







South Orange-Maplewood
Education Association (SOMEA)
2 Jefferson Ave. Maplewood, NJ 07040



May is "Asian Pacific American Heritage Month"

Monthly Event Icons

Rep Council 	District SAM 	BOE Meeting 	PD Opportunity 	ECEA Event 	NJEA, NEA Event 
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May 2022

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Week 1	1 NJEA <i>Early Career Conference</i> National Physical Education and Sports Week Begins May Day	2 SOMEA Executive Board Meeting: 3:45pm A.P. Testing Begins (CHS) Ramadan Ends Eid al Fitr National Teacher Appreciation Week Begins	3 National Teacher Appreciation Day	4 NJEA PD Webinar: <i>Building a Family, Part 2</i> : 5:00pm	5 NJEA PD Webinar: <i>AAPI Voices, Part 2</i> : 4:30pm Cinco de Mayo	6 ECEA <i>LGBTQ+</i> Conference	7 ECEA <i>LGBTQ+</i> Conference
Week 2	8 Mother's Day	9 SOMEA Rep Council: 3:45pm Head Rep/PRRC Meeting: Directly Following Rep Council SOMSD BOE (Organizational, Renewals) Meeting: 7:30pm	10	11 District SAM: 3:30pm NJEA PD Webinar: <i>Member Benefits</i> : 4:30pm NJEA PD Webinar: <i>Building a Family Part 2</i> : 5:00pm National School Nurse's Day	12 NJEA PD Webinar: <i>Anti-Racist Pedagogy</i> : 4:30pm	13 ECEA <i>Overnight</i>	14 ECEA <i>Overnight</i>
Week 3	15	16 SOMSD BOE Meeting: 7:30pm	17 ECEA PD Workshop: <i>Human and Civil Rights</i> : 4:30pm	18	19 NJEA PD Webinar: <i>Degrees Not Debt</i> : 5:00pm, 7:00pm	20	21 NJEA Delegate Assembly: 9-5pm Armed Forces Day
Week 4	22 Harvey Milk Day	23	24 NJEA PD Webinar: <i>Pension</i> : 3:30	25 ECEA Rep Council: 4:15pm NJEA PD Webinar: <i>Member Benefits</i> : 4:30pm	26	27 Give Back Day (TBD)	28
Week 5	29	30 District Closed: Memorial Day	31	----	----	----	----

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:
 - **Wed., 5/4: NJEA PD Webinar: Building A Family Workshop Series Part 2: Access and Maximize Paid Leave Options to Care for Yourself, a Child, and/or a Loved One** [VIRTUAL**]
 - **Thu., 5/5: NJEA PD Webinar: Including AAPI Voices in Civil Rights and History** [VIRTUAL**]
 - **Fri., 5/6 – Sat., 5/7: ECEA LGBTQ+ Conference**
 - Location To Be Determined (See Website)
 - **Wed., 5/11: NJEA PD Webinar: Sizzling Summer Savings with Your Member Benefits** [VIRTUAL**]
 - **Wed., 5/11: NJEA PD Webinar: Building A Family Workshop Series Part 2: Access and Maximize Paid Leave Options to Care for Yourself, a Child, and/or a Loved One** [VIRTUAL**]
 - **Thu., 5/12: NJEA PD Webinar: Let's Do It! Anti-racist Pedagogy in the Classroom** [VIRTUAL**]
 - **Fri., 5/13 – Sat., 5/14: ECEA Overnight**
 - Wyndham Hamilton Park Hotel and Conference Center: 175 Park Ave. Florham Park, NJ
 - **Tue., 5/17: ECEA PD Workshop: Human and Civil Rights**
 - Nanina's in the Park: 540 Mill St. Belleville, NJ
 - **Thu., 5/19 NJEA PD Webinar: Degrees Not Debt: Student Loan Debt Relief** [VIRTUAL**]
 - **Sat., 5/21: NJEA Delegate Assembly**
 - Location To Be Determined (See Website)
 - **Tue., 5/24: NJEA PD Webinar: Pension** [VIRTUAL**]
 - **Wed., 5/25: ECEA Rep Council**
 - Bella Italia: 535 Central Ave. Orange, NJ
 - **Wed., 5/25: NJEA PD Webinar: Accessing Your Member Benefits** [VIRTUAL**]
 - 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:
 - **Fri., 5/27: Give Back Day (TBD)***
 - **Mon., 5/30: Memorial Day (District Closed)**
- Additional Month Designations:
 - "ALS Awareness Month," "Jewish American Heritage Month," "Lupus Awareness Month," "Mental Health Awareness Month," "National Inventors Month," "National Mobility Awareness Month," "National Pet Month"
- Staff Days: 21 **If only two emergency school closing days are used, schools will be closed on Fri., 5/27.*