ELK GROVE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
9510 Elk Grove-Florin Road
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RESOLUTION No. 20, 2021-2022

Declaring November 8-12, 2021 as National School Psychology Week in the
ELK GROVE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

WHEREAS, Elk Grove Unified School District schools can more effectively ensure that all
students are able to learn when they meet the needs of the whole child and
provide integrated, multi-tiered supports; and

WHEREAS, All children and youth learn best when they are healthy, supported, and receive
an education that enables them to strive, grow and thrive academically, socially,
and emotionally. Children’s mental health is directly linked to their learning and
development, and the learning environment provides an optimal context to
promote good mental health; and

WHEREAS, Sound psychological principles are integral to instruction and learning, social
and emotional development, prevention, early intervention and school safety, and
supporting culturally diverse student populations; and

WHEREAS, School psychologists are specially trained to deliver a continuum of mental health
services and academic supports that lower barriers to teaching and learning; and
help children to thrive by nurturing their individual strengths across both
personal and academic endeavors. School psychologists are trained to assess
student and school-based barriers to learning as well as individual strengths,
utilize data-based decision-making, implement research-driven prevention and
intervention strategies, and evaluate outcomes and improve accountability; and

WHEREAS, It is appropriate to recognize the vital role that school psychologists play in the
personal and academic development of Elk Grove Unified School District’s
students.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Elk Grove Unified School Board encourages all
district students and staff to join in the observance of National School Psychology Week,
November 8-12, 2021, and observance of future National School Psychology Weeks as
declared by the National Association of School Psychologists.

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