

## **Week of the Assistant Principal Proclamation**

**WHEREAS**, Campus Leadership matters for the Judson Independent School District's public education system and the more than 23,000 students it serves; and

**WHEREAS**, Judson Independent School District values the role of the Assistant Principal and seeks to hire Assistant Principals who are passionate, lifelong learners who believe in forming a safe, quality public education; and

**WHEREAS**, The title Assistant Principal is a term used to define a campus leader who works collaboratively alongside the campus Principal, fellow Assistant Principals, and staff to promote an effective and efficient public education for all students, for the purpose of improving student achievement; and

**WHEREAS**, Judson Independent School District recognizes that the pathway of an Assistant Principalfrom classroom teacher to campus leader - is beneficial to their role to effectively and efficiently lead a campus and improve student achievement; and

**WHEREAS**, Research shows that effective Assistant Principals seek to set high expectations for academic achievement and a relentless resolve for building a culture of continuous learning for faculty and staff; and

**WHEREAS**, Assistant Principals uphold local and legal policies that govern students, personnel, operations and facilities, budgeting, community relations, curriculum, instruction and assessment to ensure fair and consistent interactions with stakeholders; and

**WHEREAS**, Assistant Principals routinely depend on a network of support from school communities-fellow administrators, teachers, parents, students, businesses, community members, board trustees, colleges and universities, community and faith-based organizations, elected officials and district and county staff and resources – to promote ongoing student achievement and school success;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, We, the Judson ISD Board of Trustees, do hereby proclaim April 5 thru April 9, 2021, as Assistant Principals Week in the Judson Independent School District and urge all citizens to recognize the importance of assistant principals at all grade levels to the success of students in Judson ISD and ensuring that every child has access to a quality education;

**IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Judson ISD this 25<sup>th</sup> day of March 2021.