

All School Assemblies at East Valley

Goals:

- To bring our school community together at least once per month
- Highlight community achievements
- Celebrate school traditions that can be continued month to month and year to year
- Recognize cultural/heritage moments and accompanying class work around this
- A fun and enjoyable experience for all members of the community

Traditions:

- Birthdays
 - Announce birthdays for the month and recognize with singing of song
- Community Champions
 - Identify community champions through communication with teachers
 - Honor champions by bringing them “on stage” at assembly and presenting with certificates
- Spirit Day Themes- dress-up days aligned with Friday assemblies
 - Examples: Pajama Day, Sports Day, Kaleidoscope Day, etc.
- Song/Dance
- Community Wide Projects:
 - Examples: Gratitude Leaves, Kindness Chain, etc.

Cultural/Heritage Celebrations:

- Examples: LatinX Heritage Month, Black History Month, etc.

SEL Themes By Month:

August- Communication
September- Collaboration
October- Self-Understanding
November- Empathy
December- Adaptability
January- Self Efficacy
February- Cultural Competency
March- Critical Thinking
April- Systems Thinking
May- Lifelong Learning
June- Global Advocacy