

# DIVERSITY NEWSLETTER

## YEAR IN REVIEW

This year, UHS, led by Serena Owens, worked with students and teachers to highlight the best ways we can serve our English-Language-Learner population in the classroom, including finding online resources and Spanish-language textbooks!

Additionally, we continued to celebrate our diversity by showcasing international holidays, influential historical figures, and more with our bulletin boards.



The Monongalia County Schools Diversity, Equity and Inclusion committee will continue to celebrate themes throughout the year to promote the teaching and observation of different cultures throughout the year.

## MONTHLY THEMES THE LAST THREE MONTHS

MARCH- "YOU CAN BE WHATEVER YOU WANT TO BE"  
APRIL- "EVERYONE LEARNS AND THINKS IN THEIR OWN WAY"  
MAY- "ROOTS ALL OVER THE WORLD"

## THIS MONTH

In the month of March Monongalia County Schools will be celebrating the theme "Roots all over the World" During May schools will discuss what makes Monongalia County a diverse school system. In our school system alone we have over 60 countries represented and 54 spoken languages.

Exposure to different languages and cultures will help our students be more empathetic, better understand people, more open-minded, confident and safe and better prepared to work in a diverse workplace.