

South Orange-Maplewood
Education Association (SOMEA)
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October is "National LGBT History Month"

Monthly Event Icons

Rep Council 	District SAM 	BOE Meeting 	PD Opportunity 	ECEA Event 	NJEA, NEA Event
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October 2021

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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Week 2	3 Fire Prevention Week Begins	4 SOMEA Executive Board Meeting: 3:45pm	5 World Teachers' Day	6	7	8	9
Week 3	10	11 SOMEA Rep Council: 3:45pm Head Rep/PRRC Meeting: Directly Following Rep Council Columbus Day Indigenous People's Day	12 4-Hour Day (K-12)/ 3-Hour Day (Pre-K): PD for Staff	13 District SAM: 3:30pm	14	15	16 NJEA LGBTQIA Ed. Justice Forum
Week 4	17 International Day for the Eradication of Poverty	18 SOMSD BOE Meeting: 7:30pm	19	20	21	22	23
Week 5	24/ 30 United Nations Day/ Halloween	25	26	27	28	29	30 NJEA Jim George Collective Bargaining Summit

See Reverse Side for Important **Calendar Notes** (Including Event Locations)

Calendar Notes:

- General Notes for Monthly Events:

- **SOMEA E-Board Meetings** will take place on the 1st Monday each month at 3:45pm at the **SOMEA Office**
- **SOMEA Rep Council Meetings** will take place on the 2nd Monday each month at 3:45pm in the **Columbia High School Black Box Theatre**
- **SOMEA Head Rep/PRRC Meetings** will take place on the 2nd Monday each month *directly following Rep Council* at the **SOMEA Office**
- **District SAM** will take place on the 2nd Wednesday at 3:30pm in the **Superintendent's Office**
- **SOMSD Board of Education Meetings** will take place on the 3rd Monday each month at 7:30pm in the **Board Office District Meeting Room**

**If, due to special circumstances, any meetings cannot be held at the designated day/time/location, it will be indicated in the calendar*

- Special Event Locations:

- **Tue., 10/12: Professional Development for Staff** (4-Hour Day for K-12 Students, 3-Hour Day for Pre-K Students) [FORMAT TBD***]
- **Sat., 10/16: NJEA LGBTQIA Ed. Justice Forum** [FORMAT TBD***]
- **Sat., 10/30: NJEA Jim George Collective Bargaining Summit** [FORMAT TBD***]

****See applicable e-mail/website for virtual meeting access information**

*****See applicable e-mail/website for event format (in person, virtual, hybrid)**

- Information on **ECEA Professional Development Workshops** can be found at <http://www.eceanj.org>. *Participants must RSVP.*
- Information on **NJEA Professional Development Workshops** can be found at <http://www.njea.org>. *To sign in, enter your e-mail or PIN (found on your NJEA card) and your password (last 4 digits of your social security number).*

- Schools/District Closed:

- Additional Month Designations:

- *“Breast Cancer Awareness Month,” “Islamic Heritage Month,” “LGBTQ History Month,” “National Bullying Prevention Month,” “National Disability Employment Awareness Month,” “National Principal’s Month,” “National Domestic Violence Awareness Month,” “National Hispanic Heritage Month” (Sep. 15 – Oct. 15), “National Work and Family Month”*

- Staff Days: 21