

January 2024

2023 GEM Google Calendar










Social Media Challenge

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|--------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------|--------------------------|------------|----------|
| 31 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| | | Engaging parents | | Teacher Time-Hop | Friday | |
| 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
| | | Motivating underachievers | | Gifted Lesson | Friday | |
| 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| | Martin Luther King Day | Informing administrators | | Gifted Activity | Friday | |
| 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| | | Partnering with Gen Ed Teachers | | Funny Student Saying | Friday | |
| 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| | | Great books to add to your shelf | | | | |

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Be sure to use #ALgifted and @alabamagifted on your posts to be entered into the contest to win an Amazon gift card.

| Day | Directions | Resources |
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|  | <p>Write a letter, compose an email, or draw a picture and send it to your legislators and/or state school board members. Talk about the importance of gifted education.</p> | <p>http://www.legislature.state.al.us/aliswww/ISD/Senate/ALSenatorsbyDistrict.aspx http://www.legislature.state.al.us/aliswww/ISD/House/ALRepsbyDistrict.aspx https://assets.alsde.edu/sites/bios/bios/forms/board%20members.aspx https://alabamagifted.org/advocacy</p> |
|  | <p>Create a funny meme about gifted-play nice!</p> | <p>https://www.canva.com/ https://www.adobe.com/express/create/meme</p> |
|  | <p>Share your tried and true tip focused on the theme of each week.</p> | <p>Teacher tips and tricks are all around, post one of your favorites that you have found.</p> |
|  | <p>Post a photo of your students working on projects. Show us what your gifted students are learning!</p> | <p>Any working pictures will do; Just snap some shots and post one or two.</p> |
|  | <p>Check the calendar for the weekly “Throwback” Post. Publish your posts on any/all social media sites. @alabamagifted #algifted</p> | <p>Week 1 - Show us a picture of you from now and then side by side. Could be you as a young student or when you first started teaching and now. Week 2 - Post your favorite gifted lesson you look forward to teaching again, or that is tried and true. Week 3 - Share an activity your students have asked to do again. Week 4 - Tell us one of the most memorable sayings from your gifted students.</p> |
|  | <p>Photogrid Friday Post a photogrid of teachers, students, or both focused on gifted education and what gifted is.</p> |  |