

**Glendale Unified School District  
Resolution No. 24  
2022-2023**

**HOLOCAUST REMEMBRANCE DAY 2023**

**Whereas**, the Holocaust was the state-sponsored, systematic persecution and annihilation of European Jewry by Nazi Germany and its collaborators between 1933 and 1945 - six million were murdered; Roma (Gypsies), people with disabilities, and Poles were also targeted for destruction or decimation for racial, ethnic, or national reasons; and millions more, including LGBTQ people, Jehovah's Witnesses, Soviet prisoners of war, and political dissidents, also suffered grievous oppression and death under Nazi tyranny; and

**Whereas**, the history of the Holocaust offers an opportunity to reflect on the moral responsibilities of individuals, societies, and governments; and

**Whereas**, Glendale students should understand and remember the terrible events of the Holocaust and remain vigilant against hatred, persecution, and tyranny; and

**Whereas**, Glendale Unified School District should actively rededicate ourselves to the principles of individual freedom in a just society; and

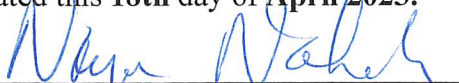
**Whereas**, the Days of Remembrance have been set aside to remember the victims of the Holocaust as well as to reflect on the need for respect of all peoples; and

**Whereas**, pursuant to an Act of Congress (Public Law 96-388, October 7, 1980), the United States Holocaust Memorial Council designates the Day of Remembrance known as Yom HaShoah, on April 18, 2023; and


**Whereas**, this year marks the 78<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the liberation of Auschwitz by Russian troops and the 78<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the liberation of Dachau by American troops.

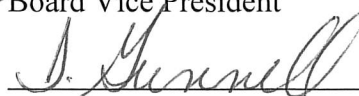
**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that the Glendale Unified School District Board of Education does hereby proclaim Tuesday, April 18, 2023, as Holocaust Day of Remembrance and to hold a moment of silence in memory of the victims of the Holocaust Genocides and all human atrocities in honor of survivors as well as the rescuers and liberators, and further proclaims that we, the Glendale Unified School District community, should work to promote human dignity and confront hate whenever and wherever it occurs.

Dated this **18th** day of **April 2023**.

  
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Board President

  
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