



School Social Work Association of America

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National School Social Work Week: Celebrating the Heart of Student Support

The School Social Work Association of America (SSWAA) is thrilled to announce the upcoming National School Social Work Week, slated to take place from March 3rd to March 9th, 2024. This week-long celebration shines a spotlight on the dedicated professionals who play a pivotal role in enhancing the well-being and success of students across the nation.

National School Social Work Week is an annual event held during the first full calendar week of March (Sunday - Saturday). The event is designed to honor and recognize the tireless efforts of school social workers, whose commitment to fostering positive school environments directly impacts students, administrators, teachers, educators, parents, and the community at large.

SSWAA, in its ongoing commitment to supporting school social workers, collects and shares valuable resources to help communities celebrate and promote School Social Work Week. These resources include informational materials, activity ideas, and communication tools that highlight the significance of school social work.

To access these resources and stay updated on the latest materials for School Social Work Week 2024, please visit the SSWAA website (<https://www.sswaa.org/school-social-work-week>).

"In the tapestry of education, school social workers are the threads of compassion, weaving empathy, support, and understanding into the fabric of students' lives. National School Social Work Week is a canvas to celebrate their profound impact a masterpiece of care, advocacy, and transformative influence," said Dr. Terri Lynn Rivers-Cannon, Board President for the School Social Work Association of America.

As we anticipate National School Social Work Week 2024, the School Social Work Association of America encourages schools, districts, and communities to make plans for impactful celebrations. Whether it's hosting events, recognizing outstanding contributions, or simply expressing gratitude, there are countless ways to honor the invaluable work of school social workers.



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About the School Social Work Association of America (SSWAA):

Established in 1994, The School Social Work Association of America (SSWAA) stands as the premiere national membership organization singularly dedicated to School Social Work practice. As the authoritative voice in the field, SSWAA plays a pivotal role in advancing the profession and empowering school social workers across the nation.

SSWAA is committed to providing comprehensive professional development training, equipping practitioners with best practice tools, and offering a wealth of relevant resources. By delivering these essential services, the association fulfills its mission—to enhance the social and emotional growth and academic outcomes of all students both nationally and globally.

"Expand your Knowledge. Elevate your Practice. Engage with your Profession."

For more information about SSWAA and to access valuable resources, please visit:
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