Board Agenda Item

11-16-2026	**Reports of the Superintendent** ☐	**Action Item** ☐	**Consent Agenda** ☐	**Reports, Routine Monthly** ☐	**Other** ☒
Subject:	**VIII. COMMUNICATIONS** A. RECOGNITIONS 2. Special Education Department				
Presenter or Contact Person:	**Chief Communications Officer Kristen Escovedo**				
Policy/Code:	Not applicable.				
Summary:	National Special Education Day is celebrated annually on December 2, the anniversary of the 1975 Individuals with Disabilities Education Act . We will honor the educators who serve some of our most vulnerable students with unwavering commitment, patience, and passion. Their individualized care, creative teaching strategies, and advocacy, creates an inclusive environment where every student has the opportunity to unlock their potential. Through this work, they are transforming lives and shaping a stronger, more compassionate community. **CHISD Special Education team.** Beverly Berry- School Health And Related Services Clerk Leighanne Jones- Special Education Instructional Specialist (Transition, Secondary SKILL, SHIFT 18+) Angel De Leon- Special Education Instructional Specialist (Elementary SKILL, Resource/Inclusion Math) Tashara Tuck- Senior Compliance Administrator				

	Melissa Tyler- Adaptive PE Coordinator and Special Olympics Head of Delegation Timisha Lincoln- Literacy Specialist (Dyslexia and Resource/Inclusion ELAR) LaCharrye McDonald- District 504 Coordinator Michelle Wells- Lead Speech Language Pathologist Winnie Maiden- Lead Diagnostician
Attachments:	Not applicable.
Recommendation:	**This report is for information only.**
Recommended Motion:	Not applicable.