each month, Suffolk Public Schools celebrates a variety of special events. The following are recognition weeks and programs scheduled for January/February 2025.

- ❖ Mentoring Month ...January
- ❖ Virginia School Principal Appreciation Week ...January 14-20
- ❖ STEM Academy Promotional Night @ BTWES, 6 p.m. ...January 16
- ❖ Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday (*no school for students or staff*) ...January 20
- ❖ End of 2nd Nine Weeks/First Semester ...January 22
- ❖ Teacher Clerical & Professional Development Days (*no school for students*)
...January 23-24
- ❖ Second Semester Begins ...January 27
- ❖ School Board Appreciation Month ...February
- ❖ Career and Technical Education Month ...February
- ❖ African-American History Month ...February
- ❖ American Heart Month ...February
- ❖ Parent/Teacher Conference (*Early Release for Students*) ...February 6
- ❖ National Wear Red Day (*Heart Disease Awareness*) ...February 7
- ❖ 100th Day of School ...February 7
- ❖ National School Counseling Week ...February 3-7
- ❖ School Board Meeting @ Suffolk City Council Chamber ...February 13